

# OVERDRIVE



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**On the cover:** *The King of Cool...* Steve McQueen, James Dean's ex-motorcycle mechanic, poses next to model Peggy Moffett with his 1963 Ferrari 250 GT Berlinetta Lusso. The car was just sold on August 16 at a Monterey, CA auction to a winning car collector on the phone for a cool \$2.31 million.

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## What's Coming Up

**Sept Meeting:** Tues, Sept 11, 6:30 pm, Mo's Loading Dock Pub, 1045 North Senate, Indianapolis

**SeptemberFest:** Sept 14-15, Nashville, IN. Support your Club's event !

**IN Brit Motor Days Show:** Sept 23, American Legion Post 500, sponsored by the IBCU, forms available

**Fall Round-Up:** Sept 28-29, Dayton, OH, sponsored by the MVAHCA, forms available

**Oct Meeting:** Tues, Oct 16,  
**Election of 2008 Club Officers,**  
location TBA



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#### Bluegrass AHC

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#### Midwest Region AHC

<http://members.aol.com/midwestah/club/>

#### Ohio Valley AHC

<http://members.aol.com/ovaustinhealey/>

#### IN British Car Union

[www.ibcu.org](http://www.ibcu.org)

#### Marque Matters Blog

[www.marquematters.blogs.com/](http://www.marquematters.blogs.com/)

#### AH Club of America

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

## August Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Roy Bowman, David Broyles, Pat Bruce, Dick & Ruth Buis, Jim & Sandy Burck, Bruce Gilham, Bob, Melanie & Tim Haskell, Craig Rice, Jim & Barbara Stringfield, Dick Storrs, Jim & Jo Switzer

At 7:50 pm, Jo Switzer called the meeting to order and welcomed attendees.

**Treasurer/Membership** – Craig Rice reported our membership is 66.

**Minutes** – were approved as published.

**Events** – Ice Cream Social is Aug 26 which will include a Dick Storrs' TSD Rallye, leaving from the north side of the Noblesville Square at 2 pm. Please RSVP Frakes. Bushes will be hosting an Oct 27 Halloween party.

### SeptemberFest –

*Registration* - will start at 3 pm on Friday, Sept 14.

*Hospitality* – Melanie Haskell polled meeting attendees as to what they planned to bring for the Friday pitch-in supper.

*50/50 Raffle* – Frankie Pfile will be doing this.

*Rallye* – Jon Monies has prepared the route for a poker run, with a card to be selected at each checkpoint.

*Popularity Show* – Roy Bowman cannot attend due to work commitments. Bruce Gilham will stand in and manage the show on Saturday with Roy providing the materials and show plan to Bruce.

*Auction* – Contact Chair David Broyles with your donated item for auction. Brent Porter will assist and MC this event. Jim Switzer is providing a framed Healey collage as a special item for sale.

*Funchana* – Dick Storrs plans to start the Friday fun and games about 6 - 6:30 pm.

We adjourned at 8:45 pm. Next meeting will be Sept 11, 6:30 pm at Mo's Loading Dock on Senate Ave downtown.



### *Ice Cream.... continued from page 4*

About two dozen people enjoyed the generous hospitality of Jim and Karen Frakes after the Rallye, which included supper and then about every flavor of ice cream imaginable !





## Doug Bruce goes to Elkhart Lake

Doug Bruce provided these shots of the activities at the Brian Redman Kohler International Challenge vintage races and related car activities July 13-16 at Road America. On the **left**, the racing Healeys line up before heading out on the racetrack. On the **right**, Doug takes a curve with ease during the track time for non-racing vintage cars.



## Images of the JCNA National Challenge Championship in Indy

On July 31 through August 4, the Jaguar Clubs of North America held their 2007 event here, hosted by the Greater Indiana Club. Highlights included Brian Redman as Awards Banquet guest speaker and their Concours show on the Circle.



**Above-left:** A lovely 1959 Mrk IX Saloon

**Above-right:** A 1938 SS DHC (Drop Head Coupe)

**Left:** *Racing pedigree.* **(R)** One of the most successful racing sports cars of the 1950s was the D-Type. This short-nose example was raced over ice surfaces and snow-covered roads in Finland ! **(L)** Only 16 of these XKSS models were made, essentially conversions from D-Types.





**Above-left:** '38 SS100 two-seater

**Above-right:** Skirted '50 XK120 OTS (open two-seater)

**Left:** The gleaming 6-cyl engine of a '59 XK150.

**Right:** *Nose art...* A '54 XK120 OTS.

### Ice Cream, Ice Cream, We Rallied for Ice Cream !

We participated in the AHCA National Ice Cream Social on August 26 by coupling it with a pre-party TSD (time-speed-distance) rallye. Dick Storrs, fresh from his rallye victory at Conclave Vermont, organized and presented the unique, fun driving event on some selected roads in Hamilton County near Noblesville. Congratulations to the following teams: Time – Haskells (1st); Berenyis (2nd); Switzers (3rd); (Pat) Bruces (4th); Gilhams (5th); and Buis' (6th). Distance – Gilhams (1st).



**Left:** Rallye Master Dick Storrs imparts final instructions to Bruce Gilham before the start on the north side of the Noblesville Square. The rallye course itself was about 45 miles in length, lasting about 75 minutes on this beautiful Sunday afternoon.

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Sept 8 NIAHCA's Lemon Creek Field Day

Sept 14-15 SeptemberFest 2007

Sept 23 IBCU's Indy Brit Car Days Show

Sept 28-30 MVAHCA Fall Round-Up

Oct 6 Winona Lake Fall Out 2007

Oct 27 Halloween Party, Bushes

Dec 1 XMAS Party