

# NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2022

## TESLA OWNERS CLUB NEW ENGLAND

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Welcome to our second monthly Newsletter of the Tesla Owners Club New England, with our upcoming and recent events and supercharger updates.

Any suggestions? Contact us at [OurTeslaClub@gmail.com](mailto:OurTeslaClub@gmail.com)

We have begun to post Tesla and New England EV-related news under "News" on our website: <https://www.teslaownersnewengland.club>

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### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### TESLA OWNERS CLUB NEW ENGLAND WINDOW CLINGS

Do you want a free window cling for your Tesla? Join us in person at any of our events!

#### SUPERCHARGER GRAND OPENING WITH CHARGE AND CHAT, BURLINGTON MA

**When:** Saturday August 13th, 2022, from 9:00 am – 11:00 am

**Where:** Burlington Mall, 77 Middlesex Turnpike, Burlington, MA 01803

The Burlington, MA Tesla Supercharger located at the Burlington Mall is now open! Come and join us and meet other Tesla owners and representatives from Burlington's own Q Car Care and Boston's Pawsh Dog Boutique. Q Car Care will provide refreshments and two company cars to see their work, and will be available to answer all your car detailing questions. Pawsh will be there featuring their Tesla/SpaceX themed dog plug toys – a cybertruck and a starship. With over 20 cars registered and growing, this should be our largest opening event yet!

Please RSVP and Register: <http://evite.me/FPHYWmNN3X>

#### LAPS FOR CHARITY SPEEDWAY CHILDREN'S CHARITIES

**When:** Friday August 19th, 2022, from 5:00 pm – 7:30 pm

**Where:** New Hampshire Motor Speedway, 1122 Route 106 North Loudon, NH 03307

If you've not done this event, you don't know what you are missing! We choose to go last, and we usually get a few extras by being last. NHMS loves our Teslas. Laps for Charity is your chance to drive your Tesla on one of New Hampshire Motor Speedway's racing surfaces while supporting children in need throughout New England. The track will be setup as the NASCAR Oval for this date.

**\$40:** Three group laps in your own vehicle and a photo in victory lane.

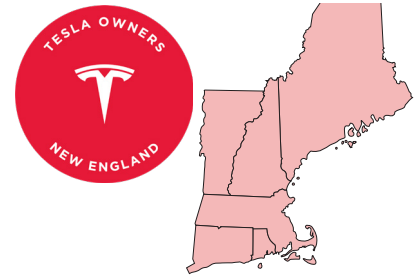
**\$100:** A VIP session where your Tesla is the only vehicle on the course during your five laps, and a photo in victory lane.

Please RSVP and Register with TOCNE: <http://evite.me/KvK2Vhgzy6>

Please also register with Speedway Children's Charities:

<https://www.speedwaycharities.org/events/new-hampshire/laps-for-charity/registration/>

Additional questions? Contact Danielle Cyr: [DCyr@NHMS.com](mailto:DCyr@NHMS.com)



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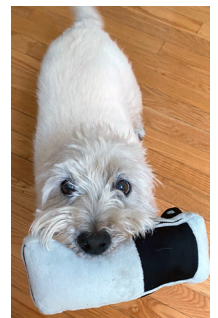
TOCNE window cling

Burlington Supercharger

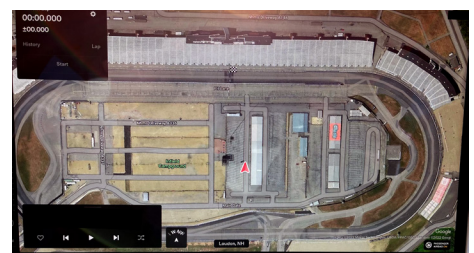


Cybertruck plush toy from Pawsh.

Modelled here by Wesley



NHMS Loudon track on the center console of an S Plaid.



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## CHARGE AND CHAT SPECIAL EDITION, RI

**When:** Saturday September 10th, 2022, from 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Where:** TBD, a Neon Marketplace in Rhode Island.

Save the date. Details will be posted when the event is finalized.

## MASSTUNING TRACKFEST ELECTRIC DAY – AN EV-ONLY TRACK DAY ON THE EAST COAST

**When:** Sunday September 25th, 2022, from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Where:** 18 Orange Road Canaan, NH 03741

This event is being held by MassTuning in Canaan NH, and it is for EVs only.

"A day of educational, high-performance driving with a focus on safety and fun on a legal road course for electric vehicles only! There are L2 chargers on site. This track day is open to all including novices in regular street cars. Registered drivers will have plenty of time to recharge with two 3hr open track sessions for 6 hours of available seat time". Video from the first ever East Coast EV-only event at Canaan Motorsports in 2021 can be seen here:

<https://www.facebook.com/1369800121/videos/809245633292699/>

Rental helmets are available on site.

The nearest Tesla Supercharger is in West Lebanon NH (19 miles / 34 minutes).

YOU MUST REGISTER WITH MassTuning (this is their event)

<https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/masstuning-trackfest-sep-25-2022-electricday-canaan-motor-club-628098>

An Evite from TOCNE will be sent at a later date.



Teslas at Seekonk RI



First MassTuning TrackFest for EVs, 2021

## HEBERT CANDY MANSION EVENT

**When:** Saturday October 1st, 2022, from 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Where:** Hebert Candy Mansion, 574 Hartford Turnpike, Shrewsbury, MA 01545

This is an event run by the Tesla Motor Club (TMC). All EVs are welcome. There will be more than 70 vehicles, and some will be available for test drive and rides. A raffle for a ride in the Model S PLAID will be announced. Candy Mansion sells ice cream, fudge, chocolate and more! Pizza will be served late afternoon.

An Evite from TOCNE will be sent at a later date.

## MT. WASHINGTON AUTO ROAD DRIVE

**When:** Saturday October 8th, 2022, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Where:** 1 Mount Washington Auto Road, Gorham, NH 03581

This popular drive is now an annual event. Plan to arrive at the Lincoln, NH Supercharger at 9:00 am to leave for the Mount Washington Auto Road at 10:00 am. We will arrive at Mount Washington Auto Road at 12:15 pm. Return from the summit will be ~ 2:00 pm. Bring food. A link to an Android/Apple app that provides a navigated tour can be found on:

<https://mt-washington.com>

\$45 for car & driver, \$20 for each additional adult, \$9 each child 5-12 years old (under 5 years old is free)

An Evite from TOCNE will be sent at a later date.

## CHARGE & CHAT - PALMER, MA

**When:** Sunday 16th October, 2022, 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

**Where:** 1178 Thorndike St, Palmer, MA

This event is being scheduled at the anticipated site of a new Tesla Supercharger to be built in the parking lot of the Ocean State Job Lot and Big Y Supermarket. This event location is subject to change in the event of delayed completion of this supercharger.

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## NEW ENGLAND SUPERCHARGER NEWS (08-07-22) - John Harris

Tesla continues to expand its Supercharger charging network at an incredible pace.

Saturday July 23rd, 2022, a blistering near-100-degree morning, our club held an opening welcome event for the Hanover, MA supercharger. We had over fifteen cars brave the heat and Cape-bound traffic to join us for chat and refreshments courtesy of the local Chic-fil-A and our own Bev Jones.



The **Burlington, MA supercharger** opened on Thursday 7/28, eight long months after initial groundbreaking last November. We are excited to host a grand opening meet-up there on Saturday August 13th from 9am-11am (see above).

**Construction News.** The **Tyngsborough, MA** superchargers are (still) nearly done, awaiting utility hookup. Word is they could be open any day now. The **Gloucester, MA** supercharger construction appears to be complete a bit faster than expected. With the transformer now on site we hope to see it open very soon. Tesla's new prefabricated supercharger construction technique is being used in **East Templeton, MA**. Ground breaking occurred the last few days of July, and site completion possible by the first half of August. For our northern members the **West Lebanon, NH** expansion is nearly done, adding 8 new v3 stalls to increase capacity and cover peak holiday demand along the I-89 corridor. What we thought would be a short v2-only site disruption turned into a multi week shutdown to accommodate significant trenching, rewiring and transformer replacement. The good news is it's nearly done and should be up soon. Also under construction are **St Johnsbury, VT** and **Waterville, ME**.

**Future Directions.** Many new locations have recently been permitted, clearing the way for new supercharger construction in the months ahead! Without a doubt the biggest permit found this past month was for **Danvers, MA**. It's site plan includes a reference to both v3 and an alternative option that, although not named, is likely new v4 supercharger technology. This discovery took the Tesla social media world by storm within hours of being posted to Twitter as it was the first site plan found that includes a reference to the next generation superchargers. This one will be closely watched for sure. In central MA the **Sturbridge** and **Palmer** permits were found, adding more charging options along the Mass Turnpike. The **Neon Marketplace** convenience store chain continues its rapid expansion, with a **Quincy, MA** store already under construction with future superchargers planned, and two additional locations in various stages of permitting presumably with supercharging in western MA that we hope to be able to share soon. The **Common Man Roadside** has **Epsom** and **Portsmouth NH** in permitting that both include supercharger installation in their future. The Common Man Roadside currently operates the **I-93 Hookset NB/SB** locations already.

**Recent updates to the network in the New England area.** For the latest information on open, under construction and permitted supercharger locations you can go to <https://supercharge.info/> (not affiliated with Tesla). This site is constantly updated using crowd-sourced information from the Tesla owners community.

The Tesla official map can also be found at <https://www.tesla.com/findus>

### Recently Opened:

- Burlington, MA (7/28)
- Hanover, MA (7/01)
- Meredith, NH (6/30)

### Under Construction:

- East Templeton, MA (7/31)
- St Johnsbury, VT (7/10)
- Waterville, ME (7/09)
- Tyngsborough, MA (4/21)
- Gloucester, MA (6/07)
- West Lebanon, NH expansion (6/23)
- New Haven, CT (1/14)
- Rocky Hill, CT (4/11)

### Recently Permitted or Pre-Permit:

- Portsmouth, NH (7/29)
- Epsom, NH (7/29)
- Thornton, NH (7/21)
- Quincy, MA (7/18)
- Danvers, MA (7/13)
- Palmer, MA (7/13)
- Sturbridge, MA (6/24)

Prefabricated supercharger construction at Templeton MA





## RECENT EVENTS:

### CHARGE AND CHAT

Saturday July 9th, 2022, Tesla Supercharger in **Concord, NH**, 11 Merchants Way, Concord, NH 03303. A popular event!. TOCNE leader Mark Gabryjelski took both his Starlink and his Modern Spare



*Teslas in the parking lot. Mark with his Starlink and Modern Spare spare wheel and tire.*



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Thursday July 14th, 2022, **New Hampshire Motor Speedway**, 1122 Route 106 North Loudon, NH 03307. Two of our Club Members (David Connaughton and Daniel Bono) photographed with their Teslas in victory lane.



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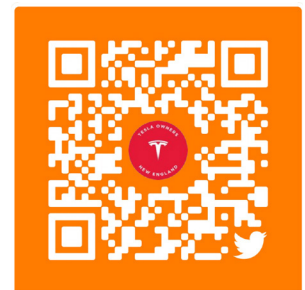
### LARS ANDERSON MUSEUM LAWN EVENTS - THE AMERICAN CAR AND TRUCK SHOW

Sunday July 24th, 2022, **Larz Anderson Auto Museum**, 15 Newton St. Brookline, MA. A celebration of the American Car and Truck. Club members John Harris, Bev Jones and Emma Turney entered their three Teslas. Also there were two new Rivian trucks.

*Three Teslas - an S Plaid and two Model 3s.*



*Two Rivian Trucks*



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