

HEALEY HAPPENINGS



AUGUST 2023

www.carolinasahc.com

Facebook:
Carolinas Austin-Healey Club

Healey Happenings is the official publication of the Carolinas Austin-Healey Club and is published January through November.

Membership in the Carolinas Austin-Healey Club is open to all owners of Austin and Jensen Healeys and to all others who have an interest in the car or the purpose of the club. Ownership of a Healey is not required for membership.

UP COMING EVENTS

Club Meeting	August 19
Southeastern	Sept 21-24
MGs on the Green	Sept 30
Britfest	Oct 7
Quad Club Drive	Oct 14
British Car Day	Oct 28

INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

Officers, Editor, Meeting, Membership	2
President's Message	3
Upcoming Events	7-11
Past Events	12-15
Classified	16-17
Club Calendar	18-19

SAVE THE DATES

August 19, 2023 Club Meeting/Pool Party Hosted by the Bovies

September 21-24, 2023 Austin Healey Southeastern Classic XXXVI Double Tree Inn at Biltmore Village Asheville, NC



To register click [HERE](#)

MGs on the Green

Car Show | BYO Picnic Lunch | Silent Auction
Frank Liske Park
4001 Strough Road Concord, NC 28027

MMGSC welcomes the Triumph Club of the Carolinas, the Carolinas Austin Healey Club, and all prospective members.

SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 30, 2023
9:00AM - 1:30PM

October 7, 2023 Britfest at Market Commons, Myrtle Beach, SC

October 14, 2023 Quad Club Drive/CAHC Meeting Beaver's Den, Lake Wateree

Carolinas Austin-Healey Club

Officers

President
George Hege 704-907-1740
g_hege@bellsouth.net

1st Vice President
Bob Bove 704-904-7391
rbsdigo@carolina.rr.com

2nd Vice President
Ed Farnell 803-360-6806
eafarnell@gmail.com

Secretary
Lisa Bond

Treasurer
Ted Sjolander 704-779-0307
sjoman322@gmail.com

Delegate
Bill Walton 704-299-7462
bill.walton@mac.com

Future 50 Rep
Will Walton 704-258-6314
will.r.walton@gmail.com

Newsletter Editor
Ed Farnell 803-360-6806
eafarnell@gmail.com

Membership
Jack Porter 864-583-1261
jackannette@bellsouth.net

Regalia
Annette Porter 864-909-2289
jackannette@bellsouth.net

Webmaster
Bill Walton 704-299-7462
bill.walton@mac.com

Roadside Care
Glenda Sjolander 704-877-6508
roadsidecare@carolinasahc.com

Club Photographer
Debbie White 704-451-2885
dwhite1451@gmail.com

EDITOR'S NOTES

First drive since early March. Got the bum leg in and took about a 15 mile drive to the British Car Club breakfast. A little uncomfortable, but it FELT SO GOOD. Looking forward to one day soon being able to make a several hour drive.



Look further in the newsletter for VOLUNTEER

opportunities during our Southeastern event in September. Please remember that we are the host club and if all of us attending get involved it will be a super event that everyone will enjoy. Try your best to contribute a few hours each day to helping on one or more of the committees listed on the following pages. We have over 70 club members attending, so if everyone gets involved everyone gets to work less and play more.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Our monthly meetings are listed on the calendar of events that can be found in each newsletter and on our club website.

www.carolinasahc.com

Newsletter

Submissions to the newsletter can be sent at any time to Ed Farnell. Deadline is the 5th of each month.

Classified "For Sale" ads: Advertising British cars for sale are FREE to members. Ads selling Healey parts, or Healey related items are FREE to all. Non-member "Cars for Sale" are \$10.00 per issue. Send information (photos should be jpg format) to eafarnell@gmail.com All Commercial Ads: Advertise your business in the Healey Happenings! Annual display ad rates are as follows:

Half Page 5" X 8" \$150.00 per year
Quarter Page \$100.00 per year
Business Card \$ 50.00 per year



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE & RAMBLINGS

What a great time we had at Joyce Allen's Lake Cottage on July 15th. Although it was hot, we had 33 club members come together for great fellowship, tasty BBQ, delicious side dishes, and deserts! Thanks, y'all! Thank you, also, Don Hemphill and Chip Teague, for bringing your pontoon boats to share with us!. Of course, special thanks to Joyce for inviting us, and joining us as we enjoyed her great lake view, and camaraderie. We had so much fun that we precluded the "meeting" part, and had some more desert. It was neat and quite satisfying to watch the approaching storm go around us, allowing us to stay a little longer.

What is also approaching, quickly, is Southeastern XXXVI. The number of registrations is rising, and we are anticipating about 125 cars, which is more than we have ever had, and many more than Conclave had this year. Of course, that's because of the (cooler) time of year, the fantastic (cooler) location, the Blue Ridge Parkway, great hotel, rates and food, and the anticipated excellent fun that is to come. (Did I say, cooler?) However, to make this the special event that we know it can be, we will need YOUR help! Every one of our club members need to be part of this in order to make it work. Whether it be helping to meet & greet, provide directions, help with registration, the car show, silent auction, hospitality, sell 50/50 tickets, etc., please say YES when we call to ask for your help, and be there to do your part.

This could be the best SEC ever, with your

help.
(Spoiler Alert!
In addition to the 26+ baskets, there are many other raffish items and the silent auction, there is a new SEC regalia item that will surprise and delight you, thanks to Wilbur Wright, and his friend, a Case Master Knife Dealer! Oops!)



Our next local event will be at Bob and Debbie Bove's lovely home, on August 19th (2:00 PM). We have been lucky to have been there before! What a treat it is, and they are. Their beautifully manicured garden is fun to see, and then take a dip in their refreshing pool to cool off, cool beverage in hand! Pretty awesome! Thanks, Bob, Deb, and Bailey.

What a great club and club members we have! As a friend of mine says, "Don't Let Up!"

Cheers,
George

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL

The CAHC needs your help. In the very near future you may be receiving a call from one or more of the Southeastern Committee Chairs listed below. Please look over the list and see where you believe your talents might be put to the best use. As you can see both inside and outside work is available at all times during the event.



REGISTRATION - George & Marilyn Hege: Registration check in and Greeters at the front portico

SILENT AUCTION & RAFFLE ROOM - Ed Farnell: Room set up on Wednesday, monitoring the rooms during open hours, raffle ticket sales and distribution of items following the banquet and on Sunday morning.

50/50 TICKET SALES - Ed Farnell: Assist as needed

HOSPITALITY ROOM - Annette & Jack Porter and Paula & Clark Moore: Help with hospitality as needed.

REGALIA - Bob Bove: Assist with regalia sales as needed.

POKER RUN - Bill Walton and Debbie White: Assist with giving out cards and tallying results.

CAR SHOW & GENERAL PARKING AT THE HOTEL and TRAILER PARKING - John Jones & Jerry Price: Direct Healey parking at the rear of the hotel, arrange for first timers car show parking, set up show field for Saturday, direct parking, and manage ballot counting.

REPAIR TENT, CAR WASH - Sid Trapp & Larry Griswold: Monitor repair tent and car wash hours and supplies.

As you can see there is a lot to be done and your help is greatly needed

SOUTHEASTERN UPDATETM

- Currently there are 113 registrations (39 from CAHC members) and 57 registrants arriving on Wednesday
- 94 Healeys will be attending
- 29 registrants are FIRST TIMERS (**WOW**)
- Registrants are from 12 different states and Canada
- The car show will be at a beautiful park in Biltmore Forest to help promote their 100 anniversary and the town is invited
- Our members have committed 26+ baskets for the raffle
- There are over 50 other raffle items
- We have more than 60 silent action items
- There are two Great new items for sale on our website
<https://carolinasahc.com/shop/>





Happy Birthday, CAHC Members!!

Are you a new member or not sure if I have your birthday?

Send an email to eafarnell@gmail.com

August 2 Fred Dabney

September 5 Dick Lunney

September 7 Marilyn Hege

September 16 Sandy Harris

September 23 Don Hemphill

September 28 Edie Anderson



Michael Ortiz - Raleigh, NC

Geoffrey Lang - Raleigh, NC

EVENTS IN THE WINDSCREEN

August 19, 2023 CAHC Annual Pool Party and August Club Meeting
hosted by Bob and Debbie Bove

Arrive 5119 Bevington Place, Charlotte at 2:00 PM

Our hosts will provide the MEAT. Tea and lemonade will also be available.

Each couple is asked to bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert. **BYOB** Please email rbsdiego@caroliona.rr.com with the number attending and what dish you wish to bring.

Provided for will be social interaction, pool activities, swan for photo ops, corn hole, bocce ball, billiards and a tour of the Bove gardens featured in the Charlotte Garden Club tour of six homes.

The Bove's should have enough chairs, however, you may wish to bring a sunbrella and some sun screen.

We have decided that due to our respective ages and out of respect for the neighbors, bathing suits will be required for swimming. BYO towels



ANOTHER SOUTHEASTERN COMING YOUR WAY

Go to www.carolinasahc.com to register. Please register now for the best hotel rooms and to help us best plan our event.



Southeastern Classic XXXVI
September 21-24, 2023
Biltmore Village, Asheville, NC

Registration for Southeastern Classic XXXVI is now open! The Carolinas Austin-Healey Club has lots of activities and drives on the Blue Ridge Parkway planned for our SEC XXXVI. Go to www.CarolinasAHC.com for the **Event Highlights, Event Schedule, Hotel details** and the online **Registration Form**.
Questions: SEClassic2023@carolinasahc.com



Scan the QR Code to take you to the Carolinas website



MGs on the Green

Car Show | BYO Picnic Lunch | Silent Auction

Frank Liske Park

4001 Stough Road Concord, NC 28027

MMGCC welcomes the Triumph
Club of the Carolinas, the
Carolinas Austin Healey Club,
and all prospective members.

SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

9:00AM - 1:30PM

**SATURDAY, OCT. 7, 2023
TENTH ANNUAL**



**HELD AT
THE MARKET COMMON
MYRTLE BEACH,
SOUTH CAROLINA**

SPONSORED BY



On Behalf of the Entire Grand Strand British Car Club, We Welcome You to Our Annual Car Show at The Market Common! In addition to all of the beautiful British cars, we will have a shady hospitality tent. Food trucks will offer a variety of cuisines for your purchasing selection. Only 2 blocks away is The Market Common which boasts shops, restaurants and a cinema so your weekend will be packed with fun for everyone! Please, register early and plan to stay the weekend to soak up all of the fun!

The Grand Strand British Car Club's Myrtle Beach Britfest will be held at The Market Common on the empty paved lot (behind the King Street Grille) bounded by Johnson and Hendrick Ave. and Iris and Hackler St. located just off Farrow Parkway between Highway 17 Business and Highway 17 By-Pass.



Driving on Highway 17 Business:
Turn west onto Farrow Parkway, proceed 0.7 mile, turn right onto Johnson Ave.

Driving on Highway 17 By-Pass:
Exit onto Farrow Parkway, proceed east 2.7 miles, turn left on Johnson Ave.

Dash Plaques will be given to all early registration entrants and will be available for some late and "day-of" registrations.

Award Plaques or Trophies will be presented to winners in each Class with at least one entrant. Special Awards will be presented for "My Favorite British Car", "Best Picnic Presentation", and for this year, a Special Recognition for the 100th Anniversary of M.G. Sports Cars!

English Tea with "Best Hat" competition will take place under one of the shady hospitality tents during the show.

A Welcome Reception will be held Friday night from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. at the Tupelo Honey Cafe, 3042 Howard Ave. located in The Market Common (heavy hor d'oeuvres and cash bar).



Recommended Accommodations Special room rate information for DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Myrtle Beach Oceanfront will be listed on the GSBCC website as it becomes available.



DOUBLE TREE RESORT
BY HILTON
MYRTLE BEACH OCEANFRONT

Car Class Numbers:

- 01 Austin Healey 100 / 3000
- 02 Austin Healey Sprite / MG Midget
- 03 Austin Healey Bugeye Sprite
- 04 Aston Martin
- 05 Bentley / Rolls Royce
- 06 Jaguar SS, XK120 / 140 / 150
- 07 Jaguar E-type
- 08 Jaguar & Daimler Early Saloons (thru 1970)
- 09 Jaguar & Daimler XJ0/12/R (1968-1997)
- 10 Jaguar XJS, XJR (1978-1997)
- 11 Jaguar XK8, XK, XKR (1997-2015)
- 12 Jaguar Sedans, Estates, SUV's (1998-)
- 13 Jaguar F-type (2012-)
- 14 Lotus
- 15 MG A
- 16 MG B / C (chrome bumper)
- 17 MG B (rubber bumper)
- 18 MG B GT / C GT
- 19 MG T Series and Other
- 20 Mini (original) & variants
- 21 MINI (BMW)
- 22 Morgan
- 23 Land and Range Rover Sunbeam
- 24 Triumph TR 2/3/3A/3B
- 25 Triumph TR 4/4A/5/250
- 26 Triumph TR 6
- 27 Triumph TR 7
- 28 Triumph TR 7/8
- 29 Triumph Spitfire & GT6
- 30 Triumph Stag & Other
- 31 TVR
- 32 British Special Interest (not listed elsewhere)
- 33 * British Motorcycles
- 34 * British Replicas
- 35 * Non-British Import of Special Interest

NOTE: Entrant selects class designations of cars on this form. However, GSBCC has the right to eliminate, combine, or add classes, and to reassign entries to other classes if deemed necessary by the Judging Committee. Award Plaques or Trophies will be presented to winners in each Class with at least one entrant.

Myrtle Beach Britfest Registration

(PLEASE-PLEASE-PLEASE... print clearly as you would like it or tonight)

name: _____

address: _____

city-state-ZIP: _____

club affiliations: _____

email: _____

telephone: _____

Entry 1 class # _____ \$30 early -or- \$35 late
yr-make-model-color _____

Entry 2 class # _____ \$15 each additional
yr-make-model-color _____

Registrations before Sep. 1: \$30 first car entered + \$15 each additional car entered.

Late Registrations postmarked on or after Sep. 1: \$35 first car entered + \$15 each additional car entered.

(Registration includes 1 day Special Club Membership for Non-Members.)

T-Shirt Order:

- # of med _____
- # of large _____
- # of X lg _____
- # of XX lg _____
- x \$21.80 each (inc. sales tax) _____
- = \$ _____



Friday Night Reception at Tupelo Honey:

(Four reservations for the reception must be received by Sep. 21.)

attending = _____ x \$20 per person _____

= \$ _____

Total Above Fees: \$ _____

(Sorry, no refunds can be made.)

Friday Evening Reception:

4:00 - 6:00 pm Tupelo Honey in The Market Common

Saturday Events Agenda:

- 9:00 Show Field Opens to Parking
- 11:00 - 12:00 noon English Tea
- 11:00 Late Registration Closes and Voting Begins
- 1:30 pm Popular Voting Ends
- 2:30 pm Awards Presentation, Raffles, Etc.
- Off-Road Trailer Parking available next to show field.

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

All registrants grant permission to the Grand Strand British Car Club, Inc. (the "GSBCC") to publish photos and videos of the registrant and registrant's vehicle(s) in print or electronic media including the GSBCC newsletter, promotional materials, website, Youtube channel, FaceBook page or other social media. Registrant is also aware of the hazards inherent with motor vehicle events, and specifically releases and indemnifies the GSBCC, its Board of Directors, Officers, organizers of events, and volunteers, collectively and separately from any liability for personal injury or property damage incurred by registrant or registrant's guests while participating in this event. The undersigned has read and voluntarily signs this release and waiver of liability and indemnity and further agrees that no oral representations, statements, or inducements apart from the foregoing have been made.

signature _____ date _____

Register On-Line at

www.GrandStrandBritishCarClub.com

-or- complete this Registration Form, make out a check in the amount of the Total you calculated in the middle column payable to "GSBCC", and mail to:

Ethan Harris, MB Britfest Registrar
931 Callant Dr.
Little River, SC 29566
tel: (781) 853-1135

For more information, contact:
Warren Bender, MB Britfest Show Chairman
VP@GrandStrandBritishCarClub.com

Club Meeting/Quad Club Drive to Beaver's Den at Lake Wateree October 14, 2023

Location: 3482 John G. Richards Road, Liberty Hill, SC

Time: Arrive 11:00 AM

Invitees: British Car Club Midlands Center, Metrolina MG Car Club, Triumph Club of the Carolinas



EVENT IN THE REAR VIEW MIRROR

Our club gathering on July 15th was held at the Lake Norman cottage belonging to club member Joyce Allen. Joyce was the perfect host and 32 members traveled by boats and cars to enjoy the weather, the food, the friendship and to reconnect with Joyce. The large black cloud that arrived late afternoon veered south and not one sole got wet. It was a great gathering and I think everyone behaved enough where Joyce might invite us back again next year.



Thank you Joyce for such an enjoyable day.









CLASSIFIEDS



1959 Bugeye Sprite for sale

I have come realize that I am too old to finish this Sprite. Much of the mechanical work is done. The engine runs great with good oil pressure and all its accessories have been serviced . The electrical systems work fine. New brakes all round. New rear wheel bearings and seals installed. The gear box has problems in 1st and reverse gears. There is surface rust, but the body seems to be free from any serious rust issues. Comes with spare 948 engine on a stand.

Please contact me, Stuart Shepherd at Stuams@gmail.com if seriously interested.

VectorStock®
Photo Stock.com 124 03233





IF YOU WANT TO START MAKING YOUR HEALEY DASHBOARD LIKE THE ONE ON PAGE 22 OF THE CURRENT HEALEY MARQUE, HERE ARE THE TWO BASIC INGREDIENTS.

A VINTAGE WALTHAM AVIATION CLOCK AND A COMPASS BOTH JUST LIKE THE ONES IN THE ARTICLE UNFORTUNATELY, THE CLOCK IS NOT CURRENTLY WORKING BUT I CAN SEND IT AWAY FOR REPAIR/SERVICE IF DESIRED. THE COMPASS WORKS AND DOESN'T HAVE ANY BUBBLES IN THE FLUID.

THEY ARE CURRENTLY MOUNTED ON A WOODEN BLOCK.

\$245 USD

POSTAGE INCLUDED IF REQUIRED.

ian@thegailgroup.com
(954) 593-0034.



CAHC SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR 2023			
Date	Event	CAHC Host	Details
FEBRUARY			
20 TH 11:00 AM	Club Meeting	George Hege mailto:g_hege@bellsouth.net	Famous Toastery 1028 Edgewater Pkwy Indian Land, SC
MARCH			
4 th -5 th	Amelia Island Con- cours D'Elegance		Ritz Calton 4750 Amelia Island Pkwy Amelia Island, FL
11 th 11:00 AM	Club Meeting/Drive	George Hege mailto:g_hege@bellsouth.net	Chester State Park 759 State Park Drive, Chester, SC Bring your picnic and chairs
18 th	Spring Tune Up	Ed Farnell mailto:eafarnell@gmail.com	440 Langford Road Blythewood, SC Women's Activities & BBQ Lunch
25 th	Tri-Club Drive	Dick Lunney	Trip to Shelby for lunch at Waters Edge and NC Transportation Museum
APRIL			
1st 9:00 AM	Carolina British Classic XIV	Ed Farnell mailto:eafarnell@gmail.com	The Historic Columbia Speedway 2001 Charleston Hwy, Cayce, SC
14 th -16 th	The Gathering Club Meeting	George Hege mailto:g_hege@bellsouth.net	Shelton Vineyards Dobson, NC Healy is the featured marque
29th	Broad River Classic		Dog Head Farm Shelby, NC (see registration form)
MAY			
19 th 11:00 AM	Club Meeting/Drive		Landsford Canal State Park Home of the Spider Lilies Catawba, SC (picnic lunch)
20 th 8:30- 3:00	26 th Annual Triangle British Classic		Hendrick Center for Automotive Excellence of Wake North 6600 Louisburg Rd., Raleigh, NC
21 st -26 th	Conclave		Crystal River, Florida Register HERE
27 th 9:00 AM	Great Scot British Car Show	Jack Porter mailto:jackannette@bellsouth.net	Furman University Greenville, SC
June			
1 st -4 th	Spring Thing	Bluegrass AHC	Churchill Downs Louisville, KY
3 rd	BMCCF 23 rd Annual British Car Show & Scottish Games		3600 Burnt Mill Dr. Wilmington, NC Register Here

17 th	Club Meeting/Drive	Chuck & Monique Reeves mailto:Wolfpackqb1@outlook.com	White Oak Mountain Catered BBQ Lunch
JULY			
15 th 2:00 PM	Club Meeting/ Lake Party	George Hege mailto:g_hege@bellsouth.net	Joyce Allen's Lake House 167 Ballycastle Road Mooresville, NC
AUGUST			
19 th 200 PM	Pool Party/Club Meeting Ice Cream Social	Bob & Debbie Bove mailto:rbsdiego@carolina.rr.com	5119 Bevington Place Charlotte, NC
24 th -29 th	Encounter		Hereshey, PA
SEPTEMBER			
21 st -24 th	Southeastern XXXVI	Chuck Reeves mailto:Wolfpackqb1@outlook.com	Double Tree Hotel Biltmore Village, Asheville, NC
30 TH	MG'S ON THE GREEN		Frank Liske Park 4001 Stough Rd., Concord, NC
OCTOBER			
7 th	Britfest	Bill Walton mailto:Bill.walton@mac.com	Market Commons Myrtle Beach, SC
14 th	Cars at Kiawah River		Kiawah River Johns Island, SC
14 th	Club Meeting/Drive	Ed Farnell mailto:eafarnell@gmail.com	Beaver's Den 3482 John G. Richards Road Liberty Hill, SC Dual Club Drive with BCCMC
21st	British Car Day		Palmetto Islands County Park 444 Needlerush Pkwy, Mt. Pleasant, SC
28th	Wooly Worm Tour	Triad AHC	
NOVEMBER			
18 th 10:30	Tech Session/Club Meeting	Stuart Shepherd mailto:stuams@gmail.com	6011 Davis Road Waxhaw, NC
DECEMBER			
9th 11:00 AM	Annual Christmas Party	George Hege mailto:g_hege@bellsouth.net	Camp Cherokee, Camp Cherokee Road Kings Mountain State Park Blacksburg, SC