

# HIGH ROADS

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## PLANNED ACTIVITIES

- Nov 18** Tech session—**CAAHC Mtg**
- December** Hope everyone has a Happy Holiday season
- Jan 14, 2007** **AGM meeting—Bill & Patti Nalley's home**

### • CLUB EVENT

### CONCLAVE 2007 Burlington, Vt

For those interested in checking out info on the conclave and making hotel reservations, check out their website:

[www.austinhealeyconclave.com](http://www.austinhealeyconclave.com)

### TECH SESSION

November 18, 2006

There will be a tech session on Saturday, November 18th, 10 AM at Vintage Restorations Limited in Mount Airy, Maryland. John will talk about preparing our Healeys for the winter. Hope you can all make it.

### AGM Meeting Sunday, January 14, 2007 11 AM

The AGM meeting will be held in the Home of Bill & Patti Nalley's in Annapolis this coming January 14, 2007. It will begin at 11AM. More details to follow. We will not be having this event catered this year.

**Note from the President**

Boys & Girls:

Geez, another very fast month goes by; but with some good Healey event memories. As always, the Hunt Country Classic was well attended by our club members; also the famous dessert Challenge winners: 1st, Pam White; 2nd, Melody and 3rd to Shanti. Rockville car show was well attended on a chilly day. Now even cooler weather is on the way; we are thinking about storage. Well, our Tech Session next month (Nov 18) will be on this subject. There will also be a general meeting at the session. Check the website and newsletter for date and time.

This is Isabelle's and my third year of being active in the club and we have seen the events increase every year. Maybe '07 will be another fun year.

See you on the 18th of November.

**REGALIA INVENTORY**

- Hats — 12
- Henley Shirts—5
- Polo Shirts—7
  - Yellow
  - Birch
- Mock Turtlenecks—11
  - White
- Sweatshirts—Red —6
- Baseball Shirt—10
- Windbreaker—2
- Grill Badges—8
- Lid Latches—193
  - Black
  - Black & Red

**SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS**  
**SOME ITEMS ON SALE**

**OLD REGALIA ITEMS**

- Yellow t-shirts (Williamsburg classic) 2
- Polo Shirts —gray 2
- Sweatshirts — white 3M
- Lapel Pins (Conclave 2003) 8
- Conclave Bags 14

**NEW SHIRTS**

- Mens M, L, XL, XXL Royal \$42
- Mens Vests M,L, XL, XXL, Blk \$45
- Womens Polo -royal blue
  - S,M,L,XL (Ashworth) \$42
  - Sleeveless-light blue
    - M,L,XL \$30
  - Sleeveless-royal blue
    - S,M,L,XL \$30
  - Polo (Sport Haley) \$32



**Dean Turner in the Warrenton Heritage Day Parade September 30, 2006**

Hi All,

Bill Emerson has put together a photo montage of the VIR 100-Six 50th Anniversary Celebration held last weekend at VIR (see below). The weather was perfect and everyone had a good time.

The Healeys took a Track Tour and got a real feel ... albeit at much slower speeds... of why the Aus-sies (and Michael Oritt) rave about racing on this circuit. For those who don't race drive, there is trackside viewing on all the straights and esses.

Gerry Coker, Guest of Honor, answered all questions and I think everyone was photographed with him or had something signed by him - always with his ready smile.

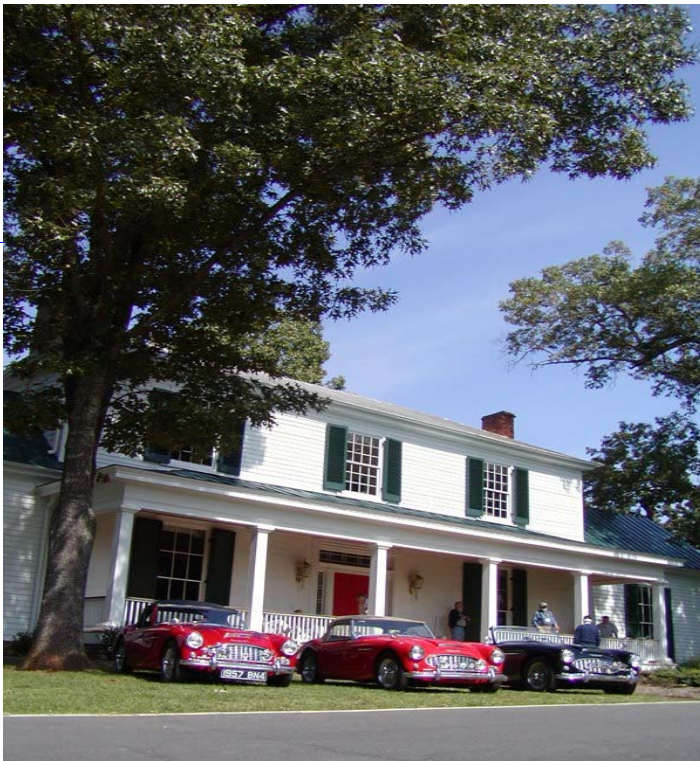
VIR experienced a torrential downpour Thursday night and the Virginia red clay precluded any activities at the actual Healey Museum location. During a morning event, Bill gave an detailed "first look" presentation detailing the museum's floor plan.

Per Allan Casavant's display concept, the Healeys will not be in roww but will be staged in groupings of no more than three. Notice the different color codes as you watch the slide show on Bill's site -- starting at the upper right center and working clockwise, the story of Donald Healey's life from pre-WWI through the Jensen-Healeys and racing will be a true walk on the Healey History Highway.

There is space for group gatherings, a kitchen and a Resource Center with archival material.

It was a very enjoyable first event for The Healey Museum and something to look forward to for club outings and car shows. VIR catered their first Ploughman's Lunch - it was a big success and will probably become an event standard.

Melody Cooke



100 Six BN4 & BN6 at VIR Restaurant



Bill Emerson points out site where Museum will be

October 8th meeting was opened by our President Ed Bunch at the Hunt Country Classic in Middleburg, Va.

September's meeting's minutes were read.

Ralf Berthiez reported there being 155 paid members and a balance of \$4,500 in our checking account. Ralf also is asking members to mail in their membership dues early to keep down the confusion with national and our local club. Delegate Michael Oritt asked that any news or questions should be sent to him before the delegates' meeting November 10-12.

Melody Cooke reported on the VIR celebration in September. The days were wet but all had a nice time and learned a lot about the museum.

Pam White asked if anyone was interested in starting a book club. We would read a book and then discuss it at our drive's stopping point, at our conventions or at a classic while others talk "cars".

Ed asked Dean Turner and Allen Feldman to be co-chairs for the nominating committee. Nominations will be announced at the holiday party.

All going on the Skyline Drive in September had a very nice day. beautiful scenery and good food. Compliments to Kirby Nelson for chairing the event.

Ed asked Michael to refresh us on the Southeastern Classic. the committee would like to have the CAAHC attend a classic before chairing one in our area. The next Southeastern Classic will be held in Little Switzerland, N. C. in September 2007.

There is still regalia inventory left - old and new. Some old shirts will be on sale. A list will be passed around.

Our next show is in Rockville, Md. on October 14, 2006

The next Tech Session will be on November 18, 2006 at Vintage Restorations Limited in Mount Airy, Md.

The annual Holiday Party will be at Bill Nalley's home in Annapolis, Md. Date and time to be announced at a later date.

Ed ended the meeting with a plan for us to think about for next year...a drive on Captain John Smith's trails along the James River. This trip is for boaters and motorists and could be a planned drive to add to our 2007 "Events Calendar".

**Desserts** were judged by Vic Powell of the National Jag Owners Club. **Third place went to Shanthi Fatterpaker; 2nd place went to Melody and 1st place went to Pam White.**

Meeting was adjourned.

Attending: Dean & Sue Turner, Eric Parlet & Kathy Bliss, Fred & Anne Hufnagel, Ron & Nikki Szanyi, Tim Flaherty, Biff Jones, Neal & Jackie Brewer, Anil & Shanthi Fatterpaker, Michael Oritt, Kirby Nelson, Dan Tiedge, Ed Bunch, Marian & Allen Feldman, Jack & Pam White, Melody Cooke, Fred & Dot McConville, Mac Holt, John Elliott, Brain Wilson, Dick Williams, Ralf Berthiez & Karen Field. Non-members were David Wheeler, Frank & Lynn Custis.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNERS

Class A—Austin Healey 100 & 3000 (early):	<b>1st</b>	<b>Tim Flaherty</b>	<b>56 100</b>
	<b>2nd</b>	<b>Neal &amp; Jackie Brewer</b>	<b>59 100-6</b>
	<b>3rd</b>	<b>John Elliot</b>	<b>54 100</b>
Class BB—Austin Healey 3000 (late)	<b>1st</b>	<b>Edison Bunch</b>	<b>66 3000 BJ8</b>
	<b>2nd</b>	<b>Fred McConville</b>	<b>66 3000 BJ8</b>
	<b>3rd</b>	<b>Ronald Szanyi</b>	<b>67 3000 MkIIIB</b>





Hunt Country Classic  
Photos

See Yahoo Groups for more photos



## Rockville Car Show

The morning started out COLD. Getting in the car it was COLD. Driving was COLD. It was so cold Sue (in her winter coat) made me put the top up and roll up the windows !  
We were the first Healey there with the Feldmans and McKennas arriving an hour or so later. Then we were joined by a couple in another red over black Healey. An hour or so later another Healey parked behind us. He lives in Olney, Md. and had been a CAAHC member before moving to WV. He's now back and will soon rejoin our club.  
The sun was warming us by the time we had to leave but it was another great Rockville Show.  
Attending: Dean & Sue Turner, Allen & Marian Feldman, Bob & Missy McKenna, Pet Groh, and non members: Rich & Dorothy Mollett and Ron House  
**Dean**

## BOOK CLUB BOOK CLUB BOOK CLUB NEWS

For those interested in joining the CAAHC book club, we will be reading “The Buffalo Soldier” by Bohjalian. Be sure to get the book by Bohjalian as there are other books with that title.

Second book will be a mystery by Archer Mayor—to be chosen at a later date.

As Pam White mentioned at the CAAHC meeting at Hunt Country Classic, we thought it might be fun to read something about Vermont before our big trip up there next June. Please contact: [isabellebunch@comcast.net](mailto:isabellebunch@comcast.net) if you are interested in reading these books and talking about them. Should be a lot of fun. Will keep those who are interested posted on when we will get together.

Isabelle, When we were at Solomons John Hummer noticed my coolant recovery jar on my BT7 and suggested that it might be a good article of interest to the Club.  
All new cars have a coolant recovery system to always maintain the coolant level in the radiator at a peak level. During my restoration I added one to my BT7 by putting a large plastic bottle in the notch of the frame and ran the hose up to the radiator. It worked great on our Solomons weekend.  
When the engine is hot and you turn it off the heat of the engine boils the coolant and it flows out of the radiator pressure cap. With the bottle at the end of the hose the coolant goes into the bottle and not on the garage floor. When the engine cools, the coolant is sucked back into the radiator through the radiator pressure cap, thereby maintaining a full radiator.  
I put a similar bottle on my Sprite. It worked great on our trip to Shepherdstown.  
Charlie







