



# The *Healey Enthusiast*

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## **The Healey Elliott – At the start of the 1990 Colorado Grand**

Of the 101 originally manufactured, this is the sole survivor in the U.S.

### **JUNE EVENTS**

**WED. JUNE 2**

**SAT. JUNE 5**

**SAT. JUNE 12**

**THUR.-SUN. JUNE 17-20**

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**PIE MEETING**

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**AMERY COMPETITION RUN**

**RENDEZVOUS 2010**

**LYNCH / RONNING TOUR & PICNIC**

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# PIE

## (PRESIDENT'S INFORMAL EVENING)

**Date: Wednesday June 2nd**  
**Time: 7:00 p.m. (or before)**  
**Place: Fort Snelling Officers Club**

This location is on Hwy. 5 (east of I-494) on the southeast side of the Mpls./St. Paul Intl. Airport. Exit at the Post Road ramp, turn south (east) towards the river and proceed on to the road heading for the park, take the first left and wind around to the Officers Club building.

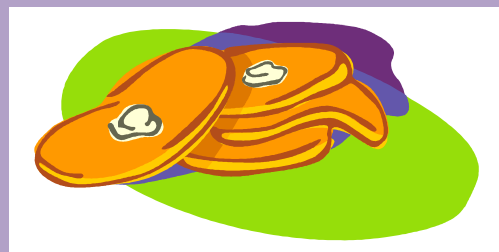
Come and enjoy refreshments and/or food with the friendly club members, catch up on news & events, and discuss cars & restorations.

# Breakfast at the Peg

Come to this casual event (most) every Saturday morning about 8:00 a.m. for great food, reasonable prices, & lots of Intermarque car enthusiasts. It's a fun way to start off your weekend !

Bring your appetite !

The location: **The Square Peg Diner**  
**2021 East Hennepin Ave.**  
**Minneapolis, MN 55414**



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## THE HEALEY ENTHUSIAST

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# Presidential Ponderings

By EILEEN WETZEL

## Birth Announcement!!

Gary and Eileen Wetzel are happy to announce the rebirth of:

Name: Lady Jane Austin

Color: Pretty Green

Special Features: 158 Horse Power Straight Six

Aluminum Fly Wheel

72 Spoke Chrome Wheels

Derrington Moto-Lita Steering Wheel

Lady Jane did make her debut at Intermarque. It was next to a miracle and the credit goes to Bruce Bush for fine paint and body work, and Gary and Steve Rixen who worked long days to put her back together enough to get her on the road. Her rehabilitation is not yet complete, but it is nice to have her back in the fold.

Gary and I were bursting with pleasure that Tuesday night she came home, four days before the Spring Kick Off. It was later in the evening by the time we got her off the trailer and into the garage. All the neighbors had gone in for the night and there we were, with no one to share the excitement of two beautiful Healeys parked side by side in the garage. Gary was already concentrating on putting her back together, and I was watering plants when a couple happened to be walking in our cul-de-sac. This was kind of unusual, as we are out of the way. Plus I had never seen this couple in our area. I was thinking to myself, "I hope they notice our cars." Then I overheard, "Honey, I'll just, I'll just be a second. I just have to check out these cars," as he headed up our driveway alone. I dropped the hose, went to them, and invited them both to come up to see the cars.

Their names were Greg and Sandy and they didn't live too far away. Greg has a passion for British cars, and we spent a good hour exchanging stories. When they left an hour later, it felt like we had made a new friendship. We look forward to seeing them again. Ahh, the magic of Healeys!!

Summer is here, and to all of you I implore: dive in-participate, volunteer, carpe diem!!! Healey on!!





# THE PRESIDENTS INFORMAL EVENING

BY EILEEN WETZEL

May PIE had a nice turn out. Those in attendance were: Steve and Kim Rixen, Allen Wehr, Greg Lauser, Jim Manion, Wayne Soderbeck, Jan Huston, Jim Kriz, Jim Klein, Jeff Lumbard, Roger Strauman, Dan Stromquist, Tom Wolters, Andy Lindberg, Tom and June Moerke, Gary and Barb Ronning, Mike Martin, Curt Carlson, Gary and Eileen Wetzel, Scott McQueen, Tom Politiski, and guests Dan Knudsen and Mike Pellizzer. We met in the Commander's Lounge which provided a nice intimate atmosphere. Conversation was fluid and the dinner specials-in honor of Cinco de Mayo- were delicious!

Thank you, thank you to the seven hearty souls that braved the weather to do the Spring Highway Clean-up. Hopefully in the fall there will be more of us to join in on the fun. Many hands make for lighter work!

Items discussed were the upcoming events: the Spring Awakening Tour, the Vintage GT Challenge, Intermarque Spring Kick Off, the Three Stop Northwest Metro Progressive Dinner, the British Sports Car Display, the Amery Competition Run, "Wake the Giant" Rendezvous, and the Galena Conclave.

Please take special note! Tom Hazen is recruiting volunteers to help with the Amery and Afton Events. These are very important events for our club. I strongly encourage everyone to take a turn helping out. Remember, the more you put in, the more you get out. The benefit will be: more fun!!! Please e-mail Tom Hazen, [myliberty@comcast.net](mailto:myliberty@comcast.net) to volunteer today.

Tom Politiski brought items to share. Kim Rixen brought cupcakes in honor of some members who had recent birthdays in which they changed decades, and in honor of new member Jan Huston. Thanks, Kim!!

Gary Ronning has new regalia available. Please check it out.

Greg Lauser brought a draft for a business card for the MAHC.

A Board of Directors meeting followed PIE.

See you at the events..... and at the next PIE !

Eileen



**This Bugeye has a  
nice "Hood" !**

Owner: Tim Hood

## **THE 2010 HEALEY CLUB SPONSORED SPRING AWAKENING TOUR**

took off from the Square Peg parking lot on Saturday, May 8th without a hitch – except maybe for 1 or 2 attached to some car bumpers ! After the participants' cars were in line - tops up, as it was 40 degrees - and "thank you for coming cookies" were passed out, we were off at 10:10 in the morning.

Tom and June Moerke led the group in their bright yellow 1975 Jensen-Healey, followed by Frank and Jane Howard in their Lotus Elan, then Dave and Cheryl Rademacher in their grey Bugeye Sprite. In the middle of the pack, 14 year Healey club member David Knowles drove up from the Mankato area in his white 3000 BJ8, followed by an owner in a red TR6, then Scott McQueen in his white Triumph GT6 coupe. Mixed somewhere in the middle were Steve and Susan Greenway in their green MGB, Pat and Marsha Holt in their TR8, Jim Javey in his green MGB, Alan and Jennie Anderson in their blue MGB, Steve and Kim Rixen in her red Miata, Dave Lee in his white Buick Reata, Eileen and Gary Wetzel in their black Lexus( both of their Healeys are in restoration shops), and Jim and Rose Klein in their vintage Mercedes-Benz. It was a nice assortment of interesting cars.

Many had arrived early and enjoyed breakfast and coffee at the Peg prior to take off. With the sun shining, the wind cold, the leaves starting to appear, and the tops up, we took off driving along the East Mississippi River Blvd. Everyone seemed to enjoy the relaxed pace with great views of manicured lawns, sprawling trees, and often stately homes on the left, with glimpses of the mighty Mississippi to our right. From the Ford Parkway past Minnehaha Creek it was on to Shepard Road, where we enjoyed good views of the big river to the right and a bit of the backside of downtown St. Paul to the left. We took a right on to Highway 61, headed south, turned left on to Highway 10, and proceeded in to Prescott, WI.

At our rest stop in Freedom Park by the new Visitors Center, we were joined by Tom and Julie Wolters from Red Wing in their Bugeye Sprite and Wayne Soderbeck in his bright blue 1967 MG Midget. After looking over the great views, using the modern facilities, reading some area history, or enjoying parts of the Interpretive Center, we got a "token candy bar or two" and more of the "thank you for coming cookies"! Some people enjoyed a complimentary cup of coffee or viewed the wild flower exhibit.

We got back in our cars and headed north through Prescott and then East, to the lovely County road O. As we approached O, the sun disappeared, rain began to fall, then sleet, and then rain again. Wayne, with his top down, got a bit of a cleaning. The rest of the tourers were fine. As we took a scenic route from Prescott to Hudson, we saw eagles, llamas, flowering fruit trees, and what you expect to see on a rural springtime drive - cows ! Sped on past Beldenville, past River Falls, and into Hudson. We left the Peg with 16 cars, picked up 2 in Prescott and lost 2 in Hudson. A hungry 25 of us enjoyed a late lunch at the Shanghai Bistro. After all were fed, we invited those who had the time to our house to view our cars, sheds, a garage full of plants in from the 2 nights of cold, and to enjoy some homemade cookies and bars. Many did, and it was a fun filled day. Thanks to all who came !

**By Tom & June Moerke**



Registration



Alaska?...no way !

## InterMarque SPRING KICK-OFF

Editor

Those weathermen were right on target again, predicting a hot and sunny Saturday for this popular event. Of course it was cool and rainy. In spite of that, there was a nice turnout of people and cars at Como Park. Plenty of staff were there to help the drivers find parking in the appropriate lots. Many beautiful cars appeared, and some for the first time. The various marques were well represented, and it was a good time to renew old acquaintances. People brought picnic lunches with them, or they opted for the café in the pavilion nearby. It was a shame that the weather was not more cooperative, as people were ready to hang out around the cars and talk to friends. Maybe next year.....!



...just smilin' in the rain...



A leg-challenged helper



## The Three Stop Northwest Metro Progressive Dinner

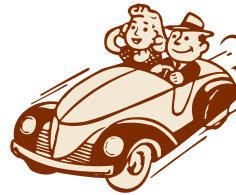
Editor

The morning was cloudy, but the skies cleared and the temperature went up for the Dinner Travelers on Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. About 30 AH members gathered at Barb & Gary Ronning's for refreshments and appetizers around 3:00 pm. Milling around the kitchen/dining area and out onto the back deck, the crowd noise was pretty good! People were thirsty and starting to get hungry.

At about 4:30, Gary Wetzel passed out maps to our next stop, which was about a half hour away. There Eileen was waiting with wonderful Chicken Cacciatore and all the trimmings. We all had seating in their spacious home and enjoyed partaking as well as conversing.

I think we were starting to get full; but because we all cleaned our plates, Rose and Jim Klein said we could come to their home for desserts. Around 6:00 we made our way north to Klein's lovely home. Rose was ready and dishing out some luscious sweets. We hung around as long as we could, but alas the evening had to end. The event was most enjoyable, and we must do it again.

Thanks to all who attended ,with special thanks to the hosts !



**Board of Directors Meeting – May 5, 2010**

The MAHC Board of Directors met after the PIE meeting. A quorum was present. There was a discussion about the fact that the Minnesota Austin Healey Club is operating as a Minnesota Non-Profit Corporation. That status has not effectively been made known. Therefore the name Minnesota Austin Healey Club Inc. will be inserted in our Bylaws, on our web site, and in our newsletter.

The following is an announcement of a change to Article 1 of our Bylaws:

NAME The organization shall be called the Minnesota Austin Healey Club (MAHC), and on July 8, 1983, became an affiliated Chapter of the Austin Healey Club of America (AHCA). The Minnesota Austin Healey Club, Inc. is operating as a Minnesota Non-Profit Corporation. The Austin Healey Club of America, Inc. is operating as a Not-for-profit Illinois corporation.

This revision to our Bylaws will be discussed and acted upon at the next Board of Directors meeting.

**Lynch / Ronning Southwest Tour & Picnic**

**Date:** Sunday June 27<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 12:00 Noon

**Meet at:** Southeast corner of Hwys. 7 and 101 – near the Burger King

**Tour:** Enjoy the scenery around the Minnesota River Valley.  
There will be some questions to answer, and you might win a Prize !

**Destination:** The home of Mike & Gloria Lynch  
6630 Horseshoe Curve  
Chanhassen, MN 55317

**RSVP:** Please let Mike & Gloria know if you are coming.  
phone: 952-474-5642  
email : [cmi@cmeters.com](mailto:cmi@cmeters.com)

**Cost:** \$10.00 per person

**NAME BADGES**

If any of you have not received your MAHC Name Badge, please let Tom Hazen know. His phone number is 612-237-1883, and his email is [myliberty@comcast.net](mailto:myliberty@comcast.net). Currently he is reviewing and ordering Name Badges for existing and new members.

You may have to pay for one, if you just lost it. Please let him know, as we would like to see all members wearing the attractive Name Badge.







# **Drive-in Movie Night** **July 24<sup>th</sup> at** **Cottage View Drive in**

Come and join us for the movies at  
9338 East Point Douglas Road Cottage Grove (North frontage road)  
(South of Cottage Grove, Innovation Avenue exit from US-61)

We will try to meet to the south and just forward of the Snack Bar

Sunset is 8:49 so we will try to be in line by 8 PM

I don't know what the movie will be as they don't post until the week  
before. Usually C/V has family friendly movies.

Steve and Kim Rixen and the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club  
[scrixen@gmail.com](mailto:scrixen@gmail.com)



## *Exciting Opportunity at Conclave 2010*

### *Introducing the "Grand Competitor"*

The Grand Competitor will be the individual that, we believe, will have the most fun during the week. Similar to the Donald Healey Award that goes to the local club that has the highest rate of member participation and success in the various competitions, the Grand Competitor will be the person that has the highest individual event participation along with some success at the various competitions during the week.

The Grand Competitor will win more than just the admiration of a group of Austin-Healey enthusiasts, but the winner will go home with a \$3,000 Frederique Constant Healey watch package. Frederique Constant is returning to Conclave this year as a Premium Sponsor. They have donated this incredible watch package that includes



the Swiss automatic watch along with a stunning die cast Austin-Healey all enclosed is a beautiful wooden box. Representatives from Frederique Constant will be in attendance at Eagle Ridge during the Conclave. Stop by and thank them for their support and take a look at their fine line of premium watches.



The Grand Competitor scoring will be based on how active each member is during the Conclave. So plan on showing your car in the

Popularity show on Monday, run in the gymkhana and funkhana on Tuesday, and be sure to compete in one of the rallies on Thursday. However, don't forget the other events at Conclave 2010, join the Lonsdale family and compete in the Pinewood Derby and RC car races, try your hand at the walking rally, or bring a car to be judged in Concours. OK, that one is tough for most of us, but there is always the arts, crafts and photo competition that you can compete in and, oh yes, attendance at the three organized group dinners will help your cause as well. Good luck.

**YFS – There is still time to register for Conclave 2010**

Visit [www.austinhealeyconclave.com](http://www.austinhealeyconclave.com) for a Conclave 2010 registration form and details for all events, lodging choices, meals and other pertinent information. Email any questions to: [conclave2010@aol.com](mailto:conclave2010@aol.com).



## Conclave 2010 – Premier Tech Sessions & Tech Support

There will be a nice selection of tech sessions to choose from during the week at Conclave 2010. A can't miss session will be held on Tuesday afternoon featuring the two Austin-Healey 100S cars owned by Midwest Region members, Craig and Shari Hillinger, the owners of The Healey Werks in Lawton Iowa, a premium level sponsor of Conclave 2010.

Craig will present his Works competition 100S that he has preserved as it was when it was raced by Donald and Geoff Healey's factory race team. He will compare that track prepared car to his "street" version and fully restored 100S. Craig will point out the differences between these two historic cars and also show how they differed from the Austin-Healey 100 BN1 cars. If you have never seen a 100S up close and personal, don't miss this opportunity.



The Healey Werks will also have a team of Healey Mechanics on site throughout Conclave 2010 to offer you any needed repair or support services should your Healey require repairs during the week. This service will be performed at their reasonable standard rates.



## Post-Conclave Track Day

Blackhawk Farms Raceway has invited all Conclave 2010 participants to an Austin-Healey driver education track day on Friday, July 16. Blackhawk Farms is hosting the entire event exclusively for us which begins with lunch at 11 AM. A brief classroom driver instruction will begin at noon, and then from



12:30 to 4:30 we have exclusive use of the track. Blackhawk Farms has arranged a very special rate for Conclave 2010 participants at \$105 per car. This includes one lunch per car with additional lunches available for \$10 each. For more information about Blackhawk Farms their website is: [www.blackhawkfarms.com](http://www.blackhawkfarms.com).

Check out the Conclave 2010 website for registration information, safety requirements, and the registration form for this event. Space is limited.

## Conclave 2010 Regalia

Conclave 2010 is offering a unique opportunity to showcase your Healey pride. You can order Conclave 2010 clothing and caps with your choice of an Austin-Healey 100, 3000, "Bugeye" Sprite or square-body Sprite in your event logo. You can even specify the color of the car in your logo choosing from Black, Healey Blue, Old English White, British Racing Green, Colorado Red and Pale Primrose.



Don't delay, order today. We will not be able to order your specific regalia items after June 18 for delivery at Conclave. Don't delay, order today. We will have limited supplies of inventory in car styles and colors at Conclave, so don't delay, order today to make sure you get what you want.



Check out the other unique regalia offerings on the website. From original Healey artwork, to stainless steel water bottles, patches, pins to a woven blanket with an image of the popularity car show on Main Street in Galena, you will find interesting Healey treasures.



You can access the regalia order form on our website, [www.austinhealeyconclave.com](http://www.austinhealeyconclave.com). Just click on the Regalia link.



# 1st Annual British Sports Car Display

Saturday June 5th, 11:00 AM



## Hosted by Minnesota Triumphs Sports Car Club at Woodland Hill Winery

731 Cty Rd 30, Delano, MN...4.5 miles west of Delano  
on Cty Rd 30 <<http://woodlandhillwinery.net>>

- Display your little British sports car. All British marques invited.
- See Triumphs, Lotus, Austin Healeys, MGs, Minis, Jaguars
- Free
- Live music provided by "Locklin Road" Irish band
- Lunch available for \$10
- Enjoy the beautiful grounds including a picnic arbor area
- Select from over 20 wine varieties, taste 6-varieties for \$5
- Available tour of the vineyard & winery
- Celebrate British Car Week, May 29 - June 6

**Please join us for a fun day!**  
**<[mntriumphs.org](http://mntriumphs.org)>**

Any questions contact: Steve Shogren, Minnesota Sports Car Club  
<[steveshogren@yahoo.com](mailto:steveshogren@yahoo.com)>



# AMERY AIRPORT AUTOCROSS AND STRAIGHT-AWAY SPEED RUN VII

**Saturday, June 12, 2010** (rain date Sunday, June 13)

Registration opens at 8:00am, closes at 9:00am

**MANDATORY DRIVERS MEETING 9:00am**



Turn quickly through the orange cones of the autocross, then straighten 'er out for the 1/2 mile taxiway top speed run. Our state-of-the-art stopwatch/thumb system will measure your time on the course, and a radar gun will capture your top speed on the straight-away.

Drivers must be 18+, sign waiver, pass on-site tech inspection, wear helmet (Bring a Snell 90 or newer - we'll have some loaners)



**CORNER WORKERS NEEDED!** Want to get close to the action but not drive? Like to wave flags and blow whistles? Free treats and lunch provided to all-day volunteers, so call Tom now to reserve your coveted place among the cones.

Directions: The simple route is 94 East into Wisconsin, take the Baldwin Hwy 63 exit, turn left heading north on Hwy 63 which eventually becomes Hwy 46. For a more scenic drive, from the northeast corner of 694, take Hwy 36 East into downtown Stillwater, turn right and take the old drawbridge over the St. Croix into Wisconsin, following Hwy 64 East. Stay on 64 past Somerset and through New Richmond, then turn left onto Hwy 46 North. The airport is on your left before you get to Amery. Mapquest or GPS: 531 State Hwy 46, Amery, WI.



**Despite all precautions taken, this event remains dangerous and may result in property damage, serious injury, or death. Drivers, spectators, and workers enter at their own risk.**

**Advance registration (deadline June 9 or sell out) \$30 per driver. \$15 for Austin-Healey Club members. Make check payable to the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club and mail to Tom Hazen, 11434 Mtka Mills Rd, Mtka, MN 55305. Or pay via PayPal adding \$1 service charge to myliberty@comcast.net. Sorry, no refunds. Day of event payment will be \$10 more.**

Driver:

Year, make, model, color, requested car number:

Email and phone:

Questions? Contact Tom Hazen at 612-237-1883 or myliberty@comcast.net

This event  
brought to you  
by the



The course is run entirely on pavement. Drivers will run in the order their paid registrations are received. We will try to give everyone five runs, more if time permits.



**BRING A FRIEND!**

Helmeted passengers 16+ will be allowed on all runs.



Refreshment stand  
provided by the



## Events Schedule

- June 2 \*\*** **PIE Meeting** - (Wed) Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Come early! See page 2.
- June 5** **British Sports Car Display** – (Sat.) Meet at 11:00 a.m. at Woodland Hills Winery, 731 County Rd. 30, Delano, MN Hosted by the MN Triumphs Sports Car Club. See page 12.
- June 12** **Amery Competition Run** – (Sat.) Excellent test running of your favorite Sports Car orchestrated by Tom Hazen. See page 13.
- June 17 - 20** **Rendezvous 2010** - This will be the 20<sup>th</sup> year for the annual Vintage Sports Car Rendezvous. The location this year will be in Thunder Bay, Ontario. Get your hotel reservations in early and enjoy the drive up the North Shore !
- June 18 - 20** **Back to the 50's Car Show** – The annual supersize car show at the Minnesota State Fairgrounds. If you want to see tons of fancy cars, here's the place!
- June 27\*\*** **Lynch / Ronning Tour & Picnic** – (Sun.) Meet at 12:00 noon. There will be a driving tour in the southwest metro area ending up at Mike & Gloria Lynch's lovely home for refreshments and dinner. See page 8 for details.
- July 3-4** **VSCR Races** – (Sat–Sun) At Brainerd International Raceway. Includes Show & Go Drag Races. Call Rich Stadther for more information.
- July 7\*\*** **PIE Meeting** – (Wed) Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Come early! See page 2.
- July 11-15** **Austin Healey Conclave** – (Sun-Thurs) This year the National AHCA Conclave will be in Galena, Illinois. We should have good representation at this nearby event. Reserve now.
- July 15-18** **Kohler International Challenge** – (Thur-Sun) This is the big annual vintage car race event held at RoadAmerica in Elkhart Lake, WI. For details, call J.Johnk, D.Powell, R.Stadther, or J. Lumbard.
- July 18** **Lynch Mexican Picnic** – (Sun) Another grand picnic put on by Mike & Gloria Lynch. Always great food in a beautiful setting. Details later.
- July 24** **InterMarque Movie Night** – (Sat) Join your Sports Car loving friends for an evening at the outdoor movies ! Arrangements by Kim & Steve Rixen.
- July 25** **InterMarque Picnic** – (Sun) 1:00 P.M. Monthly gathering for a picnic at Cherokee Park in St. Paul. Bring your own food and refreshments.

### MINNESOTA QUARTERS ALERT (IMPORTANT)

*Submitted by Brian McCullough*

*Hang on to any of the new Minnesota quarters you may acquire. They may be worth MUCH MORE than 25 cents! The US Mint announced today that it is recalling all of the Minnesota quarters that are part of its program featuring quarters from each state. This action is being taken after numerous reports that the new quarters will not work in parking meters, toll booths, vending machines, pay phones or any other coin-operated devices.*

*The problem lies in the unique makeup of the Minnesota quarter, which was designed by a couple of Norwegian specialists, Sven and Ole. Apparently, the duct tape holding the two dimes and the nickel together keeps jamming up the machines.*

**\*\* - Denotes an official MAHC club activity**

Steve Rixen is...



**Strictly British**



Parts, Service & Consultation



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Cell: 612-877-1938

729 Paul Burch Drive

Hudson WI 54016



# Events Schedule

- Aug 1 \*\*** **Stine / Lauser Annual Country Picnic** – (Sun.) Gather at the Stine Farm for their annual Luncheon on the Lawn. Foods are always delicious. Details later.
- Aug 4 \*\*** **PIE Meeting** - (Wed) Meet at 7:00 p.m. See page 2.
- Aug 14** **Hill Climb IX** – (Sat) Afton Alps Ski Hill – Tom Hazen will be conducting the exciting Hill Climb again. Watch for more details.
- Aug 14** **Brit Fest** – (Sat) 9:00 am – 1:00 pm This event has been held at the Ellingson Car Museum on Hwy. 94 near Rogers, MN for the past several years. It's a great place to buy or sell parts and show your car. Sponsored by the MN MG Group.
- Aug. 29** **Intermarque Picnic** – (Sun.) 1:00 pm Monthly gathering for a picnic at Cherokee Park in St. Paul. Bring your own food and refreshments.
- Sept. 1 \*\*** **PIE Meeting** – (Wed.) Meet at 7:00 p.m. See page 2.
- Sept. 10 – 12** **Fall Vintage Race Festival** - Held at RoadAmerica in Elkhart Lake, WI. A great opportunity to see vintage racing up close. Call Jeff J., Dan P., Jeff L., or Rich S. for details.
- Sept.11** **Wheels 'n Wings** – (Sat) 8:00 am 30<sup>th</sup> Year! Always a lot of cars and a lot of books. Airplanes, a train ride, hot dogs, and friendly people make it an enjoyable day in Osceola, WI.
- Sept. 12 \*\*** **Healey Morgan Picnic** – (Sun.) Enjoy a sunny Sunday afternoon at Herb & Marsha Miller's Bloomington home and browse through Herb's projects and toys. Details later.
- Sept. 19 \*\*** **Soderbeck-Huston Picnic in the Woods** – (Sun.) Come to Wayne's house in the woods for down home cooking and trail games. Details later.
- Sept. 25\*\*** **Adopt a Highway Clean-up** (Sat.) The second of our two clean-ups for the year is to be on this date. Details later.
- Sept. 26** **Intermarque Picnic** – (Sun.) 1:00 pm Monthly gathering for a picnic at Cherokee Park in St. Paul. Bring your own food and refreshments.
- Oct. 6 \*\*** **PIE Meeting** – (Wed.) Meet at 7:00 p.m. See page 2..
- Oct. 16** **Fall Color Tour-** (Sat.) Be out and enjoy the beautiful Fall colors with our illustrious road event leader – Tom Hazen ! Details later.
- Nov. 3 \*\*** **PIE Meeting** – (Wed.) Meet at 7:00 p.m. See page 2.
- Nov. 13** **Charity Event** – (Sat.) 9:00 – 11:00 am. For Feed My Starving Children. Dale Martin arranges this very worthwhile event each year. It is an enjoyable exercise for a very good cause.
- Nov. 20 \*\*** **Annual Business Meeting Party** – (Sat.) The annual business meeting, election of officers, and dinner banquet will occur on this evening at the Officer's Club. Details later.
- Dec. 1\*\*** **PIE Meeting** – (Wed.) Meet at 7:00 p.m. See page 2.
- Dec. 4 \*\*** **Planning Breakfast** – (Sat.) The schedule of events for 2011 will be on the agenda for this meeting. Tom Hazen will select the site.

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