



REGIONAL RUMBLIN'S



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2019 STAHC Christmas/Holiday Party Attendees



Seated (L-R): Pam Chamberlain, Doris Molina, Lera Borden, Pat Brown, Bonnie Ayer, Karen Richmond
Standing: Ron Borden, DJ Stamp, Jaime Molina, Jim Richmond, Bob Chamberlain, Denise & Mark Homer, Pat Stamp, Makayla Lutrick held by David Ayer, Melissa Lutrick, Earl Tilton, Tina & Bob Adkins

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******* ROUNDUP 40 DATE CORRECTION: APRIL 3-5, 2020 *******

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2019 CHRISTMAS/HOLIDAY PARTY

The 2019 Christmas/Holiday Party was held on December 15 at the Forke Store in Old Town Conservation Plaza in New Braunfels. This year's attendees were:

- Tina & Bob Adkins
- Bonnie & David Ayer
- Lera & Ron Borden
- Pat Brown
- Pam & Bob Chamberlain
- Denise & Mark Homer
- Melissa & Makayla Lutrick
- Doris & Jaime Molina
- Karen & Jim Richmond
- Pat & DJ Stamp
- Earl Tilton (with Melissa)

The Adkins provided scrumptious pork loin. Plentiful snacks, veggies and desserts were available and happily consumed!

Following the meal a few announcements were made. Then the famous (infamous?!) STAHC gift exchanged took place. It is impossible to say which portion of the party was most enjoyable. Those who have attended in the past but weren't able to attend this year know what you missed. Those who *haven't* attended in the past don't know how much fun we have. So . . . next year . . . come see what you are missing!



Denise & Mark Homer, Mrs. & Mr. Photogenic!
Right: David, Jim, & Karen and the Forke Store

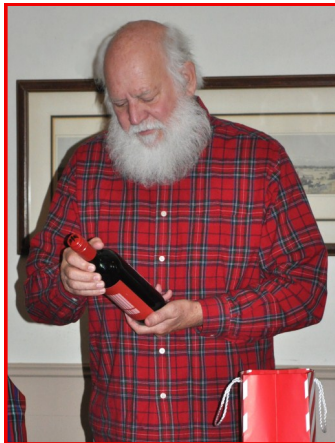


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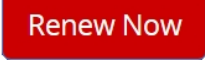


For Bonnie, Karen, and Denise, the gift exchange was like a box of chocolates. You never knew what you were gonna get!



David, Tina, and "How on earth did the paparazzi find me here, Dah-ling???"

DON'T FORGET: TIME TO RENEW YOUR AHCA & STAHC MEMBERSHIP

Go to: <https://healeyclub.org> and look for the  button halfway down the AHCA Home Page. Renew now to support AHCA and STAHC. And so you won't miss any issues of the national Healey club's *Healey Marque Magazine*.

STAHC 2020 PLANNING MEETING

- Saturday, January 11, 12:30 - 3 P.M.
- Chamberlain's home, 20290 Hilltop Drive, Wimberley, 78676
- Chili & Beans lunch provided - BYOB
- BYO calendars, & ideas for club activities
- Please **RSVP** by text as soon as you can to: **713-201-2332**

JULIE MILLER SUBMITTED THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT MESSAGE:

Gitcho Mammo!!

Happy New Year!

Not that 2019 wasn't happy but it certainly had its challenges! I've been asked to share one of my challenges and because I believe it has an important message, I am doing just that.

I'm 63 years young (most days). I've had a relatively healthy and active life. I do all of the recommended annual checkups, not always enthusiastically. I do not have any history of breast cancer in my family. So when I was called back for a second mammogram and then a biopsy earlier this fall, I wasn't too concerned. I've had suspicious mammos before and, after further examination, they were dismissed as calcium deposits or fatty blobs.

This time around, everyone seemed a bit more concerned. Turns out, the little thing they saw in my mammogram was Invasive Ductal Carcinoma (IDC). It was about the size of a small pea. No way I could have found it on my own! I'm so thankful it was detected so early! Because it was early, early stage 1, I was a candidate for a relatively new procedure using a SAVI device! My radiation treatments were 2 times a day over 5 days(10 visits total). Amazing! I'm not going into the emotional aspects of all of this because each of us have had our journeys and I'm very fortunate in mine!

My message to everyone is to keep getting your mammograms and keep encouraging others to keep getting theirs! In other words: **"Gitcho Mammo!"**

2019 - The Club's Year In Review

January

STAHC Planning Meeting

This year's planning meeting was held on Saturday, January 19, at the same location as the 2018 Planning meeting - the home of Karen and Jim Richmond. Those attending were:

- Tina & Bob Adkins
- Bonnie & David Ayers
- Lera & Ron Borden
- Pam & Bob Chamberlain
- Joy & Michael Escriva
- Joel Keefer
- Lynn McKinnie
- Karen & Jim Richmond
- Pat & DJ Stamp
- Denene & Jeff Whitmore

Once again the Richmonds graciously furnished pizza and beer for the gang. Sides and munchies were brought, and enjoyed, by everyone else.

Following lunch, club president David Ayer conducted the planning meeting where we mapped out events for the year. After weeding out a few ideas that were deemed, uh, "less-than-feasible" (right), the calendar was set.



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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

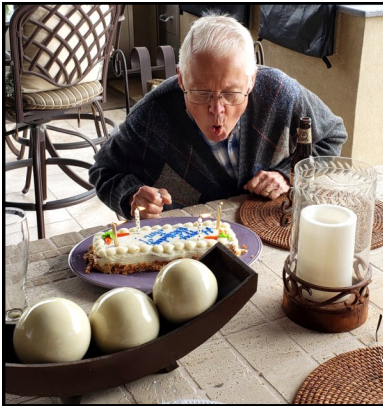
February

COTA IndyCar Spring Training

On Tuesday, February 12, seven South Texas Austin-Healey Club members met for lunch at Wild Bubba's Wild Game Grill. Those in attendance were: Bonnie & David Ayer, Ron Borden, Bob Chamberlain, Julie & Brett Miller, and Jim Richmond. After lunch the group proceeded to COTA to watch the IndyCar Spring Training. Admission gave us access to the seating area in the Paddock Club with views of the main straightaway and directly down into the pits.



Tech Session for Escrivas' Bugeye



A Tech Session was held on February 16th at the home of Joy and Michael Escriva to install a rebuilt engine in their Bugeye Sprite. Participating in the Tech Session were Bonnie and David Ayer, Jim Richmond, Ed Dingivan and Ron Borden. Barbeque from Rudy's was served. After lunch, a birthday cake



was enjoyed to celebrate the birthday of Jim Richmond.

March

Our highway pickup was Saturday morning, March 9. Many members of STAHC gathered at the McKinney Loop on River Road west of Blanco. The following took part in this event: Bob Adkins, Bonnie & David Ayer, Kathy & Rick Borth, Melissa & Makayla Lutrick, Bob Chamberlain, Julie & Brett Miller, Jim Richmond, Pat & DJ Stamp, Denene & Jeff Whitmore. They made short work of the pickup and had lunch at the Red Bud Café back in Blanco.



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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

April

Texas Healey RoundUp 39, April 5-7, Georgetown

Considerable effort was expended by a number of STAHC members, led by Tina & Bob Adkins (right), to pull off another fun and memorable Texas Healey RoundUp. Even the chilly rain, drizzle, and generally gloomy weather didn't dampen the spirits of Healey enthusiasts. Just a few Healeys at the Popularity event around the Williamson County courthouse. And, oh yeah, the roads where the rally was to be held causing it to be cancelled. In its place a "Virtual Rallye," put together by Julie Miller & Bonnie Ayer at the last minute, was "run" by many attendees on computers, smart phones, and other internet capable devices.

The banquet was held at George's On The Town. Adult beverages, Delicious entrees, and Oreo cheese cake squares were happily consumed. Following dinner awards were presented. Chamberlains won 2nd Place in the Roadster class, and Adkins took third place in the Virtual Rallye. The Escrivas' Sprite again won the award they definitely deserved: Best of Show!



May

Progressive Brunch and Dinner

For 10 days prior to this event weather forecasts stubbornly continued to call for a 70% chance of rain. And on Saturday, May 18, the meteorologists nailed it. We began at the Escrivas who served provided a croissant breakfast sandwich bar that included scrambled eggs, bacon, butter croissants, tomatoes and cheese. And served with seasonal fruit salad. We also had a yogurt bar with granola, fruit and honey. The next stop was at the Bordens, also in Boerne, for appetizers. Fortunately the only heavy rain occurred *during* the appetizers and not while on the road. From Boerne we were off to the Chamberlains in Wimberley for the main course. Pam and Bob served King Ranch casserole and salad. We all enjoyed the meal, leisurely conversation, and terrific hill country views. The final stop was in Dripping Springs at the home of Tina and Bob Adkins for the dessert course. And like the three previous courses Tina hit the final home run of the day with Chocolate Chip Cheesecake (mouth watering yet!?), Pecan-Studded Rum Cake, Chocolate Pinon Torte, & Bliss Bites.

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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

June

Mid-Year Highway Pickup & Lunch

The sweaty seven cleaned up our little stretch of highway outside Blanco Texas on the 8th of June, arriving around 9 AM to attempt to beat the heat.

“The Sweaty Seven” (L-R): David Ayer, Denene & Jeff Whitmore, Ron Borden, Tina Adkins, Lynn McKinnie, & Bob Adkins with Ron’s AN9 Sprite and Lynn’s BJ8.



The group turned out to be just the right size to complete the task by the time Jeff decided it was gettin' too dang hot and started pickin' people up.

Agreeing discretion is the better part of valor the group evaded the “Lavenderians” that had swarmed into Blanco (for the annual Blanco Lavender Festival - ed.) and drove the extra 1 mile to Real Ale Brewing for some cool suds and random food (a crawfish boil was happening).

July



July 27 marked the momentous occasion of Karen Richmond’s 80th birthday. Joining Karen & Jim at their home were 22 family members, club members and long time friends of the Richmonds. Spaghetti, lasagna, salad, garlic bread, ice cream, blackberry cobbler, bundt cake, root beer floats, and, of course, beer and wine were on the menu. But they didn’t last long!



Following the consumption of the meal goodies President David Ayer presented a recognition gift to Jim Richmond for his years as AHCA Delegate, Newsletter Editor, and STAHC President. The clock-in-a-box features the club logo on the lid of the box.

August



This month was saddened by the loss of Julie Miller’s father, Glenn Leonard, and long-time Healey friend Anne Johnson of the Gulf Coast Healey Club.



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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

August (continued)

STAHC Ice Cream Social, August 24

Many of this year's club events has started out being described by, "It was a dark, and stormy . . ." But hey, it was now **August**, in South Texas. The 2019 Ice Cream Social was held on a Saturday afternoon that was bright, sunny, **HOT**, muggy, and, well, you get the picture. Under the circumstances it is understandable that no Healeys were driven to the event this year. Healeys belonging to the members who attended were unavailable for an alleged number of mechanical reasons. But lets read between the lines here. Can you say, "Creature Comfort?"

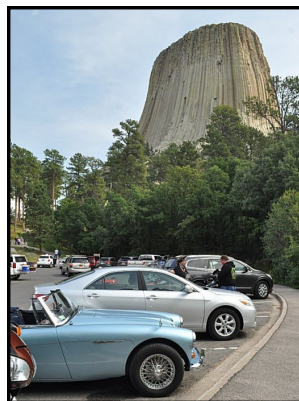
Besides enjoying Zenzero's Gelato we also celebrated **Bonnie Ayer's 39th (??) birthday!** Hope it was a happy one, Bonnie! Bonnie, left, & David Ayer, Tina & Bob Adkins, seated. Lera & Ron Borden, and Lynn McKinnie standing.



September

CONCLAVE 2020, September 6-11, Deadwood, South Dakota

WOW!! Healeys. The Black Hills. More Healeys. Mount Rushmore. Tech Sessions. Tours. Rallys. Popularity. Evening dinners and programs. Here's a few pictures to save a few thousand more words.



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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

October

Fall Highway Pickup & Lunch

On Saturday, October 12, the following club members from the left, gathered at the usual spot west of Blanco to rid a lovely section of FM 1623 of a variety of trash, junk, and "you-name-its":

Denene Whitmore, Lera Borden, Jim Richmond, DJ Stamp, Hannah Whitmore, Julie & Brett Miller, Lynn McKinnie, Pat Stamp, Jeff Whitmore, and Ron Borden



Following the pickup the crew discussed various options for lunch. Our usual haunt, Red Bud Café in Blanco, lacked a TV. There was considerable interest in watching a certain college football game, the annual Red River Shootout, Oklahoma vs. Texas. The Pecan Street Pub in Johnson city was the choice of the day. Good food, good beer, tea, etc., and a good TV!

South Texas All British Car Day

Saturday, October 26, started out like a typical fall day - clear blue skies and crisp temperatures. Throughout the morning the sun warmed Boerne's Plaza, making it a perfect setting for this 32nd annual event. In all 97 cars showed up. There were Healeys, Triumphs (this year's show, as Lynn McKinnie stated above, was hosted by the South Texas Triumph Association), MGs, Jaguars, Mini Coopers, Lotuses/Loti, Rolls Royces, a Morgan, a Talbot, and, Best of Show, a 1935 Hillman Aero Minx Streamliner.

There were 10 Healeys entered - 5 big Healeys and 5 Sprites. Five club Healeys won awards: from left: Joy (& Michael) Escriva, First Place, Sprite; Jim Richmond, 2nd Place Big Healey; John Esslinger, 3rd Place Big Healey; Lynn McKinnie, First Place, Big Healey, Ron Borden, 2nd Place, Sprite.

Following the show STAHC members proceeded to Random Beer Garden at Boerne City Lake for a club gathering which combined a brief business meeting and confirmation of club officers and appointees for the coming year.



November

The STAHC/AACA "Chealey" Cook-Off . . . That Wasn't

Our November club event was to have been a chili cook-off in conjunction with the Road Relics, affiliate of the Antique Automobile Club of America. Pat and DJ Stamp were in charge of coordinating the event between the 2 clubs. It was to have been an outdoor event, but the temperatures for the scheduled day of Saturday, November 16, were forecast to be just too . . . you guessed it . . . chilly. So it was cancelled.

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2019 - The Club's Year In Review (cont.)

November (continued)

Several club members decided to stage individual events in lieu of the Cook-off. Bob Chamberlain attended the 24-hour endurance racing at COTA (Circuit Of The Americas track near Austin).

Jaime Molina decided to go on a solo pleasure drive to the Blanco area. The Andalusia Whiskey Company located between Blanco and Johnson City, was featured in the Texas Monthly magazine. It was such a delightful drive and such a unique experience!

The previous weekend Pat & DJ Stamp revisited the Kingsbury Aerodrome. In November 2018 the club toured various locations in South Central Texas - organized by Pat & DJ. The weather that weekend was preceded by rain making the aerodrome grass landing strip soft and muddy. That discouraged many vintage aircraft from flying in. This year the weather cooperated with much a better turnout of planes, cars, and spectators.

December

As always we held our annual Christmas/Holiday Party. Details appear on pages 1-3 of this issue of *Rumblin's*.

Also . . . Jaime Molina has put together a beautiful video of the party and posted it on the club's Facebook page. View and enjoy it at:

<https://www.facebook.com/southtexasaustinhealeyclub/videos/2560764554000286/?t=3>



PRESIDENT'S RAMBLIN'S

By Bonnie Ayer (while David drives)

Two decades since the millennium. We get to plan our next year next weekend on Saturday, January 11. I hope you plan to attend.

We had a great Holiday party at Forke Store. It was fun to revisit our old location. We had a nice crowd including Pat Brown visiting from Illinois. Makayla entertained us with her version of magnetic hopscotch. Thanks DJ and Pat for hosting. Bob's smoked pork was magnificent as was the rest of the food.



Behind every good man, etc., etc.!

David and I are on our way from Phoenix to Las Cruces. There's a lot of nothing on the road but some astonishing scenery as well. Texas Canyon looks like every Wild West tv show and movie you watched as a kid. There is also a fascinating railroad graveyard mid-route, too. Gasoline prices are higher than they were prior to Christmas.

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PRESIDENT'S RAMBLIN'S (continued)

Our two and five year old great grandsons were a lot of fun and are also pretty loud. They have fantastic vocabularies and negotiating skills. We got to spend time with Sheriff Woody and Buzz Lightyear plus Slinky Dog and Mr. Potato Head, too. Nostalgia is everywhere.

We are singing along to the Beatles White Album. Nothing like a car trip. Let's plan a few for next year.

David will write a more exciting column next month.

Love you all,

Bonnie

******* ROUNDUP 40 DATE CORRECTION: APRIL 3-5, 2020 *******

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR TEXAS HEALEY ROUNDUP 40

North Texas Austin Healey Club is proud to be the host of this event. This is the **"40th Anniversary" RoundUp**. Please join us in celebrating this milestone. We are in Granbury, Texas for a weekend of Healey Friendships, Family and Fun!

Friday Afternoon starts off with a "Welcome Tea" for those who need a cuppa, and of course Hospitality will be open, cold beverages for the people who need to wet their whistle after a long Healey drive. Registration will also be open and ready. We will have raffle tickets for sale for a beautiful "40th Anniversary Texas Healey RoundUp" Quilt. Raffle tickets will also be available to buy a handsome "Leather Jacket with Healey Wings" so bring your money, honey! Friday evening we will have a Complimentary Fiesta Buffet, no need to go out.

Saturday begins early with a spectacular Car Show

on the square at the Hood County Courthouse in downtown Granbury. Then there will be a Car Rally, not to be missed, that takes you thru the "Heart of Texas". Saturday evening we are at Harbor Lakes Golf Club with our Healey friends for a delicious prime rib dinner along with car show awards. Afterwards hospitality will be open for those who would like to catch up on what's been going on!

Sunday begins early with the annual Gymkhana event. Then we will gather back at Harbor Lakes Golf Club for Brunch with our Healey friends. The Gymkhana and Rally awards as well as the Raffle Winners will be united with their Prize! Then we will say "Bye Ya'll see you next year somewhere in Texas with a Healey!"

Karen Gilleland,
Chairperson

Registration form available on page 12

Hotel Reservations:

Best Western Granbury Inn & Suites
1517 North Plaza Drive
Granbury, Texas 76048
Hotel Phone: (817) 573-4239

*****VERY IMPORTANT*****

You must use the Link below to book your Hotel Room:
https://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotel-rooms.44579.html?groupId=7E2EW0L1

- Hotel Room Rate \$85.00 per night plus taxes
- Includes Complimentary Full Breakfast Buffet
- Free WiFi

For assistance or inquiry regarding Texas Healey RoundUp 40, please contact Barbie Bucy at:
(817) 480-4831 or stuckonbarbie@gmail.com

“40th Anniversary Celebration” Texas Healey RoundUp

April 3rd - 5th, 2020

Hosted by the North Texas Austin Healey Club

<http://www.txhealeyroundup.org/>

Name: _____ Address: _____
 Spouse/Guest: _____ City, State Zip: _____
 Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____
 Club Affiliation: _____ AHCA: Y / N Will you have a Trailer: Y / N
 I/We will enter: (quantity) Car Show: _____ Rally: _____ Gymkhana: _____
 >>>Year/Model of Big Healey(s): _____
 >>>Year/Model of Spite(s): _____

<u>Registration, Meals and Events</u>	Cost		Quantity	Total
Early Registration (Before March 15 th , 2020)	\$100.00	x		
<i>*Includes 2 people and children < 10 y/o, 1 Patch, and 1 Car Magnet</i>				
Additional Car Registration	\$25.00	x		
<i>*Includes 1 Patch and 1 Car Magnet</i>				
Late Registration (Starting March 15 th , 2020)	\$125.00	x		
Late Registration: Additional Adult(s) or Children < 10 y/o	\$25.00	x		
Friday Afternoon: Complimentary “Welcome Tea”	N/C	x		
Friday Evening: Complimentary “Fiesta Buffet” (specify Quantity)	N/C	x		
Saturday Morning: Car Show	N/C	x		
Saturday Afternoon: Car Rally	N/C	x		
Saturday Evening: Prime Rib Dinner & Awards - Adult	\$38.00	x		
Saturday Evening: Prime Rib Dinner & Awards - Children < 10 y/o	\$20.00	x		
Sunday Morning: Gymkhana	N/C	x		
Sunday Afternoon: Farewell Brunch & Awards, Raffle Prizes	\$20.00	x		
<u>Regalia</u>				
Mens Dress Shirt w/Pocket (Navy, White, Red) S, M, L, XL, XXL	\$40.00	x		
Ladies Shirt (Navy, White, Red) S, M, L, XL, XXL	\$40.00	x		
Custom Distressed Hat (Navy w/Red Front)	\$25.00	x		
40 th Anniversary Logo Patch	\$10.00	x		
Registration Total:				



Return this form w/check to:
 North Texas AHC c/o Barbie Bucy
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 Burleson, TX 76028

Have any questions or need assistance? Contact: Barbie Bucy
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40th Anniversary Celebration Chairperson:
 Karen Gilleland

Additional RoundUp Information can be found at:
<http://www.txhealeyroundup.org/>

ROUNDUP 2020 - Granbury, Texas



Hello RoundUp Fans

This year marks the 40th Anniversary of Texas' premiere event "Texas Healey RoundUp", this year's location will be in the historic lakeside community of Granbury April **3-5, 2020!** For those interested you can come in on Thursday and leave Monday...

The first RoundUp occurred when I was 16! Mom and Dad, aka Bob & Stella Gilleland, were part of the original organizational committee for the event held in Kerrville, and it was a "joint" effort between all three Texas' Austin-Healey Clubs. After the first RoundUp, the attendees decided to make it an annual event that passes between the Gulf Coast Healey Club, South Texas AHC and North Texas AHC alternately giving each club the opportunity to host in a Texas town of their choosing. This year North Texas has the great honor to host the "**40th Anniversary Celebration**" in Granbury.

NOTE: * Registration forms will be available next month, but you can always call the **Best Western** at (817)573-4239 to reserve your room for the "Texas Healey RoundUp" now to hold our spot! Room rate **\$85.00** plus taxes.

We are kicking off the event on Friday night at the best Western with a "**Fajita Fiesta**", which will be free for all to attend. This will give everyone time to relax and catch up with "Old and New" friends.

Saturday will be a busy day, starting early in the town square at the steps of the Hood County Courthouse with the **Carshow**. We have also secured the beautifully restored "**Celebration Hall**" on the square for attendees to enjoy fellowship and of course coffee and donuts during the Carshow.

Saturday afternoon will be the scenic **Rally** through the surrounding countryside of North Texas, it is not to be missed! After the Rally feel free to stop by for "**Afternoon Tea**" hosted by Stella and The North Texas ladies. It's a great pick me for the afternoon dull drums.

Saturday night we will return to "**Celebration Hall**" for the **Carshow Awards** and a catered **dinner and special private show** following in the restored 1886 Opera House, now Granbury Live Theatre adjoining Celebration Hall.

Sunday starts early again with the fast and furious "**Gymkhana**" at the nearby school district complex. Our weekend concludes at Celebration Hall with **Sunday Brunch**. **The Rally and Gymkhana Awards** will be presented during this time.

For those who want to relax an extra day ask for a Monday checkout. We hope everyone can make the journey to Granbury and join in on the Celebration of this Texas Tradition!!

There will be some unique items up for auction too. The first is a custom tri logo blanket with the "Healey wings" embroidered. There will also be a handsome men's bomber jacket with the embroidered "Healey wings" across the back. The number of raffle tickets sold will be limited for both items. Tickets will be \$10 each. The winners will be announced during Sunday brunch.

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ROUNDUP 2020 - Granbury, Texas (cont)

As a special incentive the *first 15 registrants to the 40th Texas Healey RoundUp will receive a limited edition locally bottled wine with a customized 40th Anniversary label*, donated by my company Shield Awards & Promotions.

Finally, as with any event it is only as good as the people who are involved. If you haven't done so, please volunteer with planning or to help the weekend of the event....either way please *reserve your room now* and we all look forward to seeing in Granbury next April.

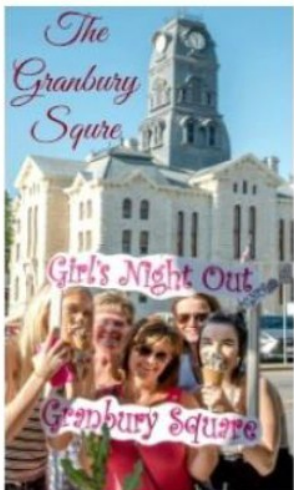
Adios,

Karen Gilleland
RoundUp 40 Chairperson
NTAHC



APRIL 3-5, 2020!

Forty years gone by and still going strong...
Texas Healey RoundUp.



CONCLAVE 2020



*Reserve the date and join your Healey friends
in sunny Florida in 2020!*



Crystal River, Florida

May 17-21, 2020

Tampa Bay Austin-Healey Club • Austin-Healey Club of America



Hosted by the Tampa Bay
Austin-Healey Club
May 17-21, 2020

On-line credit card registrations are required. No mail-in registrations or checks accepted. Registration required to obtain password for special hotel group rates and reservation phone number.

Register today at <http://tbahc.com>

Registration \$145 through February 28, 2020. All registrations \$165 after February 28, 2020. All fees are U.S. Dollars. Registration includes one vehicle, two adults, one child under 15 and one free baseball cap. No refunds after March 1, 2020.

Each additional adult:	\$45.00
Each additional child:	\$30.00
Each additional vintage car:	\$45.00
Ice Cream Social:	\$12.00
Awards Dinner Tickets:	\$48.00

Concours judging will be available for all "Big Healeys" with a required fee of \$130.00.



Florida Green cars (and combinations) will
be celebrated at Conclave. Join us and
share your car!

Regalia with pricing available on the website for your
on-line orders!

Registration questions? email: linwoodrose@mac.com

STAHC 2020 EVENTS CALENDAR

<u>WHAT</u>	<u>WHERE</u>	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>HOSTS</u>
STAHC 2020 Planning Meeting	Chamberlain's home, Wimberley	Sat., Jan. 11, 2020	Chamberlain's
Texas Healey Roundup, 40th Anniversary	Grandbury	April 3-5 , 2020	North Texas AHC, Barbie Bucy
Conclave 2020	Crystal River, Florida	May 17-21, 2020	Tampa Bay AHC Website Link
Tech Sessions	Where arranged	As requested	

JANUARY AREA EVENTS CALENDAR

<u>WHAT</u>	<u>WHERE</u>	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>WHO</u>
Lake Area Rods and Classics Saturday Night Cruise	608 Hwy 281, Marble Falls	Sat., Jan. 4, 5 to 7-ish P.M.	Open to Public Website Link
Pistons at the Park (monthly, first Sunday)	16231 IH-35, Pflugerville, 78660	Sunday, Jan. 5, 8 - 11 A.M.	Benefit, Open to Public Website Link
Wimberley Coffee & Cars (monthly, first Sunday)	Indigo Brew, 14200 R.R. 12, Wimberley	Sunday, Jan 5, 8 - 11 A.M.	Open to the Public Website Link
Canyon Lake Hot Rod and Classic Car cruise-in (2nd Fri.)	Brookshire Brothers grocery, 18209 FM 306, Canyon Lake	Friday, Jan. 10, 5 - 8 P.M.	Open to the Public
Pistons on the Square (monthly, third Saturday)	Town Square, Georgetown	Sat., Jan. 18, 8 - 10 A.M.	Open to the Public Website Link
Pistons on the Square (monthly, third Saturday)	Town Square, Georgetown	Sat., Jan. 18, 8 - 10 A.M.	Benefit, Open to Public Website Link
Cars & Coffee - Austin	Lot A, Circuit of the Americas (COTA), Austin	2020 dates T .B. A., 8 A.M. - Noon	Open to the Public Website Link
Round Rock Car Show	Centennial Plaza, 301 W. Bagdad, Round Rock	Sun., Jan. 19, 10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	Open to the Public Website Link
Trucks & Tacos (monthly, fourth Sunday)	MasFajitas parking lot, 3010 Wil- liams Dr, Georgetown 78628	Sun., Jan. 26, 8 - 11 A.M.	Open to the Public
G21 Takes Over Taylor (monthly)	3100 N Main St., Suite 101, Taylor, 76574	Sun., Jan 26, 10 A.M. - 1 P.M.	Open to the Public Website Link

SOUTH TEXAS AUSTIN-HEALEY

CLUB (STAHC) is an area club of the Austin-Healey Club of America, the largest Austin-Healey club in the world. STAHC is one of 47 independent area clubs and was sanctioned by AHCA in 1979. STAHC covers the Austin, San Antonio and surrounding areas of South Texas.

Membership is open to owners and enthusiasts of all cars bearing the name HEALEY. Ownership of a Healey is not required. For membership information please contact Bob or Tina Adkins at:

(512) 264-2042.

Membership information is also available at:

stahcmembeship@icloud.com

You can join online at:

www.healeyclub.org

Current and past issues of *Rumblins*, as well as other information about our club, can be found at the STAHC web site:

www.STAHC.org

STAHC is on Facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/southtexasaustinhealeyclub>

TECH SESSIONS

(Tech sessions can be a get-together of members to help a fellow club member with a specific problem or a task that requires, or is easier, with one or more helpers. A Tech session can also be a meeting where a member, or non-member, with some particular skill or expertise demonstrates how to accomplish a particular task. Tech Session attendees may be helpers, teachers, learners, tool suppliers or any combination of the above. Tech session hosts usually supply light refreshments. Beer is recommended.

If you would like to host a tech session please send notification to Ron Borden at rborden@gvvc.com as far in advance as possible, but no less than one week ahead of the session date. Your request will be forwarded to all members on the *Rumblin's* e-mail list.)

TOOL BOX

The purpose of the Tool Box is to assemble, and make available for use by STAHC members, specialty tools that are used in the restoration and/or maintenance of Healeys. In general, such tools will be those that are too expensive for an individual member to acquire for one time, or infrequent use.

Currently, the STAHC Tool Box contains the following:

- Lift-the-Dot Hand Punch. (Punches center hole and prong holes for installation of Lift-the-Dot fasteners for tops and tonneau covers. Moss Motors No. 226-105.)
- Texas Fastening Tool
- Snap Fastening tool
- Valve Guide Reamer size .281 for intake and exhaust standard size valve guides used on all Sprite and Midget A series engines 1958 - 1974
- Engine leveler (for removing or installing an engine)
- Carb Synchronizer
- Colourtune Carb Synchronizer
- Wire Wheel Spoke tool
- 1/8" OD pipe bending tool
- Panel & Trim Removal Tool Set
- CD Workshop Manual for Sprite MK 2, 3 & 4.

If you would like to borrow any of these tools, please contact **David Ayer** at:

dbayer@swbell.net or 210-775-8168.

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