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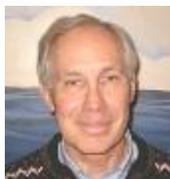
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President's Message

The House of Healey



(Editor's Note: Jim and Virginia Pearce will be going on a Medical Mission soon, and are out of the country at present. I thought it would be interesting to re-read Jim's comments on a previous Healey Days. They could well apply to this year's Healey Days event., A.G.B.)

We have all heard of the "House That Jack Built." Many of us know Yankee Stadium as the "House that Ruth Built." Now is the time to pause and give appreciation to those who built the House of Healey.

The 2003 Healey Days was a monument to them. While I am a relative new comer to the club and have a limited perspective, in my opinion this was the best showing of Healey sports cars in Utah since the international meet in Park City and the best Healey Days.

I was truly amazed at the number of beautiful cars present! I couldn't begin to vote for one above any other. I would have loved to have driven any of them home. I can only imagine what it must have been like for our founders who could look at a car and picture it before restoration. The only one that I could do that with was Ernie's. I had an opportunity to see his at Warwick West and it looked to me to be beyond hope. At the show it was a gorgeous car! Many of the rest of you could do the same with many other cars on display, if not most.

If the mission of the club is to promote the restoration, preservation, and enjoyment of the Healey sports car then our club founders must feel very successful at this time.

We who have come along later would like to thank you for making all this possible for us to enjoy. I was especially impressed by the feeling tones of friendship that I felt. We have all worked together to make this happen for each other and the warmth was palpable. I don't believe that you could find better or more generous friends anywhere. Everyone was delighted to rejoice in the accomplishments and success of every else and to give encouragement to those of us whose goals for our cars have not yet been reached.

I do believe a special thanks goes to Dave and Sandy Maxwell! Don't they put on a great event! They took care of almost all of the details that make an event so wonderful. I hope that they can feel of our appreciation. I believe we can show our gratitude in part by supporting them in their leadership. In a few more months it will be time for each of us to volunteer to help make the club go. I hope that we all can be involved to one degree or another and share a piece of the satisfaction of a job well done at the next Healey Days.

Jim Pearce



TWENTY-FIVE AND COUNTING

The Bonneville Austin-Healey Club held their 25th annual Healey Days event in Park City on August 16-17, 2008. If you missed the event, you missed one of the best Healey Days Classic Sports Car Shows ever. Jim Revel made the arrangements to hold the show on Lower Main Street in Park City. The city blocked off the street from 7th Street to 9th Street for our show. There were 17 cars placed on the street for the HUNDREDS of spectators who came to see the show. The weather was ideal with only a hint of clouds and mild temperatures.

The balloting for the classes produced the following results:

- 1st Place Healey: Bob Jahnke (BT7)
- Class Award Healey: Jon Hanson (BJ8)
- Sprite: Dave Maxwell (AN5)
- Non-Healey: Jim Revel (Jaguar XK 120 Roadster)
- Peoples Choice: Bob Riemenschneider (Mini-Cooper S)
- Highest Vote Getter: Jim Revel (Jaguar XK 120 Roadster)
- Golden Wrench: Ken Clifford
- Rusty Wrench: Bill McCallum

The Banquet Saturday evening at the Jeremy Ranch Country Club had wonderful camaraderie and excellent food. After our meal Don Colman held the fund raising auction (He now is the official BAHC auctioneer) that produced some outstanding results. Don's efforts allowed the 25th Anniversary of the club to be a self-sustaining event. THANKS DON!

The club needs to consider if we want to hold the next show at the same venue. That should be discussed at the September 9th meeting so that the arrangements can be made.

We would like to express our appreciation to all who attended the 25th Anniversary Celebration.

Happy Healeying
Dave and Sandy Maxwell

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Minutes for August, 2008

The Healey Days Banquet replaced our monthly General meeting for August, so no minutes are available. The banquet was held at Jeremy Ranch and was sponsored by Craig Ward and Hope Woodside. The food was delicious and it was an enjoyable evening.

Members Present:

Don and Marian Colman
Jon Hanson
Doug and Ann Lewis
Dave and Sandy Maxwell
Bill McCallum
Joe and Lora Morley
Jim and Sheryl Thornton
Holly and Casey Slack (Thornton's daughter and son-in-law)
Craig Ward and Hope Woodside
Allen and Judy Brown

(Banquet Photos by Jon Hanson)



Healey Days Update

1. If you missed Healey Days, just ask a member who attended and find out what you missed.
2. If you would still like to order a 25th Anniversary shirt, you may do so until Sept. 10th.
3. If you ordered a shirt and have not paid for/picked up, please do so at the Sept. 9th meeting.
4. The club paid for all meals that were ordered. If you haven't paid for yours – **PLEASE PAY NOW!!!**

We would like to get the financials in order soon. If you fit any of the above categories please contact us so that we may finish up Healey Days 2008, 25th Anniversary Celebration.

Happy Healeying,
Dave & Sandy Maxwell

P.S. We have a ladies XL shirt in inventory.

Bonneville Austin-Healey Club **Proposed 2008 Activities Schedule**

Tue., Sep. 9th – General Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Joe Morley's, 100 West Center St., (7720 South), Midvale
Sat., Sep. 27th -- Drive - TBA at Sept. 9th Meeting
Tue., Oct. 14th – General Meeting, 7:30 p.m., at Marie Callender's, 1109 East 3900 South, Salt Lake City
October, November and December Activities will be scheduled at a later time

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