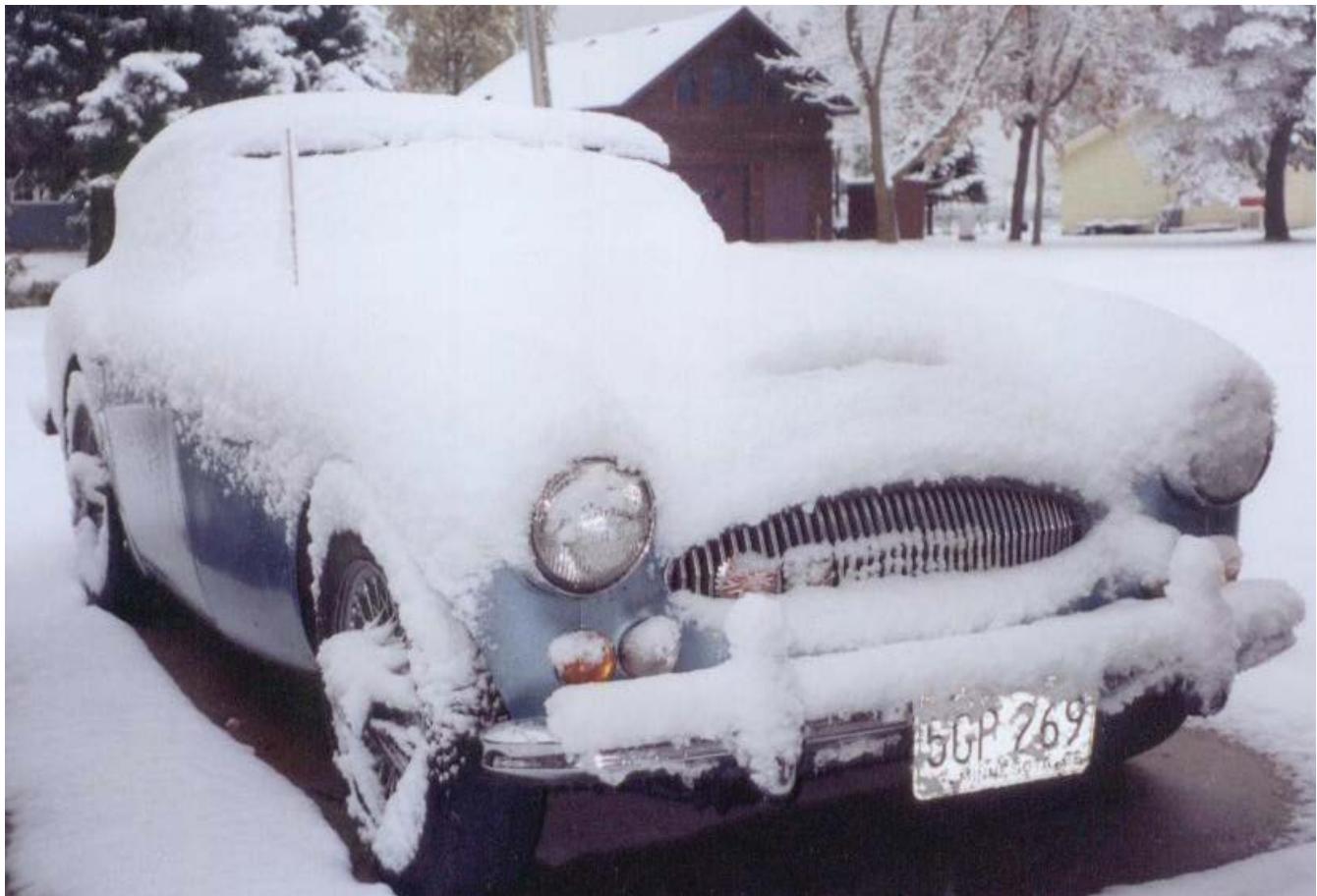




# The Healey Enthusiast

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Dec 2017



*Don't forget to put your Healey away for the Winter!*

## DECEMBER EVENTS

Sat. Dec. 2

Planning Breakfast

Wed. Dec. 6

NO PIE Meeting!

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## President's Informal Evening

Date: Wednesday Jan 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

Time: 7:00 p.m. (or before)

Place: Joseph's Grill

140 So. Wabasha

St. Paul, MN 55107

**651-222-2435**

Come and enjoy refreshments and/or food with the friendly club members, catch up on news & events, and discuss cars & restorations.

# Thank You

To the members that submitted news, articles, and photos for this newsletter issue:

**Dave Hatzung**

**Liz Stadther**

**Fred Ambli**

**Barb Ronning**

**Tom Politiski**

**Eileen Wetzel**

**Reid Trummel**

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President Dave Hatzung's  
**Very Presidential Column**

Well... Happy December to everyone. I hope you all had a great Thanksgiving!

I just read a great article that John Engstrom wrote for the InterMarque. It's worth the read. He talks about how all of us are being rebuilt faster than some of our cars, vis a vis ( **Dave Herried** asked me to use that term in my article) new hips, new batteries in our pacemakers, ad infinitum ( another one **Dave** gave me to use). Pretty depressing, but at least we're still here to enjoy our cars. The alternative is not good.

By the way, I think I'm already getting stir-crazy; and it's only been a few weeks since I stored my car. A Prius pulled onto the highway in front of me yesterday and cut straight over to the left lane. They didn't even signal. Once there, they slowed down to about 50. Yes, 50!

It got me thinking...is there a Prius Club? So I Googled PC (Prius Club). Well you know where that got me - right into a political discussion about what I can say or think. So then I tried MPC (Minnesota Prius Club). Yes, there is one. In fact, there is one in Jordan; so I went to that web site. Guess what folks. It ain't Jordan, Minnesota but Jordan the country! Man, did they have a weird number of events. I didn't know that the P was a great car for the desert.

But, I was thinking, there is a positive side to those cars. Thanks to the Prius, there is more gas available for us fun loving gas engined people ! So when you pull up behind one driving 40 in the sane lane, or 52 in the left lane, just try to be patient and remember what I just said about our gas supply.

Life has got to be really boring for the Prius club members. I read their autocrosses consisted of driving to Trader Joe's and comparing gas mileage. I bet at the Waumandee Hill Climb, they start at the top of the hill. Another thing the MAHC has all over the PC - don't you wonder why anyone would restore a Prius? How much fun would that be? Should I leave the color the same, or go with the TRG (that's Toyota Racing Green...kind of a yellowy green with some blue mixed in – yuch)? And how do you boost horsepower? Do you add another battery, or just lengthen the extension cord? Did you ever hear of anyone who was looking at a Prius say "What a great looking cool car"? Maybe you have to ignore all the bumper stickers on the things and look at its smooth artistic lines.

OK, that's enough Dave....and it's just December! I need to learn to relax. Maybe I'll go out to my garage and just sit in the Healey for a few minutes. Maybe that's better than a couple T and Ts? I just hope I don't pull up behind another Prius on the freeway for a while. If there are any P owners who read this, please take this with a grain of salt and accept my apologies. By January, I'll be going off on something else as my A-H withdrawal continues.

God bless and have a Merry Christmas!

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# The Presidents Informal Evening

By Liz Stadther for Phil Dawson

PIE convened at 7:10 pm. It was noted that there were no new members present.

## Past events

- Auto Motorplex – no report
- Fall Color Tour – Organized by the Rindts of the MG Club, and 13 MAHC members attended.
- Dick Mathews' model train event was described as amazing. There was a good turnout. The trains were O gauge, and the layout included extensive painting in the background - even clouds.
- Last Saturday's breakfast at Elsie's was attended by Dick Leighninger and Rich Stadther among others. Nothing of note to report.

## Upcoming events

- The annual banquet and meeting is a week from Saturday (Nov. 11). Those planning to attend should sign up on the circulating sheet and can pay now if they wish. Otherwise, let Gary and Barb know if you are attending. Silent auction items are needed.
- The planning breakfast will be held December 2 at 9:00 a.m. at Joseph's Grill.
- There will be no PIE on Wednesday, Dec. 6. Next PIE will be in January.
- There will be a Board Meeting on Sat., Dec. 4 at Elsie's to include the idea of hosting a future AHCA Conclave.

## Committee Reports

- Club humor: Tom Politiski was not present, so President Hatzung filled in, very adequately.
- Membership, Jim Kriz: We have 94 members.
- Treasurer, Pres. Hatzung for Steve Greenway: In good shape. The board is contemplating using some funds to promote the Healey Marque.
- Video librarian, Jeff Johnk: Brought the videos. Let him know if you check out or return an item.
- Badges and website, Greg Willodson: Nothing new to report.
- National delegate, Eileen Wetzel: The national organization is asking for clubs to host future Conclaves. A good discussion ensued. More to come.
- InterMarque delegate, Suzanne Willodson: The date for the InterMarque Spring Kick-off will be Saturday, May 12, in Osseo, MN.
- Racing/Hillclimb: Tom Hazen mentioned radio problems that occurred at September's Hillclimb. Clarence Westberg had suggested talking to the Winona Radio Club about working together on communications. Tom said they are excited about the idea.

## New Business

- Board members, Pres. Hatzung: Let him know if you have an interest in being on the MAHC Board of Directors or being an officer for next year.
- PIE time: Dave also wondered about PIE meetings moving to Saturday mornings to avoid traffic problems. He will check if it's feasible to do that at Joseph's Grill.

The meeting was adjourned and socializing resumed.

## Attending:

Alan & Jennie Anderson	Dick Leighninger	Gary & Barb Ronning
Dave Hatzung	Jeff Lumbard	Geoff & Diane Rossi
Tom Hazen	Scott McQueen	Rich & Liz Stadther
Dave Herreid & Daphne Walmer	Tom Moerke	Kate & Clarence Westberg
Jeff Johnk	Dan Powell	Gary & Eileen Wetzel
Dave & Cheryl Rademacher	Greg & Suzanne Willodson	Jim Kriz
Greg Lauser	Kim & Steve Rixen	

## Austin Healey Club of America

Delegate Meeting Summary – November 2017

- A. Delegate reports: Favorite club activities - Veterans Car Show, Bowling Party.  
Charities: Hurricane Relief, Special Olympics, Juvenile Diabetes Research.
- B. Officer reports: Club support - encourage National membership; Safety- buy new tires every ten years at the minimum; Waiver of liabilities is available on the website. Tours should have a signed waiver.
- C. Conclave: Have them in places people may not usually go. May need to evolve into something different. Change parameters.
- D. Waco report: They built it, and no one came. 92 registrations, 55 cars.
- E. Insurance report: Premiums likely will not increase.
- F. Regalia: Available on website.
- G. Advertising: please send home Healey videos to Ben Moore.
- H. Technology: Each club should have Facebook page and Website. There is still nothing like a phone call and personal outreach.
- I. Membership: Renewals are due by Jan. 15, 2018. Be sure to include membership number and make one check out to local club. Two thirds of new national members join online.
- J. Old business: What is the standard for release of information and privacy laws? (this is regarding sharing info on prior ownership of cars.)
- K. New business: Sanctioning of a new club, the Palm Beach AHC.
- L. There was much discussion on how to revitalize clubs and encourage delegate participation. Distributing a delegate handbook was discussed.
- M. Conclave 2018 was presented to be in French Lick, Indiana.
- N. Conclave 2019 was presented to be in September in the Black Hills of South Dakota.  
Passed unanimously.
- O. A Board of Directors has been appointed to manage the DMH Memorial Scholarship Fund. The board will contact colleges and schools for their participation in teaching restoration of automobiles and for scholarship recipients.

A more comprehensive report is available upon request.

Eileen Wetzel, Delegate

### **Head for the Hills!**

### **Conclave 2019**

Each year that I am headed to the AHC delegates meeting, I have asked for any requests or concerns that should be brought up at the National meeting. The re-occurring comment has been to have a Conclave in September. This year at the meeting, there was overwhelming enthusiasm at the prospect of having Conclave 2019 in the Black Hills of South Dakota. Tentative dates are September 7th or 8th through the 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> in 2019, hosted by the Minnesota Austin Healey Club.

The vision will be "vacation in the Black Hills and enjoy a car event". The hope is that we get a lot of our club participation in the Black Hills, so everyone gets to enjoy their vacation too. The Black Hills is rich in history, culture, and natural beauty. The roads are perfect for enjoying an Austin Healey drive and driving an Austin Healey is the perfect way to enjoy the Black Hills. I hope everyone can attend.

Eileen Wetzel, Delegate

## 2017 Annual Banquet and Business Meeting

Saturday November 11<sup>th</sup>

Joseph's Restaurant

At 6:00 pm people were gathering for the night's festivities. Happy Hour was scheduled from 6:00 to 7:00 pm, and we had our own private Bar to order refreshments. Everyone was talkative and enjoyed visiting as well as perusing the Silent Auction and Door Prize tables.

When seven o'clock loomed, President Hatzung announced that the Buffet Dinner was ready to be consumed. Members were called by table to select from the offerings and then sit down to enjoy. During this time, our President would have Door Prize numbers drawn, and winners could select from the items on that table. The entrees and desserts seemed to be well accepted, as there was little food left over.

About eight o'clock, President Dave called the Business Meeting to order. He announced that Kim Rixen was selected as the new Vice President for 2018, and all members voted with unanimous approval. Congrats to Kim ! Other Officers and Committee volunteers remained pretty much the same as in 2017.

There were three members nominated for the two open positions on the Board of Directors. The two new members elected were Dave Herreid and Cheryl Rademacher. Congrats to them !

After brief reports on Membership and Treasury, there was a report from our AHCA Delegate, Eileen Wetzel. It is being suggested that our Minnesota club host a national AHCA Conclave in 2019. The site being considered is Deadwood, SD. It is being researched, and more information will be forthcoming.

Much appreciation was given to all club volunteers for this past year, and President Dave was given a gift for his service. The Silent Auction was closed, and people were encouraged to pick up their winners and pay for them. It was a very enjoyable evening to cap off another great year for the Minnesota Austin Healey Club.

Editor

## 2017 Annual Banquet and Business Meeting



Barb Ronning checking in Jane & Kent Brown and Gary Oster

Betsy Lumbard and Lauri Powell are happy !

Mary & Dave  
Hatzung, Dave  
Herreid and Jeff  
Lumbard



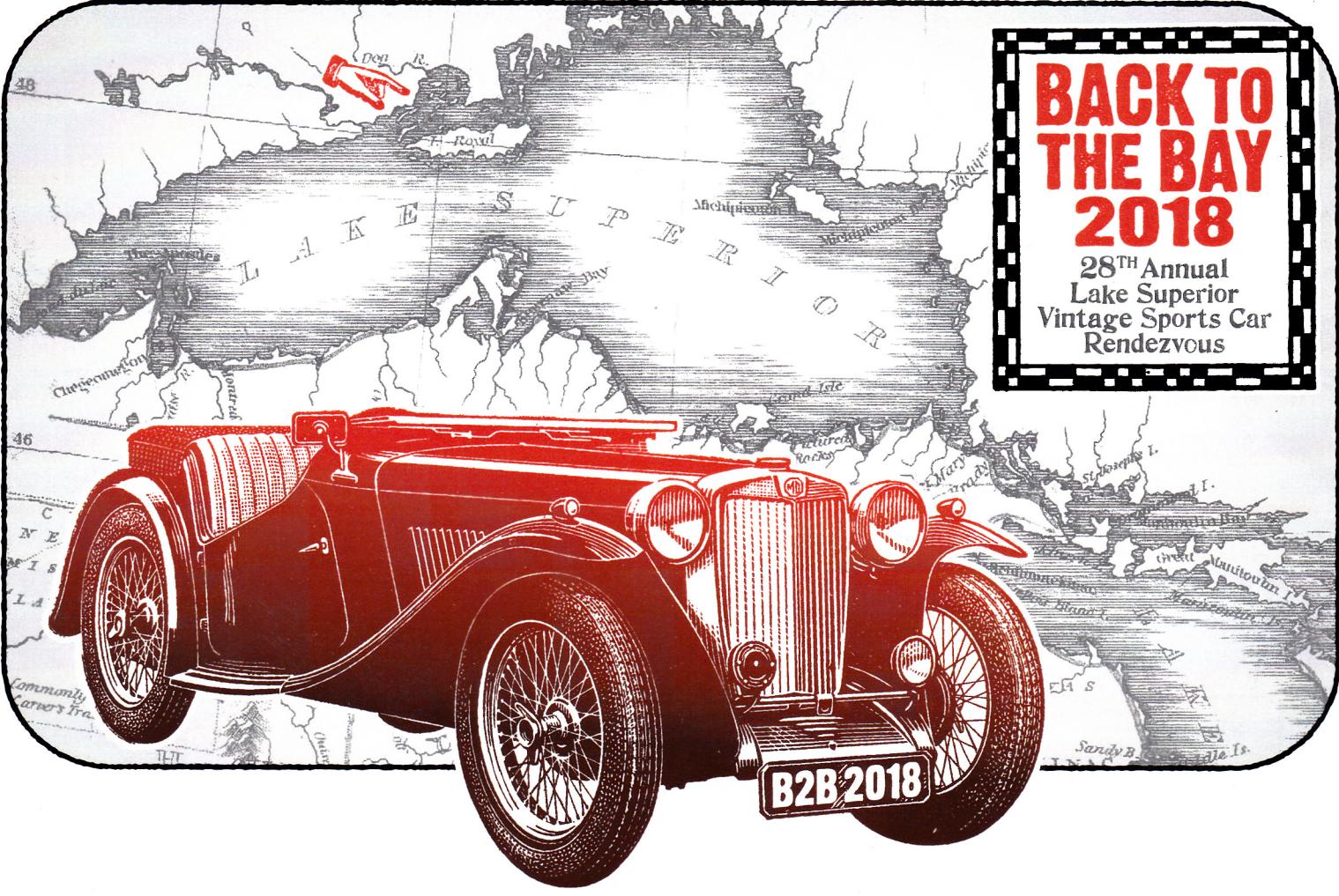
...all with glasses  
AND NAMETAGS !



Carl Stine congratulating new VP Kim Rixen



Steve Rixen orating



# BACK TO THE BAY 2018

28<sup>TH</sup> Annual  
Lake Superior  
Vintage Sports Car  
Rendezvous

*The Thunder Bay Vintage Sports Car Club invites you to join us*

# JUNE 7-10, 2018

## EVENTS

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*Come dressed as the same era as your car!*

Driver Challenges • Driving Tours • Fun Rally



## ACCOMODATIONS

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*Remember to mention the TBVSCC Rendezvous!*

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Or contact John Colosimo at (807) 344-7694



**REGISTRATION  
CONCLAVE 2018 FRENCH LICK, INDIANA  
HOSTED BY CENTRAL INDIANA AND AREA CLUBS**  
July 15th thru 20th 2018

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse / Guest : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address : \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State / Prov.: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Country: \_\_\_\_\_ AHCA MEMBER # (OPTIONAL) \_\_\_\_\_ Club affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email : \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Additional Adult Guest(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Children or grandchildren (Less than 18 ) attending (names and ages) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**VEHICLE CLASS VEH #1 VEH #2**

100 ++++++  
 100M ++++++  
 BN6/ BN7 (2 SEAT) \_\_\_\_\_  
 BN4 /BT7 (4 SEAT) \_\_\_\_\_  
 BJ7 ++++++  
 BJ8 ONE LIGHT ++  
 BJ8 TWO LIGHT ++  
 JENSEN HEALEY +  
 BUGEYE SPRITE ++  
 SPRITE MKII, III, & IV \_\_\_\_\_  
 MODIFIED SPRITE ++  
 MODIFIED HEALEY \_\_\_\_\_  
 DIAMOND (ROUGH) \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER HEALEY +++  
 S.O.B. ++++++

REGISTRATION FEES	QTY	COST	TOTAL
PRE-REG. PRIOR TO 12-31-17 (20 AVAIL)	_____	\$120	_____
REGULAR REG 1-1-2018 THRU 3-31-2018	_____	\$130	_____
POST REG. 4-1-2018 AND ON SITE	_____	\$160	_____
EXTRA ADULTS (EACH)	_____	\$ 45	_____
EXTRA VEHICLE	_____	\$ 45	_____
CONCOURS JUDGING FEE	_____	\$ 65	_____
TRAILER PARKING (ALL WEEK)	_____	\$ 60	_____
TUES. BBQ DINNER ADULT (EACH)	_____	\$ 25	_____
TUES. BBQ DINNER CHILD (6-17)	_____	\$ 18	_____
<b>NOTE: BBQ SEATING IS LIMITED TO FIRST 300 PERSONS.</b>			
LADIES TEA (31 PER SETTING)	_____	\$ 24	_____
EACH SETTING (2) IN W.B. ATRIUM	_____		_____
WEST BADEN WALKING GUIDED TOUR	_____	\$ 13	_____
AWARDS DINNER THURSDAY (ADULT)	_____	\$ 46	_____
AWARDS DINNER THURSDAY (CHILD)	_____	\$ 35	_____
RV PARKING (FULL HOOK-UP) (PER DAY)	_____	\$ 88	_____
<b>NOTE: ONLY FIVE AVAILABLE RV SPACES</b>			
HEALEY JOURNAL MAKING (MATERIAL COSTS)	_____	\$ 25	_____
Total \$			_____

**# OF EVENT PARTICIPANTS**  
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 RC CARS JUNIOR  
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 ARTS AND PHOTO JR  
 FUN RALLY  
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MAIL YOUR COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT TO :  
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Host Hotel is the French Lick Resort, [www.frenchlick.com](http://www.frenchlick.com).

Reservations are made directly with the hotel under Austin Healey Club: Group Code 0718AHC

Rooms are \$130 per night. Rooms can be extended at the same price for two nights before and after the event date. All rooms subject to state and local taxes.

Optional hotel is the West Baden Hotel at the rate of \$ 179 per night for rooms not overlooking the Atrium. Note the discounted rate at West Baden is Sunday thru Thursday only, no extended stays at that price. French Lick Resort, 8670 West State Rd. 56 French Lick, IN 47432 PH 888.936.9360

## Torque IV: Best Practices and Procedures

By Steve Rixen

Using poor torquing practices defeat the reason for torquing in the first place, because your poor technique(s) foil your attempt to apply accurate torque to the fastener.

Some of the notes below may have been mentioned in previously but are included because they are important.

A loose fastener will fail before one which is slightly over tight.

### **Fasteners:**

Use the torque table in the maintenance manual if there is a listing for the exact application, if not use a standard torque.

**ALWAYS** Use the appropriate grade fastener, including any washers, for the job. If you have to use a higher grade fastener, **NEVER LOWER**. Never install a grade 2 where a grade 5 was installed.

Torque the nut not the bolt. If it is a bolt into a hole the torque required will be more than that listed in a standard torque table due to friction.

Torque listed is for a fastener that is clean and lightly lubed.

If you are using a self locking nut, the “Free Running Torque” of the self locking feature must be added to the torque table recommendation. Run the nut onto the bolt until 2 threads are beyond the self-locking feature then use a beam type torque wrench to determine the torque to add to the standard torque required, before the torque is applied.

A jam nut installation usually has thinner nuts being torqued against each other or a clevis. Standard torque for jam nuts is half standard torque for the same fastener size.

Apply torque in stages, and in an alternate or star pattern. If two or more fasteners are to be torqued, install the fasteners, bring them up to torque evenly; finger tight, one-half torque value, full torque value in stages.

### **Torque Wrenches:**

USE THEM CORRECTLY. Don’t guess.

Always store torque wrenches at their lowest setting in a clean, dry area which isolates them from contact with other wrenches and tools.

Do not drop, or strike a torque wrench. Even the cheapest wrench is better than none.

NEVER use a torque wrench to disassemble or remove torque from a fastener, even if it has a reversible ratchet feature in the head.

**Techniques:**

Torque application should be performed with a steady smooth pull, torque being achieved midway through the arc of the wrench. Never jerk the wrench or change from a pull to a push motion in the arc.

If torque is applied and the wrench ‘clicks’ or indicates torque before the fastener moves 10 degrees, you are seeing friction of the fastener and not true torque. Back the fastener off and torque again.

Hold only the handle of the torque wrench when pulling. Applying pressure at another point of the wrench or using your second hand to “steady” the wrench at the socket end changes the mechanical movement and will lead to premature torque indication.

If using a crowsfoot attachment, it should be mounted at right angle to the torque wrench. If it is mounted parallel to the wrench, the torque of the wrench needs to be adjusted by using a ratio formula. Lower the setting if the crowsfoot makes the wrench “longer”, more if it makes the wrench “shorter”.

If you are installing the rear wire wheel hub adapter, remove any paint that might be on the mating surface between the adapter and the brake drum. The paint will move/migrate as you drive, torque on the studs/nuts will be lost, and shortly thereafter - so will the hub and wheel! There is a similar problem with the rear shock to chassis installation.

That's about it on fastener torque technique.

If you have any questions or comments, give me a call or send me an email.

<b>Torque Table</b>	<b>Foot Pounds / Inch Pounds</b>					
	<b>Bolt Shank Dia</b>	<b>Grade 2</b>	<b>Grade 5</b>	<b>Gr 5 Lube</b>	<b>Grade 8</b>	<b>Gr 8 Lube</b>
1/4-20 UNC	5 60	8 96	5 60	12 144	7 84	
1/4-28 UNF	6 72	10 120	6 72	14 168	9 96	
5/16-18 UNC	11 132	17 204	10 120	25 300	15 180	
5/16-24 UNF	12 144	19 228	12 144	27 324	16 192	
3/8-16 UNC	20 240	30 360	19 228	43 316	27 324	
3/8-24 UNF	23 276	35 420	21 256	49 588	30 360	
7/16-14 UNC	32 384	50 600	30 360	70 840	42 504	
7/16-20 UNF	36 432	55 660	33 396	78 936	47 564	
1/2-13 UNC	50 600	75 900	45 540	105 1260	63 756	
1/2-20 UNF	55 660	90 1080	54 648	120 1440	72 864	





# Rally in the Valley is “On The Road Again” in 2018 !

**When: May 24<sup>th</sup> – May 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Where: Eau Claire, Wisconsin**

**Rally in the Valley is British Sports Car Event and all European Sports Cars are Welcome!**

*Rally in the Valley* is an event where you will be entertained as well as enjoy the traditional car enthusiast activities. Come to Wisconsin where we have spectacular country roads with bountiful rolling hills, bluffs, creeks, rivers and lakes. It's a great way to get out of the city and re-vitalize.

- **Thursday May 24<sup>th</sup>**, We kick off the event with *The Tune up your Intake* party at the Best Western Plus Conference Center in Eau Claire, Wisconsin our host hotel.
- **Friday May 25<sup>th</sup>** Tour the countryside on the *Life is a Highway Rally*. Our lunch destination will be at the *Villa Bellezza Winery and Vineyards* in Pepin, Wisconsin.
- Friday afternoon return to the Best Western Hotel and compete in the *Valve Cover Races*.
- Friday night enjoy happy hour and dine at the hotel ballroom. We will finish the evening with a live acoustic performance from the *Morris Garage Band*.
- **Saturday May 26<sup>th</sup>**, We will start the morning by rallying to Carson Park in Eau Claire and participate in the *Start Me Up European Classic Car Show*.
- Saturday afternoon rev your engines for the the *Jumpin Jack Flash Funkhanna*!
- Saturday afternoon pick from the many *Self Guided Tours* in the area. There are beautiful roads to travel on in the Chippewa

Valley plus you will find numerous sightseeing attractions to choose from. Including parks, wineries, breweries, shopping and museums. All of the information will be included in your registration packet.

- Saturday evening attend the famous *Rally in the Valley* awards banquet and ceremony.
- **Sunday May 27<sup>th</sup>** Farewell breakfast.

**Make your reservations now at:**

The Best Western Plus Conference Center  
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(715)838-9989 or 1(800)780-7234

**Ask for the *Rally in the Valley* special rate:**

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**\$99.99 Suite - King**

For more information and to register for this event visit the Minnesota MG Website at:  
[www.mn-mggroup.org](http://www.mn-mggroup.org) or contact Diane Rindt  
[drindt4271@yahoo.com](mailto:drindt4271@yahoo.com) (715) 379-6001

Hosted by: Diane and Steve Rindt and  
The Minnesota MG Group



# Rally in the Valley is *On the Road Again* in 2018!

## Registration Form

**May 24<sup>th</sup> – May 27th in Eau Claire, Wisconsin**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Include email address for confirmation of registration – none will be sent otherwise)

Vehicle/s to register:	Year:	Make:	Model:
Vehicle/s to register:	Year:	Make:	Model:

**Friday “Life is Highway” Rally including a Private Banquet at the Villa Bellezza Winery and Vineyards (Cost includes tip and tax)**

Adult per plate (\$20.00) x Qty \_\_\_\_\_ = Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Friday night Ballroom Dinner and a live acoustic performance by the Original Morris Garage Band (Cost includes tip and tax)**

Adult per plate (\$25.00) x Qty \_\_\_\_\_ = Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday night the Famous Rally in the Valley Awards Banquet and Ceremony.**

**(Cost includes tip and tax)**

Adult per plate (\$35.00) x Qty \_\_\_\_\_ = Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Sign me up:**

Thursday evening Tune up your Intake Party <input type="checkbox"/>	Friday Valve Cover Racing <input type="checkbox"/>	Start Me Up European Classic Car Show <input type="checkbox"/>	Jumpin Jack Flash <input type="checkbox"/> Funkhanna Auto Cross
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**Rally in the Valley Registration Fee:**

Registration includes one/two vehicles, two adults, children under 18, event trophies, door prizes and event expenses.

**(Before March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018) \$ 60.00 (After March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018) \$70.00**

Cancellations before April 1<sup>st</sup> are subject to a \$15.00 fee. No refunds after April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

The weekend schedule will be emailed to you when your registration is received.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

For detailed times and activities prior to completed registration, visit the

Rally in the Valley page on the Minnesota MG Group website [www.mn-mggroup.org](http://www.mn-mggroup.org)

For questions or comments please contact Diane Rindt at [rindt4271@yahoo.com](mailto:rindt4271@yahoo.com)

**EVENT TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

**Send completed registration form and check to:**

Diane Rindt (Rally in the Valley) 4271 North Shore Drive, Eau Claire, WI 54703

**Make Check payable to:** Diane Rindt with *Rally in the Valley in memo field*.



*Confirmation of registration will be through your email address only.*

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**Hotel Reservations: Best Western Plus Conference Center, Eau Claire WI**

Phone: (715) 838-9989 or 1 (800) 780-7234 3340 Address: Mondovi Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701

For questions contact Diane Rindt (715) 379-6001 or email [rindt4271@yahoo.com](mailto:rindt4271@yahoo.com)

# Membership / Renewal Form

<b>Minnesota A-H Club Dues</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal .....	\$20.00
<b>Austin-Healey Club of America Dues</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal .....	\$50.00
<b>BOTH CLUBS</b>			\$70.00

**Minnesota A-H Club (Local only) Dues**  New  Renewal .....

\$25.00

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (      ) Work Phone: (      )

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ (spouse)

## HEALEY INFORMATION:

Year \_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_ Original Owner (Y/N)\_\_\_\_

Year \_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_ Original Owner (Y/N)\_\_\_\_

Condition:  Show Quality  Nice & Roadworthy  
 Could be running with help  Restoration Project

**Make checks payable to: MN Austin Healey Club (or MAHC )**

Checks covering AHCA membership renewals must reach Jim Kriz no later than **January 1, 2018**, to assure that your information appears in the 2018 AHCA Membership Directory.

**Send form and checks to:**

**Jim Kriz  
2000 Kenwood Pkwy.  
Minneapolis, MN 55405**

## Events Schedule

**Dec. 2**

**Planning Breakfast** – (Sat) The schedule of events for 2018 will be on the agenda for this meeting at Joseph's Restaurant in St. Paul. A Board of Directors meeting will follow.

**Dec. 6**

**NO PIE Meeting** – The next PIE Meeting will be Wed. January 3, 2018

## 2018 Breakfast Planning Meeting

**When:** Saturday December 2, 2017

**Where:** Joseph's Grill 140 Wabasha St. St. Paul

**Time:** 9:00 am Breakfast 10:00 am Meeting

**Cost:** \$5.00 per person (club subsidized)

**RSVP** by 11/28 to: [suzanne.willodson@gmail.com](mailto:suzanne.willodson@gmail.com)



**Board of Directors' Meeting** will occur after the Planning Meeting

### InterMarque Breakfasts

**Elsie's Restaurant**, Bar and Bowling Center is the breakfast destination every Saturday at 8:00 AM. The second Saturday of the month is Ladies' Day, though of course, they are welcome every week.

Location: 729 Marshall Street N.E., Minneapolis.  
Map at <http://elsies.com>.

**New!** On the first and third Saturdays, the East Ender's Breakfast Group meets at 9 AM at **Brookside Bar & Grille** 140 Judd Street, Marine on St. Croix, MN

### InterMarque Newsletter

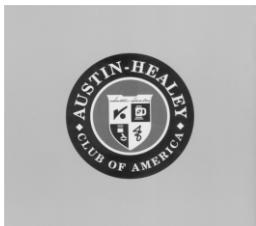
Check out InterMarque's multi-marque calendar in their latest newsletter for even more car events!

[InterMarque.org](http://InterMarque.org)



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