



Healey Hi-Lites

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August 2011



Mark Troutman 2011

Scott Willis' mashed Healey looking good in Bowling Green

The Bluegrass Club Meeting Location has moved again! Prospect was great but a little too far East for some people to travel so we are on the move to a new Bristol location on Hurstbourne Parkway not far from Shelbyville Road. A great central location with a fine restaurant that offers something for everyone!

Join us this Tuesday for a meeting at the

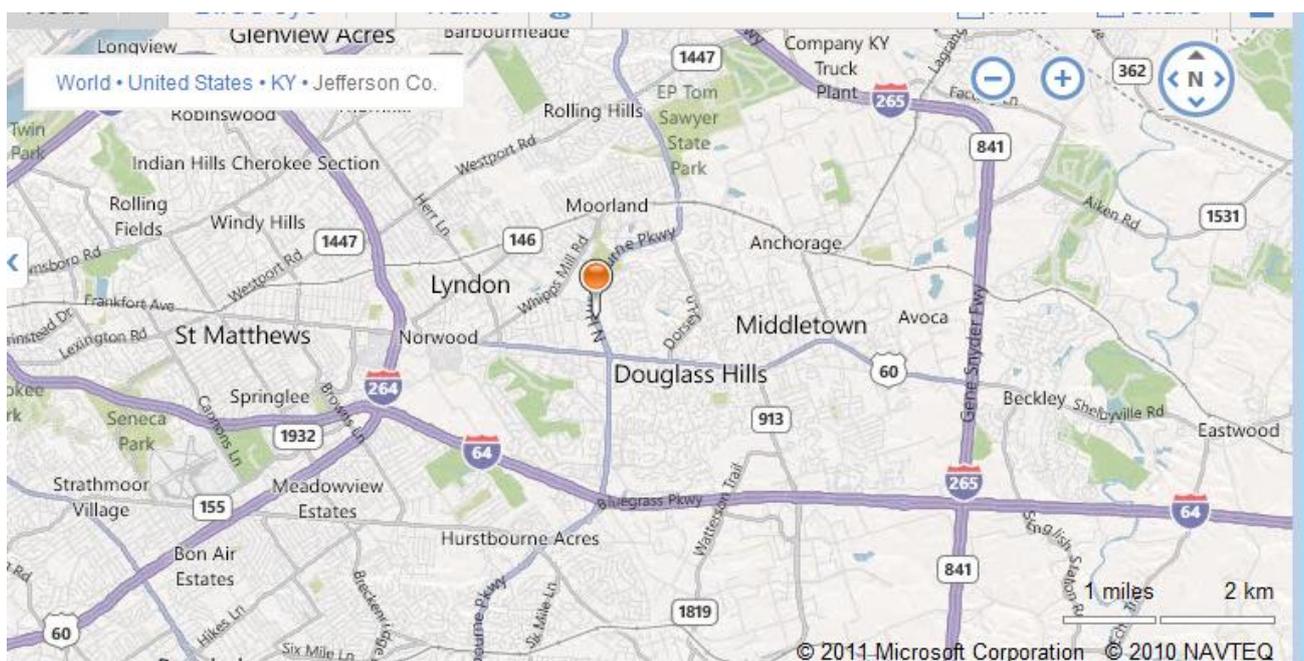
The Bristol East

300 North Hurstbourne Parkway
Louisville, KY 40220
502.426.0627

We will be in a section on the left side of the building (not on the patio) so who ever gets there first establish a parking area in view of the windows on the left

Tuesday August 23 at 7 PM

www.bristolbarandgrille.com/



Prez Sez
By: Ben Moore



Each fall seems to present so many great Healey drive and weekend options that it's hard to decide which ones to attend. I've decided to make the decision easier for myself this year, I'm going to do my best to attend them all! It's a rare occasion when many of our favorite events don't conflict with each other so I'm hoping you'll join me this fall for all the fun and adventure.

The Big Three

Up first is the September Roundup! This newly formed event combines some of our favorite host Clubs and is stationed in Piqua, Ohio this year. The Miami Valley (Dayton) Club takes the reigns of this great fall weekend that is sure to pack plenty of punch into a few days. I know many of us are planning on making the short drive to Piqua, about three hours, and I hope you'll join us. The event costs are extremely reasonable and the company at this event is incredible. We'll chat about more details at our upcoming meeting.

Another mid-fall event is the Put-in-Bay event with the Southeast Michigan Chapter. Now, we know these guys know how to party, see the "Grill badge bar" for evidence. They have also been great supporters of our SpringThing every year. I know some of our group is planning on making the quick run up to this amazing island adventure. I unfortunately won't be able to attend due to work conflicts, but once I retire I'll be ready to roll.

Finally, the Atlanta chapter hosts Southeastern Classic. The favorite draws crowds from, you guessed it, the southeast and beyond! This is always a highlight on the Healey calendar and the event enjoys a great reputation for fun and value. This year, hosted in northeast Alabama, the Atlanta Club takes us to Lake Guntersville State Park, an exclusive and highly sought after resort park that promises great fall foliage tours. Be sure to sign up soon as rooms are going fast.

The Rest of the Story

Bill Wilding and his events crew continue to provide great day excursions for our membership. These drives and outings have something for everyone. If you're unable to attend the monthly meetings these are great weekend events that are fun for the whole family and usually include some of the most amazing backroads and food you've ever experienced. I want to extend a huge thanks to Bill and his crew for all their hard work this year. I hope you'll join me in thanking them with your support and attendance at these events.

Our Conclave

It's coming! We have less than one year until the big dance and there's still a lot of work to do. But, let's celebrate the work that's been accomplished first. Many of the big decisions and issues have been dealt with; our hotel has been selected, venues secured and a tentative schedule developed. Our registration continues to be ahead of pace for this time of year and the attention our website is getting is very exciting. If the hits to our site are any indication of the success of our event we should be very pleased!

In order to update you all on our great success, what's left to do and some special sneak-peeks I invite you to join us for the September monthly meeting at the Crowne Plaza. We have special reservations at the Blue Horse Café at the Crowne where we will dine and chat and then explore the hotel and event structure. This is a great way to hear and see for yourself all the great work that's been accomplished and how you can be a part of it.

As always, let's remember how fortunate we are to be in such amazing company with our Club. I am reminded every day how much we take care of one another and support each other whether cars are involved or not. It's something to be proud of and something we should want to preserve for ourselves and future members. I hope you'll join me for all the fun and adventure this fall at our meetings and events.

See you on the road!
Ben



September Club meeting - thanks to Linda Moore for her suggestion and Bill Wilding's work to make it happen, we will have our September monthly Club meeting at the Blue Horse Cafe at the Crowne Plaza. Join us to tour the renovated hotel and to do a large overview and rundown of our planning progress. .



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Healey 3000 -
\$30000
(Memphis, Indiana)**



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done in 1991 garage
kept heated garage For
more info call Bud 502-
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Bugeye For Sale

**Complete nut and bolt custom
restoration:
Newly rebuilt 1275 with head-
ers and down draft Weber carb
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Alloy wheels (minilite style)
Power brake booster
Front disc brakes
Crossflow radiator with elec-
tric fan
New white top with zip out rear
window
New sidescreens
New black interior with white
piping
Modern wiring harness with
relays
Alternator
Original tachometer converted
to electric.
H4 headlights
New grill.
Recent professional body res-
toration (paint is near perfect
on the underside as well as
top)**



**Car is located in Louisville, KY. Contact Estefana Strader
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Events Calendar



Healey Events 2011

Items without dates are awaiting final date determination

August

24 Monthly Meeting
Indianapolis British Car Show

September

British Car Festival. Chicago
16-18 September Round-up
17 Sir Brit Car Show, Newburgh IN
Drive - Late Lunch West Baden, IN
27 Monthly Meeting
30-2 Fall Wind-up

October

1 Louisville Concours
15 Fall Tech Session
20 – 23 South East Classic – North Alabama
Corydon Car show
25 Monthly Meeting

November

11-13 Delegates Meeting—Louisville
12 Gasoline Engine Collection
22 Monthly Meeting

December

6 Christmas Party

The fourth Friday is the day of the castle cruise. The cruise is sponsored by Valor Traditional Academy which is on the east side of Bardstown south of the Gene Snyder. Admission is free . You will see several hundred cars in all shapes and sizes; Plan on arriving anytime between 5:30 and seven. Valor serves great burgers and other goodies at a very reasonable price.

Saturday, August 27th- British Motor Days

The 23rd annual British car show will be at a new and exciting venue - the Lions Park in Zionsville, Indiana, just northwest of Indianapolis. The site is only a block from historic downtown Zionsville, with its many antique shops, galleries, and specialty stores - so there's a lot to do and see. This year we will feature the Jaguar XKE. \$15 per car pre-registered, \$20 at the gate show day. Registration and more info available at www.ibcu.org.

Cars and Coffee

Is held on the second Saturday at Java Brewing in Prospect from 9-11am. It's always been a good turn-out with many different auto-makers and vintages. So fire up the British Car - get your morning coffee there, check out the cars and meet some new people. Normally 100+ cars. It's on US 42 in Prospect just past the Dairy Queen, you can't miss it.

Oct. 7-8, 2011, Nashville British Car Club

Show at Nashville's acclaimed Centennial Park and Parthenon. Friday evening reception party for Saturday show participants. Show open to the public for viewing beautiful cars in beautiful surroundings and visiting the Parthenon. Pre-register to save money, to establish car classes and qualify for a unique door prize. Featured car is the Jaguar E-Type. Get complete info at www.nashvillebritishcarclub.org. Mike Long 615-790-2169, mike.long@nashvillebritishcarclub.org .

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Have you been searching for a polo shirt that matches the color of your car? Have you wanted a new hat to keep you safe from the sun? Ladies, are you looking for that perfect carry-all bag with the Club logo? Here's a new opportunity for you to show your team colors!

Lands' End Business Outfitters now has the Bluegrass AHC logo on hand to stitch onto any item on their Business Outfitters website. This site is full of great apparel and gift ideas. You can order online or call the 800 number and a representative will be happy to assist you. You can also sign up to receive emails about special promotions and catalogs to your home

It's time to stock up on all things Bluegrass Club.

When ordering enter Customer Number: 4626404

Logo Number: 1021629W





Southeastern Classic XXV

October 20 -October 23, 2011

The Atlanta Chapter of the Austin Healey Club of America would like for you to join us at Lake Guntersville, AL as we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the SE Classic.

Just imagine - Driving your Healey around northern Alabama, relaxing with friends and taking in the beautiful fall colors surrounding Lake Guntersville. Please bring pictures of past SE Classic events you have attended as we celebrate a reunion with our Healey friends. Boards will be set up from each Classic so you can post your pictures to share.



You are sure to enjoy magnificent sunsets and wonderful fall colors via the Lodge's large overlook.

Lake Guntersville State Park is located along the banks of the Tennessee River in NE Alabama. The park overlooks the majestic 69,000-acre **Guntersville Reservoir**, and ranges over more than 6,000 acres of natural woodlands. The park has an 18-hole championship golf course, a beach complex, fishing center, hiking trails, nature programs and a day-use area. A resort lodge on the pinnacle of Taylor Mountain and chalets on the ridge-tops provide overnight accommodations beyond comparison. For more details visit their website at: www.guntersvillestatepark.com.

As always there will be a full schedule of activities to participate in as well as some free time to relax with friends or to take advantage of the great country roads on your own. Plans are to hold the car show at the Lake's Beach Area Sat. am. Followed by the Gymkhana and Funkhana. A winding roads Rallye is scheduled for Fri. morning.

Be sure to mark your calendars and make your plans to attend. The registration fee is only \$65.00 when registering by Aug 1st, 2011. The fee is \$75 after August 1st. So don't delay. Registration forms can be downloaded by accessing the Atlanta Club's website at www.atlantahealeys.org. Debbie Harrington and Sander Slomovic are handling registration for the event. For questions, their contact email is dhandss@gmail.com. Or contact cjmoshell@aol.com or smoshell@aol.com. Look forward to see you in the Fall 2011.

Sheron and Charlie Moshell - Event Chairpersons



Southeastern Classic XXV 25th Anniversary

LAKE GUNTERSVILLE STATE PARK RESORT
Guntersville, AL
OCT 20 - OCT 23, 2011

Name:	Spouse/Guest:
Address:	Phone:
EMAIL:	Additional Adults or Children:

All Cars Must Be Registered To Participate !

(Registration includes one car, 2 adults, children (under 16) plus event participation)

1st Healey (postmarked <u>before</u> Aug 1st, 2011)	_____	@ \$75.00	_____
1st Healey (postmarked <u>after</u> Aug 1st, 2011)	_____	@ \$85.00	_____
Number of Additional Healeys	_____	@ \$10.00	_____
Number of Additional Adults (over 18)	_____	@ \$25.00	_____
Friday Night Barbeque	_____	@ \$18.00	_____
Awards Banquet	_____	@ \$28.50	_____
Trailer Parking	_____	@ \$20.00	_____
		Total	\$ _____

Please enter the number of cars participating in each category for the Popular Car Show and/or Driving Events

100-4 M,S	_____
100-6 BN4, BN6	_____
3000 Mk1 BT7 & BN7	_____
3000 Mk2 BT7 & BN7	_____
3000 Mk2 BJ7	_____
3000 Mk3 BJ8	_____
Sprite Mk 1 Bugeye	_____
Sprite Mk 2,3,4	_____
Jensen Healey	_____
Modified Healey	_____
Diamond in the Rough	_____

Please enter the number participating or the number of items in each of the following events.

Gymkhana	_____
Funkhana	_____
Fun Rallye	_____
Photos	_____
Models	_____
Crafts	_____

An event registration number is required to book reservations at the Lake Guntersville Resort. Room rates vary from \$94-\$175. All rooms must be booked by 9/20/2011.

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Mail to: Debbie Harrington
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Received: Check # _____ Date _____ Registration # _____