

# CLASSIC CAR CLUB

**ROUTES & ROADS** 

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## ROUTES & ROADS

A great car is only as good as the route you choose. The following are some of our favorite roads within a 200-mile radius of our club in Manhattan. Get out there and carve a line.



#### TACONIC STATE PARKWAY & ROUTE 22

This route starts in The Bronx and runs about 170 miles north to Mooers, NY, just a bit south of Canada. Once north of Putnam Valley, traffic begins to thin and the route is populated with entertaining cutbacks and rolling sweepers. Little towns along the way provide roadside dining and various antique and craft shops.

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HUDSON VALLEY REGION
STATE ROUTE 218, NY

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Also known as Storm King Highway, this route is only 10 miles long, but it's a genuinely entertaining 10 miles. It starts off at Highland Falls and finishes off in the town of Cornwall. Running just west of the Hudson River, Route 218 provides great vistas and the road is as technical as one could want. It's narrow so mind the yellow line. CCC recommends a midhorsepower, super light car to enjoy this road to the maximum.



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## STATE ROUTE 301, NY

Starting on the east shore of the Hudson River and continuing east for 20 miles. The road is dotted with sweepers and cutbacks. As you proceed east, the road turns into a two lane ribbon of road that cuts straight through the West Branch Reservoir, making you feel like you're driving on water.



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#### **ROUTE 9W, NY**

Start off from Fort Clinton and take it up to Route 202, Bear Mountain Bridge. 9W offers great scenic views of the Hudson River and its windy 27-mile climb up to higher elevations drops you off at Harriman State Park, home of the technical roads of the Bear Mountain Region. Homes dot the way and police are on patrol, but speeding isn't needed to enjoy this route.

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#### HARRIMAN STATE PARK, BEAR MOUNTAIN REGION

Harriman State Park is home to some of the most entertaining and technical roads in and around New York, Just 45 minutes north of CCC and you're there. A few roads of note - Seven Lakes Drive is all about the big, long sweepers. Arden Valley Road is much tighter and technical, punctuated with a few hairpin corners through the trees. Tiorati Brook Road is a combination of sweepers and switchbacks, many over sharp elevation changes, which keeps things interesting. One must keep his/her eyes up on this road. Perkins Memorial Drive is a mountain climb up to the region's highest point, giving you a view 50 miles in every direction. When driving here, make sure to keep an eve out for cyclists, hikers and boulders that line the roads.

Hither Woods Preserve



Gurney's Montauk 🐼

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#### OLD MONTAUK HIGHWAY, SUFFOLK COUNTY

Headed out to The Hamptons or Montauk? Then take a quick dip off of Route 27 and onto Old Montauk Highway at Hither Hills State Park. This five mile excursion is littered with beautiful little corners and roller coaster-like elevation changes. Stop at Gurney's along the way for breakfast.



LONG ISLAND REGION

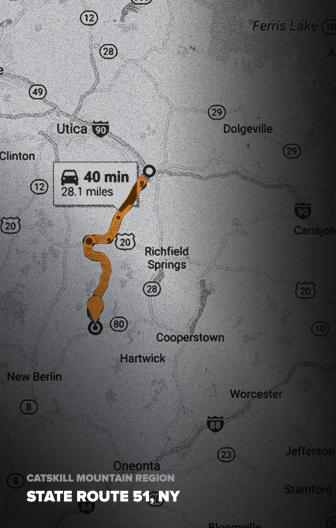
#### MILL ROAD, SUFFOLK COUNTY

This is another short run of just five miles but it's right off the LIE. So if you're heading east, exit north at Route 111 in Manorville and make a right at the North Street, Mill Road junction. Mill Road provides a slithering, one-lane, backroad romp through the woods and drops you off at Edwards Ave, right next to the entrance back on the LIE. There's also a great motocross track — Calverton MX — near the end of the road, so twist a throttle if you have the time and talent.



# STATE ROUTE 8

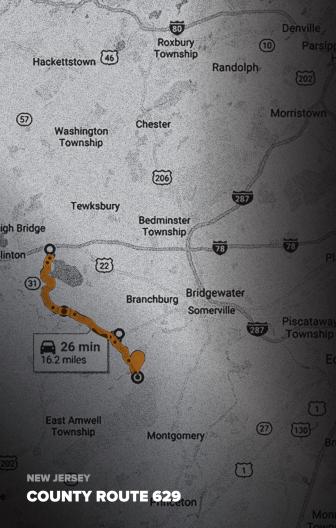
Route 8 starts near the Pennsylvania boarder in Deposit and continues for 200 miles, north to Hague, NY on Lake George. Recently repaired, Route 8 climbs up and down the rolling hills of NY and into the Adirondack mountains, where the State-maintained roads are better than rolling sections of most race tracks.



#### **CATSKILL MOUNTAIN REGION**

#### STATE ROUTE 51, NY

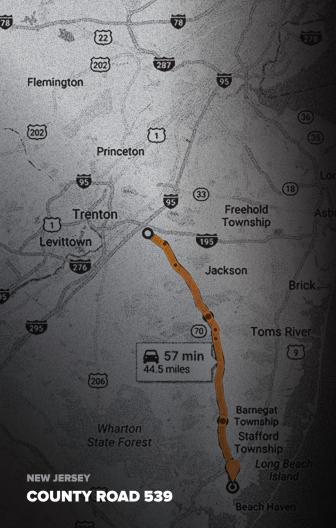
It might be a bit of a distance from CCC, but if you find yourself in central NY, make your way over to Route 51. It's 29 miles, running from Ilion to Burlington. Locals call it the Mini Dragon's Tail. Speedy sweepers and elevation changes hunker down into a few tighter corners. The road is rarely traveled, so prepare to have it all to yourself.



**NEW JERSEY** 

### COUNTY ROUTE 629

Start at the north end near Round Valley Reservoir for the best bits of curvy, swooping corners and continue south for another 17 miles. Keep it collected through the blind corners and all will go well.



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#### COUNTY ROAD 539

R539 starts just south of Trenton and continues for 45 miles, leaving you at the shore in Tuckerton. This route is more scenic than sporty, providing a pleasant romp through the Jersey Pine Barons and ending at the Atlantic Ocean. Jump in a drop top, classic cruiser and watch out for the Jersey Devil.

