

THE RESONATOR

Official Newsletter of the Austin-Healey Club of Southern Ontario



"Prez Sez"

HAD ENOUGH YET?

I see by the calendar that it is, in fact, spring. I don't think anybody has told the weather man though and we continue with this seemingly never ending winter. But, the days are getting longer, the snowbanks are getting lower and the sun is getting warmer (when we can see it!). I even heard my Healey waking up, or at least that's my story and I'm sticking to it.

Unfortunately Pub Night in March had to be cancelled because of a snowstorm and in the "more years than I care to remember" this has to be a first and hopefully a not to be repeated occurrence.

But now April is here and that means Ancaster British Car Flea Market time. Ed is still short some volunteers for help on the day, April 20th, so please, if you haven't signed up to help yet, do so, A.S.A.P! Ed can be reached at edkesik@gmail.com or 905 854 1483. I don't have to remind you that this event is the only fund raiser our club has and the funds raised on this day keep our Club solvent and the dues at a reasonable level.

Once Ancaster is over, we can usually look forward to some springtime driving and I don't want to believe that this year will be any different. Of course this is just a primer for the summer and fall driving activities. Several events are planned throughout the year, so check the Club Website www.ahcso.com for all the activity. Quite a large group are heading to Conclave at Homestead Virginia, June 15th- 18th and this promises to be another outstanding event at a beautiful location. Why not join us? Laurie has other events planned throughout the driving season, so pencil in one or two and who knows, you might even have FUN.

As always at this time of year, I am sure we are all getting excited about that 'first drive of the season' but before you head out onto the road please make sure that your car is safe, reliable and ready for a season of driving enjoyment.

Drive your Healey. They like it and you will too!

Bob Yule

View From the Navigator's Seat

Well folks down here in the so-called 'Banana Belt' (my eye!!) Mother Nature took her sweet time to finally decide that Winter needed to end! Good riddance!! Hope we don't get one like that next winter!!!

We will all pray for sunshine for our big day on April 20th! ANCASTER FLEA MARKET - Our great FM guru Ed Kesik is all ready to go - please check page 3 as he needs a few more volunteers to round out his roster.

Our second Healey - a beautiful dark green gem is back home in the Healey Barn with her gleaming new coat and I personally cannot wait to see her ready for her first time on the road very soon. The tan interior done by Geoff Chrysler (Rightway Heritage Trimming) is just fabulous - and we are so sorry that we are losing Geoff to the West Coast again - our loss and their gain, where he will apply his expertise there.

Happy Trails Geoff, I'm sure you will do well in BC.
See you all in Ancaster!!!

APRIL 2014

Inside

- Prez SezPg 1
- View From The
Navigator's SeatPg 1
- Flea Market Pg 2-3
- Conclave Pg 4
- Head & Block Tech Session .. Pg 5
- AdvertisersPg 6-7
- News & Information Pg 8
- In The Rearview Mirror Pg 9
- 2014 Ececutive Pg 10
- Phil's Car Pg 11
- Healey Smile Pg 11
- Calendar of Events Pg 12

Visit our web site
www.ahcso.com

33rd Annual

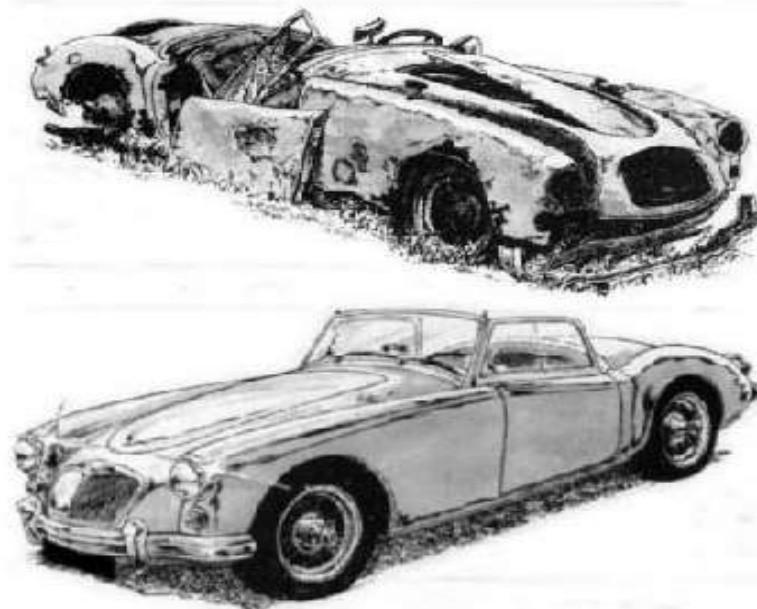


Sunday April 20, 2014

[Public Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.]

[2nd Last Sunday in April]

ANCASTER



British Car Flea Market & Car Show

ABC-FM Website: www.ancasterbritish.ca

Location:

630 Trinity Road, Ancaster ON L9R 1R0
Exit#55 on 403 at Hwy 52/Trinity
to Hwy 2/53/Wilson St.

Coordinates:

N - 43 degrees 11.242 min
W - 80 degrees 2.402 min

General & Vendor

Information: ancaster.flea.market@gmail.com

Admission:

Adults \$7.00
Youth under 18 Free

Hours-Public

9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Vendors:

Host Club Members \$30.00
Others \$35.00

Hours-Vendors

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Host Clubs:

British Sports Car Club-Hamilton

www.bsccweb.com

Austin Healey Club Southern Ontario

www.ahcso.com

URGENT: VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FLEA MARKET

Thank you to the club members that have volunteered in contributing their time for the 2014 Ancaster British Car Flea Market.

There are several positions that are vacant and need to be filled for the flea market to be successful. If you have not volunteered please consider signing up for a two hour shift.

As most of you are aware, this is our only fund raiser for the club. Funds derived from hosting this event enables the club to put on the social events that everyone enjoys. Most importantly, the funds significantly subsidize our operating costs, allowing us to keep the membership fees at the current level.

If you are new to the club or have not volunteered before, we would welcome your participation in joining us in making the 2014 Ancaster Flea Market a success. To volunteer and/or find out what positions are still available, please contact Ed Kesik at ekesik@gmail.com or telephone at:905.854.1483

Ed Kesik
Chairman, 2014Ancaster British Car Flea Market



Campbell Clan in the Kitchen



Autofarm - Marritt Hall

CONCLAVE VIRGINIA 2014

This year Conclave is a short drive away in Homestead Virginia so if you haven't registered for this great event you still have time to do so. As you can see below Laurie Wilford has put together a Post-Conclave Tour.

There are eight couples travelling together so far for this trip. If you would like to join us please contact Laurie as soon as possible.

POST-CONCLAVE 2014 TOUR

At least 12 AHSCO cars are registered for Conclave Hot Springs, Virginia. We are planning on leaving the morning of Saturday June 14th for the 750 kilometer drive from Niagara Falls. If you would like to join us we are meeting at the Duty Free in Fort Erie at 11:00.

We are planning to drive most of the way on US219. This is a nice secondary highway we have travelled a number of times before. We will stay on it all the way from Buffalo to West Virginia and then move East to US220 right into Hot Springs.

We are planning to stay Saturday night at Comfort Inn Johnstown, PA; 400 kilometer drive from Niagara.

Sunday we would drive the remaining 350 kilometers to Hot Springs, arriving at Conclave around 2:00 PM.

Conclave in Hot Springs is the normal 5 night stay from Sunday through Thursday.

Friday June 20 we head South and spend 2 -3 hours at New River Gorge

<http://www.nps.gov/neri/index.html>

Friday night we are at Quality Inn in Abington VA

Saturday we drive along the Blue Ridge Parkway and visit Natural Bridge

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Natural_Bridge_\(Virginia\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Natural_Bridge_(Virginia))

Saturday night June 21 at Comfort Inn Harrisonburg, VA

Sunday June 22 drive through George Washington Forest and visit Seneca Rocks WVA

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Seneca_Rocks,_West_Virginia

Then we drive through the Monongahela National Forest and visit the Johnston Flood Museum.

Sunday night June 23 we are back at Comfort Inn, Johnstown VA.

Monday we follow US 219 for the drive home. This will be an easy 2,700 kilometer trip. Just enough to get the cobwebs out of your Healey!

If you would like to join us, drop me a line at healey3000@sympatico.ca

HEAD & BLOCK TECH SESSION



Machining Operations as related to cylinder head and engine rebuilding

Including : degreasing, flywheel grinding, boring & honing, resurfacing, engine balancing, valve & seat grinding, valve guide replacing, valve seat replacing, valve spring pressure checking, cylinder head pressure testing, crankshaft polishing, connecting rod resizing, align honing, magna-fluxing, R & R pistons on rods, engine run in.

As you can see there is a lot of topics we could cover, and we will try either by practical or verbal discussion.

The Date: May 24/2014

The Time: 10:00 a.m.

Lunch will be at: The Express Restaurant

349 Grays Road in Stoney Creek

905-560-1475 www.expressrestaurant.com



Paul Jeffery
Manager

See Over for Services

1028 Upper Wellington St.
Hamilton, ON L9A 3S3

Tel: **905-388-3434**
Fax: **905-388-3437**



HEAD & BLOCK SPECIALTY

503 ARVIN AVENUE
STONEY CREEK, ONTARIO L8E 2N1
PHONE 905-664 -1600, 905-528-8651
OR 1-888-654 -8445

— A Division of 400355 Ontario limited —

- Quality Service Since 1972
- Cylinder Head Reconditioning
- Block Machining
- Partial Or Complete Engine Rebuilding (Domestic & Imports)
- Crankshaft Grinding
- Flywheels Machined
- Custom Welding & Fabricating
- Align Honing
- Dynamic Engine Balancing
- Rebuilt Engines Are Tested For Compression & Oil Pressure In Engine Run-in Stand
- Full Line of Engine Parts & Gaskets:
 - * Domestic & Import
 - * Performance & Marine
 - * Industrial & Agricultural
 - * Small Engine & Power Sport
- Crack & Thread Repairs
- Degreasing & Glass Beading

Proud Member of E.R.I. & A.E.R.A.
WWW.HEADANDBLOCKSPECIALTY.COM



Meric (Tony) Rhoden

AUTOMOTIVE
CUSTOM
ELECTROPLATING

Shop 519-963-0330
Cell 519-851-7137
Fax 519-963-0393

midwayplating@gmail.com
www.midwayplating.ca

SHOP ADDRESS:

5404 COLONEL TALBOT RD, UNIT 2, LONDON, ONTARIO N6P 1H9

To advertise email Anna Orr
healeygal@cogeco.ca

Austin Healey
Autofarm Ltd.

**NORTH AMERICAN
DISTRIBUTOR FOR**

A Head Healeys

WWW.AUTOFARM.NET
519-356-2427
BOB@AUTOFARM.NET

RATES*

Full Page - \$400

1/2 Page - \$210

1/4 Page - \$105

Business Card - \$45

*per year
(6 issues)

Rightway Heritage Trimming

- Highest Quality interior trim work
- Specializing in British and European classics

Geoff Chrysler
735 Glanaster Road
Mt. Hope, ON L0R 1W0
(289) 887-2318
good2bgca@yahoo.ca



Anchor Logistics Inc.

**British Classics - Global Parts & Car Logistics
from the UK to Canada**

You place the parts order with your supplier in the UK
We follow up the order in the UK through our UK offices
We pick the order/pack it and ship it to your door step
We arrange for appraisals of your vintage car purchase in the UK

Tel: 519.323.1146

Fax: 519.323.2820

e-mail: jh@anchorlogistics.ca

www.anchorlogistics.ca

P.O.Box 633, Mt. Forest, Ontario, N0G 2L0

LANT INSURANCE BROKERS
(A Division of Wayfarer Insurance Brokers Limited)

Canada's Leader in Classic Vehicle Insurance Since 1978

Offering

HAGERTY

CLASSIC CAR INSURANCE

Antique, Classic, Special Interest
and Modified/Street Rod
Automobile Insurance™

37 Sandford Drive, Suite 100, Stouffville, ON L4A 7X5

Tel: (905) 640-4111 • Fax: (905) 640-4450

www.lant-ins.ca

1-800-461-4099

Visit our
Web Site at: www.ahcso.com



THE ORIGINAL VINTAGE MOTORCAR INSURANCE™

ZEHR 
ZEHR INSURANCE BROKERS LTD.

Scott Smith
Zehr Insurance Brokers Ltd.
New Hamburg, Ontario N0B 2G0

Office: (519) 662-1710

Fax: (519) 662-2025

Email: ssmith@zehrinsurance.com

ONTARIO RESIDENTS OUTSIDE
THE KITCHENER AREA CALL :

1-800-667-1802

Z9803

NEWS & INFORMATION

SPRINGTHING

May 15-18, 2014

BACK TO BASICS

It's time once again for the fun-filled, laugh-tastic SpringThing. The Bluegrass Club is pleased once again to welcome you to the Commonwealth. With a return to our classic structure and under the guidance of Linda Moore and Bev Frazier, this SpringThing will be a memorable and entertaining weekend for all. Visit bluegrassclub.com for a Registration Form and more information.



THE ALL BRITISH CAR CLUB'S 14th Annual AUTOJUMBLE

Featured cars will be those manufactured BEFORE 1965. Members are asked to register interest in showing a car (that is more than 50 years old) with Lois Logan before April 1st. At that time, a committee (to be constituted) will decide which cars will invited to the INDOOR SHOW. There will be plenty of space outdoors for everyone.

As VENDORS confirm, information will be distributed (probably via e-mail).

Mark your calendar and invite family and friends to join us.

Sunday May 4th, 2014
10:00 - 2:00
Portsmouth Olympic Harbour
Kingston, Ontario.

Info: llogan10@cogeco.ca
Admission: \$3.00

Tables: Members \$10 / Non Members \$25

HEALEY STORK HAS LANDED!

We are happy to announce that the "Healey Stork" has landed in Calgary, Alberta!!!

LIN AND TOM HAUBERT

- happily announce the arrival of their second grandchild, Audrey Charlotte Allan - weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz. in Calgary Alberta, born on Wednesday March 26th, to Lauren (Haubert) and her husband Trevor Allan.

A sister for 2 year old Claire! Grandma and Grandpa Haubert are on their way to Calgary to welcome their new addition. Congratulations to the whole Haubert Clan!!

IN THE REARVIEW MIRROR

Rally to Uwe's house 2005



Celebrating Stage West production 2006



THE RESONATOR



Austin Healey CLUB OF SOUTHERN ONTARIO

2014 EXECUTIVE [Effective January 1, 2014]

President: Bob Yule 784 Brock St., Listowel, ON N4W 3T5 519-418-4181 autofarm@wightman.ca	Vice-President: Mark Doust 69 Albright Ave., Toronto, ON M8W 1X4 416-779-0967 mark@abarth.ca
Membership: Phil Jarrett 14 Kentmere Grove, Carlisle, ON L0R-1H2 905-690-4989 pgjarrett@me.com	Events Coordinator: Laurie Wilford 11 Lee Court, Cambridge, ON N1T1K1 519-624-0861 healey3000@sympatico.ca
Newsletter Editor: Anna Orr 1376 Hwy # 8, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 5K6 905-930-8899 healeygal@cogeco.ca	Healey Marque Distribution: Ed Orr 1376 Hwy # 8, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 5K6 905-930-8899 eorr@cogeco.ca
Secretary & British Car Council Representative: Scott Morris 100 North Main St., Simcoe, ON N3Y 2M3 519-426-7139 jstmorris@yahoo.com	Treasurer: Heather Doust 69 Albright Ave., Toronto, ON M8W-1X4 416-252-7059 heather6595@yahoo.ca
Club Delegate: Bob Yule 784 Brock St., Listowel, ON N4W 3T5 519-418-4181 autofarm@wightman.ca	Regalia: Wally Holmes 56 Turtlecreek Blvd., Brampton, ON L6W 3Y1 905-451-6697 wallyholmes1@hotmail.com
Flea Market Co-ordinator: Ed Kesik 2214 3 rd Side road, Campbellville, ON L0P-1B0 905-854-1483 edkesik@gmail.com	Flea Market Assistant: Bill McNaughton 55 Blyth Hill Rd., Toronto M4N 3L6 416-481-0295 wjmcn@rogers.com
Webmaster: Amanda Yule RR # 1, Monkton, ON N0K 1P0 519-356-2427 Smileygirl322@hotmail.com	Past President: Laurie Wilford 11 Lee Court, Cambridge, ON N1T1K1 519-624-0861 healey3000@sympatico.ca
National Officers:	Austin Healey Club of America (AHCA)



UPDATE ON PHIL'S RESTORATION PROJECT CAR - LOOKING GOOD PHIL!

HEALEY SMILE

MY INCONCLUSIVE TRAVEL PLANS FOR 2014

I have been in many places, but I've never been in Cahoots.
Apparently, you can't go alone. You have to be in Cahoots with someone.

I've also never been in Cognito. I hear no one recognizes you there.

I have, however, been in Sane. They don't have an airport; you have to be driven there.
I have made several trips there, thanks to my friends, family and work ... mainly work.

I would like to go to Conclusions, but you have to jump,
and I'm not too much on physical activity anymore.

I have also been in Doubt. That is a sad place to go, and I try not to visit there too often.

I've been in Flexible, but only when it was very important to stand firm.

Sometimes I'm in Capable, and I go there more often as I'm getting older.

One of my favorite places to be is in Suspense! It really gets the adrenalin flowing and pumps
up the old heart! At my age I need all the stimuli I can get!

And, sometimes I think I am in Vincible but life shows me I am not.

People keep telling me I'm in Denial but I'm positive I've never been there before!

I may have been in Continent, but I don't remember what country I was in.
It's an age thing. They tell me it is very wet and damp there.

I have been in Deepshit many times; the older I get, the easier it is to get there.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- April 20:** AHCSO Ancaster Flea Market - Contact Ed Kesik edkesik@gmail.com to volunteer - **This is Important!**
- May 4:** Boot'n'Bonnet Autojumble - Portsmouth Olympic Harbour, Kingston, ON
<http://www.bootnbonnet.ca/events.html>
- May 15-18:** "Springthing" - AH Bluegrass club in Georgetown, KY <http://bluegrassclub.com/>
- May 16-18:** Import & Kit Car Nationals - Carlisle, PA
<http://www.carlisleevents.com/carlisle-events/carlisle-import-kit-nationals/default.aspx>
- May 24:** Tech Session at Head & Block: AHCSO Event - 503 Arvin, Stoney Creek (905) 664-1600
Engine machine shop repair and rebuilding **starts at 10:00 AM**
www.headandblockspecialty.com
- May 31-Jun 8:** British Car Week - Drive your British Car to raise awareness!
<http://www.britishcarweek.org/>
- June 7-8:** Fleetwood Country Cruise-In - London, ON www.fleetwoodcountrycruisein.com
- June 15-20:** Conclave 2014 - Virginia at The Homestead <http://www.homesteadconclave2014.com/>
We have a number of cars driving down. Contact Laurie healey3000@sympatico.ca to join us.
- June 23-27:** Rendezvous 2014 - AHCA, Bend, Oregon www.healey-oregon.org
- July 19-20:** Brits in the Park, Lindsay, ON
AHCSO event contact Gary Stokx gwstokx@nexicom.net to join us.
- July 26:** AHCSO Wine Tour - Hosted by Anna and Ed Orr in Winona. Details to follow.
- August 6-9:** Encounter by Sports and Touring Club, Lehigh Valley, Bethlehem, PA.
www.austin-healey-stc.org
- August 10:** Brits on the Lake - Port Perry, ON www.britsonthelake.com
- August 30:** AHCSO Salmon BBQ and Tour - at the Wilford's in Cambridge. Details to follow
- Sept 11-14:** 2014 September Roundup - Hamilton, OH (hosted by Ohio Valley AHC)
www.ohiovalleyahc.com
- Sept 19-21:** Southeastern Classic, Little Switzerland, NC
<http://www.healeysoutheasternclassic.com/>
- Sept 21:** British Car Day - Bronte Park, Oakville <http://www.torontotriumph.com/BCD/>