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James Heit's 1963 Austin Healey 3000

Award winning 1963 Austin Healey 3000. An original Ca. third owner car previously owned by 2 ladies. Car sold new in Glendale, Ca. in 1963 and then resold to a lady in Canoga Park, Ca. in 1965. I purchased the car from her in December of 1994 and had the car restored to original factory spec's in 1994 -1996 time frame by Absolutely British in Ontario, Ca.

The car was awarded first place at the Open Roads 2002 event (50th anniversary of the Austin Healey) in Lake Tahoe, Ca. for BJ7's and most recently first place at the Austin Healey Rendezvous 2013 in South Lake Tahoe, California.



BUSINESS INFO



GENERAL MEETINGS:

Are held at 7:00 pm on the 1st Tuesday of each month unless it falls on a holiday at: **MIMIS CAFÉ**

3375 East Main Street, Ventura, CA 93003 Corner of Main and Mills (Pacific View Mall)

2016 GENERAL MEETING DATES:

June 7, July 5, Aug. 2, Sept.6, Oct. 4, Nov. 1

Board meetings take place according to the needs of the club, usually before or after the club's General Meeting; but as often as is deemed necessary at the discretion of the Club President.

NEWSLETTER

THE CLEAR HOOTER is your Club Newsletter and it is published monthly. The deadline for submission of any camera ready or digital ads, stories, reports and information that you'd like to see in the next issue is the **23rd** of the month prior to publication.

Items may be sent to the editor at: dtreid@gmail.com

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The Brunch Run to the Cold Springs Tavern was a lot of fun. Terry did a great job of organizing the drive and the brunch at the tavern.

The club filled two rooms with people. If I am not mistaken, as I was out of the country during the event, we had 15 cars and 30 people. Some of the participants drove their Land Rovers and other cars that carried more folks. Although Martin brought up the rear of the drive and to his surprise was one of the first people to reach the tavern as the main group made one wrong turn. But they eventually made it to the tavern and they had not even had anything to drink at that point. My thanks to Martin for recording the event.

As for the Queens English the club had a respectable group of club members that attend with their cars, Terry and Dave, Dave Wellwood, Martin, Pam and Joel, Rebecca, Patrick Redd and Bill Rodgers. I had just flown in from Athens and jet lag again prevented me from attending the event. However, the participants all handed out flyers for our July car show at the harbor. Martin handed out 175 copies, Terry and Dave did 75 and Rebecca did 25 or more so the word got out for sure. The gang handed out over 300 flyers by the time many headed home and Terry was still passing out flyers at that time. Thank you all for your hard work to make the July event a success.

The next club event set for **June 18th** is a brunch run to the Getty Villa museum. This building is an amazing copy of an excavated Roman Villa and is a beautiful museum. We will go down to Hwy 1 and follow it along to the Getty Villa. Our target arrival time to the Getty Villa is 11:00am. Once there we will have time to wander around a bit and eat lunch before our Garden Tour at 1:30pm. You can bring a picnic lunch or buy lunch at the café there. You can't bring alcohol, but you can buy beer and wine there. We will meet at Pleasant Valley Rd. / Santa Rosa Rd. Park & Ride at 9:30am – departing at 9:45am sharp! We recommend you bring good shoes for walking, cap, hat, water, camera, and \$15 for parking. This will be a great event and we only have space for 30 people so RSVP to get your spot!

Our big car event at the Oxnard Harbor is coming up on **July 17**th and we still need many volunteers to help make this a successful event. This is a big event and we get clubs from all over California that will attend. Please show up at the next club meeting and let us know what you can do to help. If you can't make the meeting and want to help please let any of the board members know.

Our next club meeting will be a Mimi's restaurant in Ventura on Tuesday **June 7th**, the board will meet at 6pm with the general meeting at 7 pm.

See you there! Jim, President, CCBCC

Non CCBCC Car event coming up

2016 5th annual Montecito Motor Classic

September 25 9am –3pm along Coast Village Road. Benefiting Santa Barbara Police Activity league and Santa Barbara Police Foundation. Featured Marque BMW Registration forms in next newsletter or visit http://www.montecitomotorclassic.com/



General Meeting May 3, 2016 at Mimi's Resturant.

General Membership Meeting came to order at 7:00 pm by Vice President Dave Reid.

Members present at start of General Meeting: 21

Congratulations to the following.

Neal Subic (59 TR3A) and Michael Gustafson (59 TR3) as they were both awarded trophies at The North Meets South Car Show presented by the Paradise British Car Club at the Santa Ynez Vally event this past April 29 – 30, 2016 where they displayed their Triumph Autos and represented our club at that event. Both Neal and Michael said that the event was well worth the drive to participate in it and that they both had a great time and will most likely attend it again.

2016 Car Show on July 17, 2016

The 2016 CCBCC car show is coming down the road like a fast car. All of the required permits have been secured and approved. The site layout map is being finalized by Martin Keller and Joel Justin. Jim Hill and Martin Keller will co-chair the event and Joel Justin is the registrar for the event. The registration flyers are finished and will be passed out at the Queen's English and other events that members will be attending. The flyer can also be downloaded from the clubs website under the Events Section.

The Car Show Committee is still looking for club members to step up and volunteer for the following positions on the day of the event: Parking Guides, Registration Table / Regalia Table, Raffle ticket sales, Site Setup and Clean up. Your participation in these positions will only require a hour or two of your time and will make our clubs event a great success so please consider stepping up and helping out during the day of the car show.

The car show committee is still asking the membership to help in securing Raffle prize donations from any organization or person that wishes to contribute to the club for the car show. For more information contact Terry Schuller as she is the point of contact for this part of the event or any board member.

Contact Jim Hill or Martin Keller if you need more information about the car show or want to volunteer to help in any position. Contact information can be found on the club's web site.

June 18, 2016 Drive to the Getty Villa.

On June 18, 2016 the club will be driving down to the Getty Villa on the PCH as a group. Pam Justin will be the point of contact and will need an accrete head count for the museum as space is limited for groups such as our car club. The contact information can be found on the club's web site. More information will be coming via e-mail so keep an eye out for that information if you plan to attend this event.

July 30th 2016 Ventura High School Annual All Class Reunion & Car Show

The club in past years has supported this car show. We had eight members that displayed their cars at this show last year. It supports the Ventura Alumni All Classes and local high school, as it is held at the high school. More information will be coming and C. Darryl Struth will be the point of contact for this event. Event starts at 10 am, enter on Poli St. **Contact C. Darryl Struth at 644-6211**

September 8, 9, 10 an 11, 2016 Triumphest is in Ventura this year.

This is a gathering of Triumph Enthusiasts from all over the South Western United States and will consist of a number of events that will be open for the participants to take part in during the gathering and will be based out of the Marriott Ventura Beach hotel in Ventura, Ca. For more information please go to the following website for registration and hotel information and event timeline: <u>www.Triumphest2016.com</u>

November 6, 2016 Teddy Bear Run.

The Teddy Bear Run has been an event that the CCBCC supports and this will be the 27th year helping the Penfield School at Jasmine Rd and Henderson Rd in Ventura, CA. This school works with special needs students.

The collection of stuffed Teddy Bears for the school at this drive is the main reason for this event as they are used to help the children of the school in their training and education and providing a gift during the holiday season to each student at the school.

There also will be a Pasta Lunch for the students on December 9, 2016 prepared by the club at the school and staffed by the clubs' members. The staff of the school hands out the Teddy Bears that are collected at the drive. So start looking for that special stuffed Teddy Bear for this event as they tend to be a little difficult to find as we get closer to the event date.

More information will be coming and Jack Waschbusch is the point of contact for this event.

Club Newsletter.

Terry Schuller [editor] has expressed that she still needs articles and photos for the clubs news letter so if you have an article or interesting story about your car or a vehicle please take the time to contact Terry and she will gladly take your article or photos to use in the club's newsletter and will even give you credit. Terry's contact information can be found on the club's web site.

Clubs Request for Suggestions for Drive's and or Brunch Drive's.

The board is asking for the membership to suggest events to attend and or places that the membership would enjoy traveling to in their cars on a Saturday or Sunday. If you know of such a place or event please let any board member know so that it can be presented to the club and scheduled with the event or business or place so the club's membership can enjoy what you know is a good time.

Julie Time is a club raffle held at ever general club meeting for the members who are at the meeting.

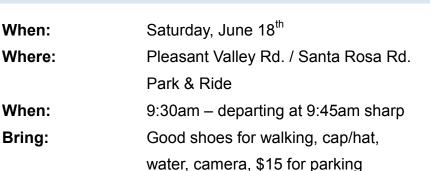
Baja Fresh Gift Card = Leonard Halpin The Habit Gift Card = Terry Schuller iHop Restaurant Gift Card = Ron Root Trader Joe's Gift Card = Brad Cardwell Royal Bakery Gift Card = Ron Root Coffee Bean and Tea Leaf Gift Card = Byron McCracken Strawberry Festival Tickets = Jack Waschbusch and Dale Buss

May Birthday Gift Card from Mimi's Restaurant = Pam Justin

This is a drawing for any member in good standing that is present at the General Meeting who has a birthday during that month that the meeting is held.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm by Dave Reid.





Plan:

We will go cut down to Hwy 1 and follow it along to the Getty Villa. Our target arrival time to the Getty Villa is 11:00am. Once there we will have time to wander around a bit and eat lunch before our Garden Tour at 1:30pm. You can bring a picnic lunch or buy lunch at the café there. You can't bring alcohol, but can buy beer and wine there.

There is a maximum of 30 people, so RSVP early to get your spot!

Our Recent Run to Cold Springs Tavern

There were 30 of us in 15 cars. We headed out at 9:30 and arrived at 11:20. The were some windy roads with hills and bicyclists all over. Lunch was very good with lots of chili, buffalo burgers and onion rings. Everyone headed in different directions for their trip home. Unfortunately Dave and I had a blow out in our Jaguar on the 101 close to home. We were in the fast lane so it was easy to pull off on the shoulder. We had everything we needed except the hammer to take the knock off off. Unfortunately AAA tow drivers do not carry hammers!! He had a long handle ax with hammer combo. A 4X4 piece of wood protected the finish. When the tire blew it bent a bracket from the frame to the fender, bending the fender. Hagerty was called and will send an adjuster out. We were fine and have decided to replace all 5 tires, so the wallet is hurting!



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John Williams and his 91 year old dad







Info on our Big Car Show



2016 Central Coast British Car Club 26th Annual Car Show Featuring



For more information contact Show Chair: Jim Hill at <u>jhill@oilguys.com</u> or Co-Chair: Martin Keller at <u>MHKflyer52@outlook.com</u>

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26th ANNUAL VENTURA COUNTY BRITISH CAR SHOW Presented by Central Coast British Car Club



Sunday July 17th, 2016 9 am to 3 pm CHANNEL ISLANDS HARBOR PARK 3600 Harbor Blvd. Oxnard, CA.

CELEBRATING 60 yrs of the MGA and Triumph TR3 All BRITISH VEHICLES ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE

COME OUT AND SPEND THE DAY - - LIVE ENTERTAINMENT - - BEAUTIFUL CARS - - AND FOOD!



REGISTRATION FEES: \$35.00 1st Vehicle, \$25.00 2nd Vehicle

Pre-registration will close on July 1, 2016 (After July 1st \$45.00 1st Vehicle, \$35.00 each additional Vehicle)

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| Please Read, Sign and Return with Registration fees! This release of liability specifically includes losses caused by negligence, whether active or passive, the Central Coast British Car Club, or any of their agents members, or the City of Oxnard, State of California. Entrant agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Central Coast British Car Club, their directors members, agents, and the City of Oxnard, State of California from any and all liability, losses, damages, injuries, and claims by any person arising out of the condition, location or operation of the entrants vehicle on or about the premises of Show location in connection to the Central Coast British Car Club All British Car Show to which the application relates. | | |
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Other car events coming up



MG Owners Club of Northern California - http://www.mgocsf.org/Events/ModuleID/502/ ItemID/127/mctl/EventDetails

MGOC MGs By The Bay - Danville Livery Sunday, June 05, 2016 8:00am – 2pm Bring your MG and meet 75 - 100 other MG owners and their cars



GATHERING OF FRIENDS CONCOURS - http://www.gofconcours.org/ http://

www.gofconcours.org/about.html

Sunday, July 10, 2016 at Laguna Lake Park in San Luis Obispo

The Central Coast Region of the Porsche Club of America in conjunction with the Central Coast 356 Porsche Club are pleased to announce the tenth annual GATHERING OF FRIENDS Concours de Elegance for all European Cars and Vintage Motorcycles. We will again meet to enjoy beautiful machines and raise funds in support of the local programs of Jack's Helping Hand, the Kiwanis Youth Fund and the Boy Scouts of America. We will gather on the grass, at lakeside, in beautiful Laguna Lake Park in San Luis Obispo.



Annual Southern California MG Boots & Bonnets Club Car Show

Date: September 11, 2016 Location: Fullerton Airport at 4011 W Commonwealth Avenue, Fullerton, CA. Time: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Entry Fee: \$25.00



Clovis British Car Roundup - Sept. 24-25, 2016

http://www.valleybritish.org/clovis-british-car-roundup/

You are invited to enter your British car of any vintage, marque or condition in the 2016 Clovis British Car Roundup. This, our 13th annual show, has a great blend of things to do and see! We kick off the show weekend on Saturday morning with a short tour on some twisty foothill roads. Following the run we invite you to attend a benefit luncheon for Fresno Wildlife Rescue & Rehabilitation. Sunday morning brings a great display of British cars and exploring vibrant Old Town Clovis. The autumn "Clovis Antique and Collectibles Fair" will be just north of our car show. Explore the antique shops and get lunch at an Old Town restaurant. Check out the"Birds of Prey" display by Fresno Wildlife Rescue. "Entrants Choice" show winners will receive very nice awards and any entrant can drive away with some super raffle prizes. Enter today!

Classic Yass Nov 5-6 Banjo Paterson Park, Rossi Street, River Bank Park. New South Wales, Australia www.classicyass.com

Check out http://www.curbside.tv for a calendar of car events as they become available

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CAR EVENTS OF INTEREST TO MEMBERS





Triumphest 2016 will be hosted by TRSC and will be held in Ventura, California, September 8-11.

The Triumph Register of Southern California enthusiastically invites you to beautiful Ventura, California to experience Triumphest 2016. The event will be held September 8,9,10, and 11th. at the newly remodeled Ventura Beach Marriott Hotel, near the junction of the 101 and 126 on the ocean side of 101.

Cool sea breezes, amazing roads, and all of your favorite T-fest activities will make driving your Triumph an experience to remember. All years and models are welcome, stock to race ready!

The discounted room rates will be available a few days before and after the event. Watch this site for more information to come!

To visit the Triumph 2016 website, http://www.triumphest2016.com/ Both the hotel and event forms are available there.

Most of the family of Triumph cars over the years have been used in motorsport. Whether it's road rallys, road racing, or even drag racing, Triumphs have not only done it all, they're still doing it. We think that makes the Triumph marque rather unique, and it infuses a little sportiness into every model: sort of 'Zoom-Zoom' before that became popular.

Our event logo speaks directly to that sporting heritage by paying homage to the Kastner-Brophy door graphics from the 1970's.

CCBCC Car Show July 17, some interesting info

We have secured the following food vendors: Java Cat, Cowboy John's Smoken BBQ, and Mr. Softee.

We have quite an array of excellent raffle prizes to date. Hopefully more to come. **Mullin Museum** - 2 Semi private tours for 2, (\$160 value) **Peterson Museum** - A dual membership (\$108 value) **Groits** - Car Car products **Hagerty**—Goodie bags and pens for each entrant. **Sports Car Art** - \$125 gift certificate **Four Points Sheraton** - gift certificate for two for brunch **Martin Keller**—Car Jack **Byron McCracken**—Queen Mary A "GB" knit hat; 2 coin saver can shaped like the old tele booth, A book "The Car" and a Picnic bag w/plates, forks etc. about 18"X18" **Brad Cardwell**—Specialty 4 color pen **Island packers**—Trip for 2 to Santa Rosa Island

BUY LOTS OF RAFFLE TICKETS AT THE SHOW

Pictures from the Queens English

There were approximately 350 cars on the grass at Woodley Park in Van Nuys. The weather was perfect, slight breeze and nice temperature. From our club was: Pam and Joel Justin and Joel's parents, Dave Wellwood, Martin Keller, Rebecca Mills, Mike Gustafson, Neal Subic, Bob & Marilyn Constable, Dave Reid, Terry Schuller





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Behind the Wheel editors corner

I am attempting to put out a newsletter every month, there may be times I miss a month due to being away. Like Aug 2016

The newsletter is a vital piece of communication to keep members informed of what is happening within our club and lists events that are happening that may be of interest to club members.

I would like to feature one member's British car on the cover of each newsletter. If you would like your ride displayed on the cover, please send me a high resolution picture of it in a nice place (not just the parking lot at work!!) to dtreid@gmail.com

I have NO more pictures to put on the front cover. Let's see yours on the July Issue and beyond. Please send to me dtreid@gmail.com

ARTICLES NEEDED:

The newsletter is in desperate of articles on anything to do with the club or British cars. Please use Microsoft Word and save as a document. If possible use font Arial and do not do any formatting, just paragraphs of words.

Any pictures that you have please put them as

UPCOMING EVENTS

CCBCC Breakfast-Brunch Meets

They will be at different venues throughout the year. Stay tuned for information and dates for 2016. If you have any suggestions for a Cruise-Meet please contact Jim Hill.

CLASSIFIEDS



Gorgeous '74 Triumph TR6 In Ventura Beautiful red with new cloth top Many new interior parts 4 speed Luggage rack, wood dash many new parts receipts 100k miles runs great, recent service \$17k, serious only

Unexpected arrival forces unplanned sale of my first British car

Steve Doll

sdoll@naicapital.com

<u>(805) 701-5511</u>









Membership Renewals or New Members

You may download a form on the CCBCC website (centralcoastbritishcarclub.com) under "Contact" or e-mail me (Pam Justin) pjquilter1@hotmail.com and I will be happy to mail one out to you. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Pam Justin, Membership Chairperson

Welcome new members:

Garry Slater

Gary Drivere

Abilio Ramos

Willian Noshkin



The Hooter is available online and in full color! Visit www.centralcoastbritishcarclub.com To check it out.



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