



WEATHER TODAY Partly cloudy, no rain expected.
Hi: 15°C Lo: 4°C Wind SE 3 m/s.



A beach party and some dark experiences



This will be the day of action. After the breakfast we start building up the arrangement for the traditional *Tannis beach picture*. You all are invited to the

beach to see the activity and shoot your own personal memory of the Tannistest 2015.

We also need some help to move the cars to the beach. The keys will be delivered to volunteers at 9.00 a.m. at the hotel. If everything goes as planned we are ready to continue normal testing after two hours.

After the dinner there is a possibility to test the cars in the dark of the night. As you know the head lights have gained a lot of intelligence during last years. This is

the reason, why driving in the dark is a very important part of Tannistest. If needed, the night drive session lasts until 11 p.m.

This is also a very special day because today we have here all the 16 jury members who have registered themselves to the event. However, I have to admit that **Peter Ruch** of Switzerland leaves us at noon while **Stratis Chatzipanagiotou** of Greece arrives in the evening. So, everyone is not present exactly at the same time but anyway during the same day.

And then, finally, a humble hope: when you take a car for testing or for service or for any purpose, leave onto the key board your name tag or another proper tag. So, we organizers know where the cars are.

Martti Merilinna

COTY jurors in Tannistest 2015

Jan-Erik Berggren, Sweden
Stratis Chatzipanagiotou, Greece
Zsolt Csikos, Hungary
Jiri Duchon, Czech Republic
Velimatti Honkanen, Finland
Rune Korsvoll, Norway
Håkan Matson, Sweden
Michael McAleer, Ireland
Vadim Ovsiankin, Russia
Sebastjan Plevnjak, Slovenia
Mikhail Podorozhanskiy, Russia
Søren W. Rasmussen, Denmark
Peter Ruch, Switzerland
Tommy Wahlström, Sweden
Gert Wisse, The Netherlands
Maciej Ziemek, Poland

The Mirai bar is open!

A discussion about the emissions from the Fuel Cell driven *Toyota Mirai* ended last night in a funny test, where **Karsten Lemche** (DK) showed to **Mikhail Podorozhanskiy** (RUS) how to collect a glass of water from the exhaust pipe of the Mirai. According to Mikhail the water from the Mirai bar was drinkable but not as tasty as the drinks of the Tannis bar.

Karsten tapped a glas of Miraiwater and served it to Mikhail



Today´s program:

07.00 – 09.00 Breakfast
 09.00 – 12.00 Beach photo
 08.00 - 16.00 Free testing (limited number of test cars)
 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch
 19.30 – Dinner, menu:
 Starter: Serrano ham
 Main course: Salmon and halibut
 Dessert: Mazarin apple tart served with chantilly cream
 20.00 - 23.00 Night driving



ZSOLT CSIKÓS

Born: December 4 1966 in Budapest.

Lives: In Budapest.

Family: Married, two sons, Bálint, 12, and Norbert, 10.

Working for: Just click on totalcar.hu. I'm still the only Car of the Year jury member who's working for an internet-only magazine as a primary occupation.

Journalist life: Started at two automotive magazines owned by Motor-Press Stuttgart, called Autópiac and Autó Magazin in 1994. In 2001 I became the deputy editor of a classic car magazine d Veterán Autó és Motor. In 2006 I left the printed business for Totalcar.hu, a mag that started in 2001 and of which I had been a contributing journalist to from its early days. I still work for two classic car magazines: Veterán Autó és Motor and Youngtimer.

Motoring journalist since: April 1st, 1994, Fools' Day.

Private cars: Mercedes-Benz 220 D (1973) - parks in the street, brings the kids to school, takes us abroad. Mercedes-Benz 200 D (1972) - my father bought it new, I bought it back after 26 years and restored it. Autobianchi Bianchina Panoramica (1965) - restored it myself, took my family to Rome last year in it. Steyr-Puch 500 (1957) - bought it in 2002, but it's still just a restored body and a few boxes of new bits. A 4-stroke Honda scooter for riding to work (summer and winter) to make up for the environmental impact of the above.

Jurors in Tannis

Every year jurors from all over Europe come to the Tannistest, but what do You know about them?

Last year in the *Tannistest Today* You met the six Nordic jurors. This year You will get to know six of the jurors from some other countries, today the hungarian juror **Zsolt Csikós** .

Best car driven: The new Porsche 911. A Ferrari might be more exciting, a McLaren more technical, the Tesla has a bigger surprise and versatility factor, but the 911 has all the right elements in the right doses.

Worst car driven: The Oka, made by the Russian Kamaz, with the size of a Suzuki Alto and half the engine of a Lada. And the Dacia Supernova, the Tavria Cabriolet, too. It must be something from that an ex-Comecon country.

Years in Tannis: This is my fourth.

Best of Tannis: I sincerely loved all of them, all were as good as going on a holiday with my family.

Coming back next year?: For sure.

Importance of Coty: I'm one of the guys who was selected for having objections about the decision-making process of Coty as an outsider. It was the first Tannistest that made me start believing that this long-standing and all that's connected to it, can take this profession to a higher level than the others.

Your car of the Year 2016: I'll know it exactly two hours before the deadline. I can be autistic to the point of unbearability when it comes to making major decisions.

My favourite for Car of the Year 2016: Through my emotions it's the new Mazda MX-5. But I haven't used my head yet...

Interviews on Tuesday 6 Oct at 4 pm

BMW and Mini	Skoda
Jaguar and Land Rover	Subaru
Opel	Suzuki
Renault	Volvo

Interviews on Wednesday 7 Oct at 4 pm

Audi	Kia
Ford	Mazda
Honda	Mercedes-Benz
Hyundai	Toyota
	Volkswagen