

# InterMarque

Vintage Foreign Cars in the Upper Midwest

## Monthly

### InterMarque Calendar Highlights

**May 16 - 18**

Donnybrooke Vintage Re-  
vival, Brainerd, MN

**May 18**

Inter-Marque Banquet and  
Car Show, Radisson Hotel  
and Conference Center,  
Plymouth, MN

**June 5-8**

Lake Superior Vintage  
Sports Car Rendezvous,  
Thunder Bay, Canada

**July 12**

Afton Alps Hillclimb,  
Hastings, MN

**August 9**

Ellingson's British Swap  
Meet and Car Show,  
Rogers, MN

**September 6**

Wheels & Wings, Osceola,  
WI

**September 19 -21**

Road America Fall Vintage  
Races, Elkhart Lake, WI

Much, much more inside!

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# It's Almost Here!



**Who:** Everybody who's anybody and anybody  
who shows up

**What:** The greatest gathering of vintage foreign  
cars in the Upper Midwest

**Where:** Plymouth Radisson & Conference Center

**When:** Sunday, May 18, 1:00 p.m. show, 3:00 p.m.  
banquet

**Why:** Because it's more fun than fertilizing your  
lawn, putting in your dock, or spring cleaning.

**How:** Drive it, trailer it, tow it, or push it. Just  
get yourself and that vintage foreign vehicle  
to the Radisson.

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***Haven't pre-registered yet? Get off your crankshaft and do it now! See page 10 for info!***

## Marque Clubs of the Upper Midwest

British Iron Society of Greater  
Fargo (701-293-6882)

**Citroën Car Club of Minnesota**  
(www.citoenmn.com)

**Jaguar Club of Minnesota** (952-  
220-0850)

Lotus Owners of the North  
(tlp50@earthlink.net)

**Minnesota Austin-Healey Club**  
(www.mnhealey.com)

Minnesota Ferrari Club (LSand  
007@mn.rr.com)

**Minnesota MG Group**  
(www.mmgg.org)

**Minnesota MG T Register**  
(www.mnmgtr.com)

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(frozenquest@yahoo.com)

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(ljmlshields@msn.com)

Minnesota SAAB Club  
(www.mnsaabclub.org)

**Minnesota Triumphs** (clubs.  
hemmings.com/mntriumphs/)

Nordstern Porsche Club (www.  
nordstern.org)

North Star BMW Car Club (www.  
northstarbmw.org)

The Regulars Twin Cities Vintage  
Scooter Club (www.minnescoota.  
com)

**Stella del Nord Alfa Romeo  
Owners Club** (esolstad@  
presenter.com)

**Vintage Sports Car Racing**  
(www.vscr.org)

Vintage VW Club of America (763-  
421-2705)

Volvo Sports America Minnesota  
Chapter (612-789-0851)

Clubs listed in bold are members of the InterMarque Council.

Want your club listed? Submit info to  
andylindberg@earthlink.net. No charge.

### Registration Update for Inter-Marque Car Show & Banquet

The club with the most pre-registrants for the Inter-Marque wins an award. As of May 14, the status of this competition was as follows:

Club	Cars	People
Triumph	14	26
MG	13	22
Healey	6	9
Jaguar	5	7
Saab	3	5
Alfa	3	4
Lotus	3	4
Morgan	2	4
Citroën	2	2
Mercedes	2	2
Porsche	1	2
Aston Martin	1	1
Marcos	1	1
MINI	1	1



# Reborn Lotus

Words and pictures by Tim Engel, LOON member (Lotus Owners Of the North)

Dave Lindemann's 1977 Lotus Esprit S1 has been off the road since 1988. Dave bought it as a project car in 1995 and has been working to restore it since then. He even hauled it cross-country in pieces when his family moved back to the Twin Cities.

Last summer was a milestone in that the engine and transaxle were finally installed. After that, the rear suspension could be installed and the car sat on its wheels once again. Since then, Dave has been plugging away on the final assembly details hoping to have the car on the road this Spring.

Last Saturday was the day. Dave posted a note on the LOON Message Board looking for help with the final systems check and engine start. Dave Cammack, Aaron Courteau, Mike Griese, Calvin & Matt Hamada, Frank Howard, Jim McFadden and I showed up (Jeremy, Jennifer and Isabelle came for a look later).



Dave's wife, Arianna, seemed to approve as well

After some final hook-up work, and double checking connections, Dave turned the key.

The engine was a little stubborn and took some coercion; but once it fired, it ran great. It's got a real nice sound. After the gauges all centered, the noises all sounded normal, and a nook-n-cranny check for leaks came up dry, the idle was jacked up to around 2000 rpm for the first 20 minutes to bed in the new c a m s . During that time, it



Getting very close to starting it up.

didn't miss a beat, the temp stayed steady and there wasn't a drop leaked.

After some celebration, the engine was fired up again to tune and balance the carbs with a manometer. Then the big moment as Dave slipped behind the wheel and took it for a drive around the neighborhood. Talk about a



Dave about to take the plunge off the curb.



Dave had some champagne on hand for the occasion. Here he offers some to Jim McFadden.

grin! Then everyone there got a turn behind the wheel. Well, okay... except Matt. But he got a ride. Hang in there, Matt. Your day is coming.

Now Dave is working on finishing some detail work like installing the carpets, some exterior trim and rebuilding the brake master cylinder... small stuff. He's hoping to have the car ready for the InterMarque Banquet this weekend, so wish him luck. Help if you can.

The pictures Dave posted to the Esprit Mailing List could only be viewed by subscribed list members. So Keen Young has copied them to his website where we can all see them. Check the following link: [www.usinternet.com/users/kyoung/lotus/lindeman/](http://www.usinternet.com/users/kyoung/lotus/lindeman/)

Congratulations Dave. Good job.

PS. The Lotus Europa Twin Cam in the background of one of the photos is Dave's new project car.

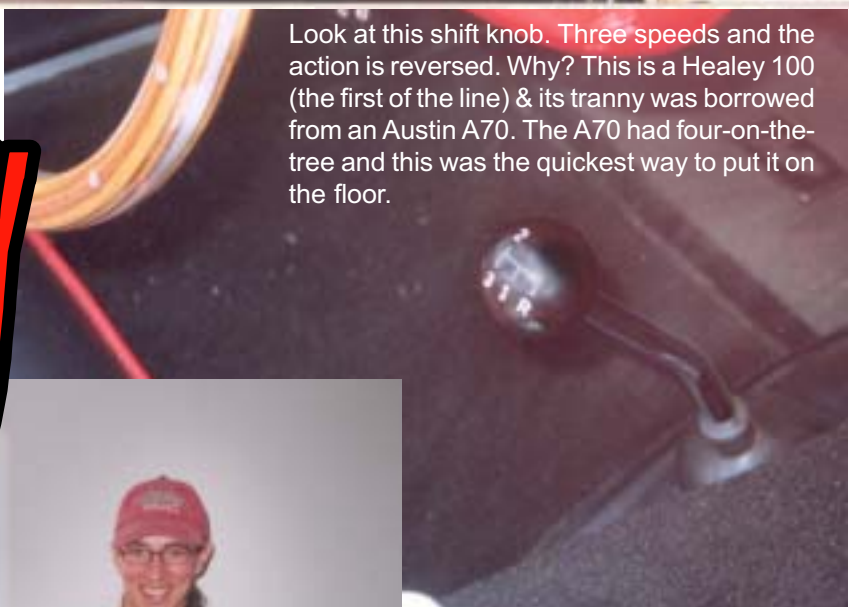




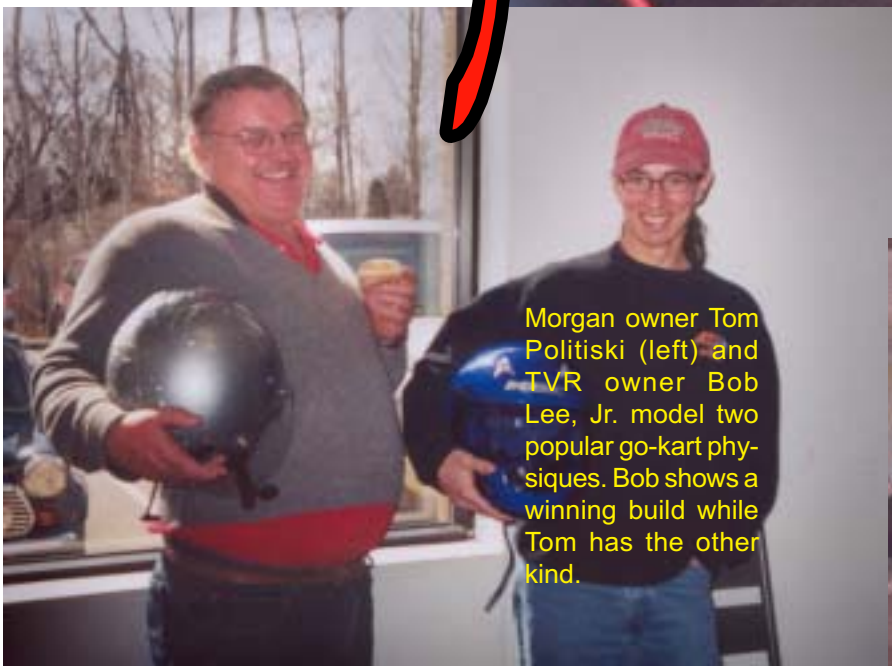
Ah, spring! April 26 had to be the nicest opening day in many a year. This is a picture of the Minnesota Austin Healey Club's opener, but the MGs and several others also had events on this most glorious of days. (Last year it snowed for the Healey and MG events.)



# Miscellany



Look at this shift knob. Three speeds and the action is reversed. Why? This is a Healey 100 (the first of the line) & its tranny was borrowed from an Austin A70. The A70 had four-on-the-tree and this was the quickest way to put it on the floor.



Morgan owner Tom Politiski (left) and TVR owner Bob Lee, Jr. model two popular go-kart physiques. Bob shows a winning build while Tom has the other kind.



The next time your street rod buddy starts whining about leaky foreign cars, show him this shot of a Chevy II.



# Field of Dreams



or Nightmares, depending on your point of view

**Too Late for Calendar:** Barley John's Brewpub has invited all British Built Cars to visit on Fathers Day, Sunday, June 15. They will be open from 10:30 to 5:30 so we could plan on being there from 2:00 to 5:30. Barley John's is not normally open on Sundays but, for this day, they are opening and would like the BBCs to visit. Barley John's brewpub is a restaurant and micro-brewery with really good and fresh food. They have wonderful, unique specials with fish, poultry and steaks and grilled pizza.

Their salads are made with very fresh greens, they have great sandwiches and burgers. Plus, as you would expect from the name of the restaurant, the micro-brewed beer that is brewed right there is wonderful. Plus, they have a good selection of wine and other non-alcoholic drinks.



MGA. Older restoration. Rebuilt motor. \$9000. Mark Brandow, 612-824-4155.

In addition to indoor seating, they have a patio right next to the parking lot so you can get a table outside right next to the cars and have a great meal or drink. Barley John's is located at 781 Old Hwy. 8, New Brighton, MN 55112. 651-636-4670. It's located just north of Minneapolis off 35W at Country Rd. D and Old Highway 8 about 2 miles NW of Rosedale Shopping Center.

Check-out their web site at [www.barleyjohns.com/](http://www.barleyjohns.com/).



Spitfire. I am being transferred out of state and have to sell my Spitfire. The car is completely free of rust. It has 81,000 miles but was completely overhauled at 78,000. Interior is new black naugahyde. It has new struts, springs, brakes, and tires. Last month it received a new Weber 32/36 DGV carb, Crane CDI Ignition, and a new exhaust. Top has a 1" tear above the passenger door and the carpet should be replaced. It has a few quirks but all in all it is a fine example of this classic car. E-mail me [kpmdvr@yahoo.com](mailto:kpmdvr@yahoo.com) or call John at (612) 210-0479. I'm looking to get about \$5,700 for it which is less than I've invested.

# INTERMARQUE CALENDAR

## INTERMARQUE SHOWS & EVENTS

**MAY 16 - 18**

**MAY 18**



**Carlisle Import/Kit Car Show** Pennsylvania. Biggest foreign car swapmeet this side of the pond.

**InterMarque Spring Banquet and Car Show** Radisson Hotel & Conference Center, Plymouth, MN. North-east corner of the intersection of I-494 and Hwy. 55. Hosted by the Inter-Marque Council. Car show 1:00 p.m. Banquet 3:00. Banquet cost is \$13.35/person including tip and gratuity excluding bar drinks. Events, fun, you can't miss it!!!

**MAY 20**

**Opening Night of the New Italian Job** How can they outdo the old flick with Michael Caine, Noel Coward and Benny Hill? Do you remember the XKE's, the Aston, the Lambo, and three Minis being tossed off the mountain? Are the new MINIs up to the job? The MINI-sota Motoring Society intends to find out. Southdale by the Edina water tower. 5:30 p.m. Info: [frozenquest@yahoo.com](mailto:frozenquest@yahoo.com)

**MAY 24 - JUNE 1**

**Seventh Annual British Car Week** This is the nationally celebrated week when Brit Car owners are supposed to get their cars on the road and spread awareness of them.

**MAY 28**

**Evening Drive to Make the Queen Mum Proud** Meet at the Lake Harriet Bandshell at 6:00 p.m. and motor to Billabong's in Bloomington in celebration of British Car Week. (See above.) Hosted by Minnesota Triumphs. For info contact Russ Mattson 612-869-3011.

**JUNE 5-8**



**"Back To The Bay" Vintage Sports Car Rendezvous 2003** Thunder Bay, Canada. Hosted by the Thunder Bay Vintage Sports Car Club. This is the 13th running of this event, which rotates from Winnipeg to Minnesota to Thunder Bay. Lodging is at the Best Western Nor'Wester. Call 888-473-2378 and mention the Sports Car Rendezvous. Rates are \$89.00 in the Nor'Wester and \$59.00 in the Willows Annex. Prices are in Canadian dollars. Info: Roger Rickards 807-473-4882 or [miniowners@sham.ca](mailto:miniowners@sham.ca) or [www.tbvsc.ca](http://www.tbvsc.ca).

**JUNE 14 & 15**

**Art of Classic Cars** Minneapolis, MN. 9th Annual Stone Arch Festival of the Arts. Noon to 5:00 p.m. both days. Set-up begins at 10, awards at 5. Historic Main Street in the Mpls Riverfront District. Eighteen car classes including 1100 (sports cars, foreign or import, 2 passenger), 1400 (imports, foreign, all to 1979, except two passenger sports cars), and 1500 (orphans). Pre-registration is recommended. Info: Mark or Susan Anderson 612-825-8551.

**AUGUST 9**

**Ellingson's Swap Meet and Car Show** Rogers, MN. Hosted by the Minnesota MG Group, Potential cohosts include Minnesota Triumphs (?), Minnesota Minis (?), Minnesota Austin-Healeys (?), Minnesota MGT Register (?), Jaguar Minnesota (?), and the British Iron Society (?).

**SEPTEMBER 6**

**Wheels & Wings** Osceola, WI. Hosted by Classic Motorbooks.

**SEPTEMBER 7**

**Chicagoland British Car Festival** Palos Hills, IL. Hosted by the (Chicago area) British Car Union. 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. 17th annual. West of I294, between 107 and 111 Street on 88 Avenue. Info: [www.britishcarunion.com](http://www.britishcarunion.com) or 630-773-4806

**SEPTEMBER 14**

**Battle of the Brits** Sterling Heights (Detroit), MI. Hosted by Detroit Triumph Sportscar Club. 21st annual. 2002 event fielded 432 cars and 202 motorcycles. Info: Sue Snyder 586-979-4875 or [snydleydog@yahoo.com](mailto:snydleydog@yahoo.com).

## RECURRING INTERMARQUE EVENTS

**InterMarque Informal Car Show** Every Sunday, April 13 through October, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Billabong Aussie Bar & Grill, Bloomington. Come on out and bring your: MG, Triumph, Mini, Citroën, Jensen, Jaguar, Morgan, Alfa, Austin, Delorean, Mercedes, TVR, Riley, Ferrari, Bentley, Rolls Royce, Land Rover, VW, Fiat, Lotus, Alvis, etc. Located on the south frontage road of I-494 between Highway 100 and France Avenue. Billabong phone is 952-844-0655.



**Test Days** Second Saturday of the month May through October. Minnesota Highway Safety Center near St. Cloud. Get a taste of driving a road course, improve your driving skills or test your sports car. Entrants need a helmet and seat belt, plus a rollbar for open cars. You don't have to be a racer to enjoy the fun. Instruction is available for newcomers. Info: Bill Groschen 952-746-8880 or [www.uscr.org](http://www.uscr.org).





# InterMarque Races, Rallies, & Tours



**MAY 16 - 18**

**Donnybrooke Vintage Revival** Brainerd International Raceway, Brainerd, MN. Hosted by Vintage Sports Car Racing (VSCR). Make this an event for your club! Low-key weekend with spirited vintage racing. Non-racers are welcome to take a tour of the track. Attendees are invited to join VSCR at their traditional post-race party on Saturday. Accommodations are available at numerous motels and resorts in the area or camping is available at the track. The North Star BMW performance driving school will be at the track as well. Info: Rich & Liz Stadther 651-698-1981, [stadther@pclink.com](mailto:stadther@pclink.com), or [www.vscr.org](http://www.vscr.org).

**MAY 24**

**La Tour della Primavera** A Gourmet Scenic Tour to Stockholm & Alma, WI. Join Pat Stanley & Ed Solstad for a scenic drive from Prescott down through the coulee country to Stockholm for antique browsing and lunch at the Star Cafe. We'll then head inland to Arkansaw and Durand and then back through the hills to Alma for more browsing and a fine evening meal at Currents Restaurant. This will be a laid back tour with a variety of stops enroute to check out interesting sites, relax, etc. In order to keep the drivers awake, we'll also through in some of our favorite sports car roads. For reservations at Currents, call 608-685-4880. Those wishing to stay overnight are invited to check out the Felice Patra B&B. (\$56-59/night) 608-685-4512. We'll provide route instructions so you have the option of driving at your own pace if you don't care to caravan down. Info & RSVP: Pat Stanley 612-822-0569 or [esolstad@presenter.com](mailto:esolstad@presenter.com)

**JUNE 14**

**Chippewa Trail Rally** Hudson to Menomonie, WI You can pretty much count on good roads and glitch free instructions from Dave Fuss, probably the top rallymaster in the upper Midwest. You can run the Chip as an all day SCCA National Tour Rally or Course (Trap) Rally for the truly masochistic. For those looking for something a bit more laid back Dave is also offering an afternoon only tour starting at approximately noon. One of the neat things about running an SCCA National with a vintage car is all of the complements that you'll receive. They really like to see interesting cars out running with them. Perfect for an Alfa, Lotus, or E-Type with their sophisticated suspension and brakes, but also incredible fun in an XK120 with its leaf spring rear suspension and marginal brakes. Info: Dave Fuss at 763-494-4925 or [dave@longtermincome.com](mailto:dave@longtermincome.com). Hope to see you there

**JUNE 21**

**Gymkhana** 10:00 a.m. at the Brown & Bigelow parking lot, 345 Plato Blvd, St. Paul, MN. Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. The pylons will be set up and you can test your driving skills. Info: Steve Rixen [steve@rixen.com](mailto:steve@rixen.com) or 715-386-2880.

**JUNE 27 - 29**

**VARAC Vintage Festival** Mosport Racing Facility, Mosport, Ontario, Canada. Hosted by the Vintage Automobile Racing Association of Canada. Featured marque is **Triumph**. Info: VARAC ([www.varac.ca](http://www.varac.ca) or [lbmc@nexcicom.net](mailto:lbmc@nexcicom.net))

**JULY 12**

**Afton Alps Hillclimb** Afton Alps Recreation Area, Hastings, MN 8:30 a.m. on-site registration, 10:00 mandatory drivers' meeting. Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. \$10 pre-registration, \$15 day of the event. See flier on page 11. Info: Tom Hazen [tom\\_hazen@adp.com](mailto:tom_hazen@adp.com) or 612-237-1883.

**JULY 25 - 27**

**The BRIC** RoadAmerica, Elkhart Lake, WI. This is the biggie! More cars, more people, and fewer hotel rooms than at anything else on these pages. Make your motel reservations now for the 2005 event. Info: [www.vscda.org](http://www.vscda.org) and [www.roadamerica.com](http://www.roadamerica.com).

**JULY 26 - 27**

**Rally in the Valley** Chippewa Falls, WI. Hosted by MMGG. Meet in Chippewa Falls, tour the Leinenkugel Brewery, participate in a poker run, have dinner, and either head for home or spend the night at the scenic AmericInn Motel in the Falls. (715-723-5711, \$90/night if you say you're with MMGG). Info Steve and Diane Rindt 715-832-8316 or [sdrindt@msn.com](mailto:sdrindt@msn.com).

**AUGUST 16 & 17**

**GRRR Alleggerita Tour & Dinner Cruise** Think of this as GRRR Lite. We're still working out details on this one. The general idea is to meet in Prescott and follow previous GRRR routes to La Crosse for a dinner cruise on the steam powered paddleboat Julie Belle Swain. After driving all day in a sports car with engine speeds of 5000rpm or better, it is very relaxing to be on a boat powered by an engine on which you can watch the connecting rods and actually count the rpms. Neat stuff! Whatever the final details, the event will involve the great roads and scenery that past GRRR participants have come to know and love. It may end up being a straight forward rally with a non-timed tour option or maybe we'll just scrap the timed idea altogether and just drive at our own pace.

Stay tuned or call Ed Solstad 612-822-0569 for info or suggestions.

**AUGUST 23**

**Fox & Hounds Tour** Location TBD. Host Austin-Healey. Info: Tom Hazen 612-237-1883 or [tom\\_hazen@adp.com](mailto:tom_hazen@adp.com).

**SEPTEMBER 13**

**M&M TouRally** Hosted by the Minnesota Austin-Healey Club. Info soon.

**SEPTEMBER 19 - 21**

**Elkhart Lake Fall Vintage Races** Road America, Elkhart Lake, WI. Not as crowded as July's Brian Redman International Challenge and the weather is usually better also. Several intermarque convoys are planned so you can go to the event with others on your own schedule, on your own favorite route, and/or at your own preferred speed. Info: [www.vscda.org](http://www.vscda.org) and [www.roadamerica.com](http://www.roadamerica.com).

**SEPTEMBER 19 - 22**

**"Last Hurrah" Challenge Tour** Leaves the Twin Cities on Friday for Ashland, WI. Then there will be a counterclockwise circumnavigation of our inland ocean. Organizer Ken Smith says that the tour will be conducted at Jaguar speeds and that space is limited. For the former, we recommend a supercharger on your TC; for the latter, contact Ken at 952-220-0850.

**OCTOBER 4**

**Minnesota MG Group/Austin-Healey Club Fall Colour Tour** Combined event. Details later

**OCTOBER 11**

**Minnesota Triumphs Fall Colour Tour** The Minnesota Triumphs calendar says, "God help us because this event is being hosted by the quiet and insecure O'Brien brothers. Wayne Glossner and Ron Rudamen have volunteered to work with the O'Briens to try to keep the event from erupting into something that will make Marki Gras look like a high tea." If you think this is your cup of tea (pun intended), contact one of the O'Briens at 715-386-5134 (Chris), 715-386-2013 (Patrick), or 715-386-6609 (Sean). Good luck.

# MARQUE NATIONALS & UPPER MIDWEST REGIONALS

**JUNE 6 - 8**

**MOFLO 2003** Osage Beach, MO. Midwest Outing of Fiat & Lancia owners. The meeting in the middle. Info: [www.mirafiori.com/~kdickson/](http://www.mirafiori.com/~kdickson/)

**JUNE 6 - 8**

**Heartland MG Regional** St. Joseph, MO. Hosted by the Heartland MG Club. All British Cars welcome. Guest marque: Austin-Healey. Info: [www.heartlandmg.com](http://www.heartlandmg.com), [info@heartlandmg.com](mailto:info@heartlandmg.com), or Tommie Camblin 816-795-9628

**JUNE 19 - 21**

**TRA 2003 National Meet** Auburn, IN. This show will feature the first public appearance of TS1 in almost 30 years. TS1, a TR2, is the very first production TR. TRA is the Triumph Register of America which caters to TR2's, TR3's, and now TR4's. For more info see [www.triumphregister.com](http://www.triumphregister.com).

**JUNE 19 - 23**

**MG2003** North American MGB Register, St. Louis, MO. Info: [www.british-cars.org.uk/~kimber/namgbr](http://www.british-cars.org.uk/~kimber/namgbr)

**JUNE 20 - 22**

**Citroën Rendezvous** Northfield, MA. Hosted by Citroën Quarterly. Info: Michael Cox (617-742-6604 or [CitQ@aol.com](mailto:CitQ@aol.com))

**JUNE 25-30**

**Conclave 2003: A Capital Experience** Washington, DC. Hosted by the Capital Area Austin-Healey Club. Info: Gary Palsgrove (301-468-0151 or [evorgslap@msn.com](mailto:evorgslap@msn.com)), Allen Feldman ([mapper500@starpower.net](mailto:mapper500@starpower.net)), or [capitalbealeys.org](http://capitalbealeys.org). Local info: Greg Lauser 715-262-9813 or [greg\\_lauser@cargill.com](mailto:greg_lauser@cargill.com)

**JUNE 27-29**

**Antique Motorcycle Club of America National Meet** Farmington, MN. Hosted by the Viking Chapter. 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday. 8:00 a.m. to noon on Sunday. Info: John Eiden 763-537-8052, Dave Rademacher 763-755-8520, or [www.antiquemotorcycle.org](http://www.antiquemotorcycle.org).

**JULY 10-13**

**American MGC Register** Davis, WV, Blackwater Falls State Park

**JULY 14**

**GT28** North American MGA Register Get Together, Welches, OR. Hosted by the Columbia Gorge MGA Club. Info: Pat & Kenny Snyder (360-263-4047), Mark Hadley (503-771-7576 or [markhadley@aol.com](mailto:markhadley@aol.com)), or [www.british-cars.org.uk/~kimber/namgar](http://www.british-cars.org.uk/~kimber/namgar)

**JULY 18 - 20**

**Fiat Freak Out 2003** Asheville, NC. Hosted by the Atlanta and East Tennessee Chapter of Fiat Lancia Unlimited. Info: [www.flu.org/ffo2003/](http://www.flu.org/ffo2003/)

**JULY 22 - 24**

**GOF Central** Delevan, WI. Hosted by the Milwaukee & Greatlakes MG Motorcar Group (MGMGMG). For MG T series cars (and earlier). Info: Kristi Mirocha 262-786-6763 or [mirocha@execpc.com](mailto:mirocha@execpc.com).

**AUGUST 6-10**

**Vintage Triumph Register** Armagh, PA. Hosted by The Roadster Factory. Info: [www.vtr.org](http://www.vtr.org)



**AUGUST 22-24**

**Volvo Sports America National Meet** Niagra Falls, Canada. For Volvo P1800 owners.

**SEPTEMBER 4-7**

**SAAB Owners' Convention** Hershey, PA Hosted by the Central Pennsylvania SAAB Club. Info: [www.saabconvention.org](http://www.saabconvention.org)

**JUL 20 - AUG 18, 2004**

**Rolls-Royce Centennial World Tour** Baltimore, MD to Monterey, CA. Hosted by the Rolls-Royce Owners Club. Celebrates "the Meeting" of Charles Rolls and Henry Royce on May 4, 1904. Info: Peter Lind (707-967-8202 or [bonpete@earthlink.net](mailto:bonpete@earthlink.net)) or [www.rroc.org/worldtour](http://www.rroc.org/worldtour)

## REGULAR CLUB EVENTS

**British Iron Society** Informal gathering, every Saturday morning at CashWise in Fargo. Info: Don Carlson 701-293-6882

**Lotus Owners of the North (LOON)** Informal gathering, third Sunday of the month at Sherlock's Home. Info: Terry Pitts 651-450-0921 [tlp50@earthlink.net](mailto:tlp50@earthlink.net)

**Minnesota Austin-Healey Club** Pie With the President, first Wednesday of the month, 7:00 p.m. Bakers' Square, Highland Village, St. Paul. Info: Tom Hazen 612-237-1883 [tom\\_hazen@adp.com](mailto:tom_hazen@adp.com) or [www.mnhealey.com](http://www.mnhealey.com)

**Minnesota MG T Register** MG Luncheons, every Tuesday, 11:15 a.m. Frenchman's, 1400 E. 66th Street, Richfield. Info: Bob Figenskau 952-935-7909 or [www.mnmgr.com](http://www.mnmgr.com)

**Minnesota SAAB Club** Monthly Meeting, first Thursday of the month, 7:30 p.m., the Ground Round at the Har-Mar Mall in Roseville. Info: Chris Luick 507-252-1888 or [www.mnsaabclub.org](http://www.mnsaabclub.org)

**Minnesota Triumphs** Monthly Meeting, second Thursday of the month (except Nov. & Dec.), 7:00 p.m., Fort Snelling Officers Club. Info: Bob Lee 715-425-2580 or [clubs.bemmings.com/mntriumphs/](http://clubs.bemmings.com/mntriumphs/)

**The Regulars, twin cities vintage scooter club** Semi-monthly gathering (weather permitting). First and third Sunday of the month, 2:00 p.m., Pizza Luce, Lyndale and 32nd in Minneapolis. Info: [www.minnescoota.com](http://www.minnescoota.com)

**Stella del Nord chapter Alfa Romeo Owners Club** Monthly Gathering, second Monday of the month, 7:00 p.m. Various locations. Info: Ed Solstad 612-822-0569 or [esolstad@presenter.com](mailto:esolstad@presenter.com).

# On Offer



MGB. Hardtop, Burgundy with tan interior. 21,xxx actual miles. \$8000 obo. Mark Brandow, 612-824-4155.

Bugeye Sprite. 1275 engine with sidedraft Weber. \$4500. Mark Brandow, 612-824-4155.



1972 Triumph TR6. Triple Webers, headers, and free flow exhaust.

Roll bar. Needs TLC. \$6500. Mark Brandow, 612-824-4155.

1960 Triumph TR3A. TS80422L. Recent expensive signal red paint job, TR4 (full synchro) tranny, overdrive, and chrome wires. \$15000. Mark Brandow, 612-824-4155.

# Inter Marque Car Show & Banquet

Almost 100 people  
are already regis-  
tered! Don't you miss  
it!



for vintage foreign cars in the cities & beyond

May 18

Car Show 1:00 p.m., Banquet 3:00 p.m.

Radisson Hotel and Conference Center  
I-494 & Hwy 55, Plymouth

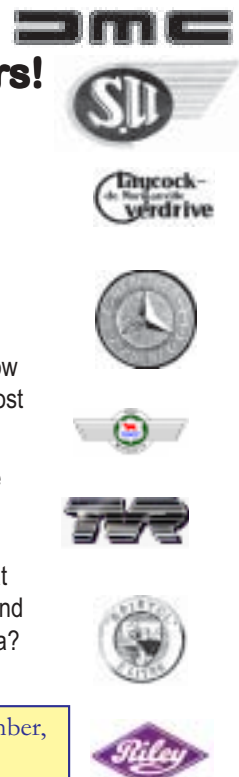
**Come and bring your car! Come and see the cars!  
Come and have some fun!**

### Frequently Asked Questions & Frequently Questioned Answers

- Q1. Who is the host for this event?  
A1. The Inter Marque Council, a rag-tag group of some foreign car clubs in the Upper Midwest.
- Q2. My car barely makes it from one side of the garage to the other. Should I bring it?  
A2. Absolutely! We love restoration projects as much as concours vehicles. (Just ask our spouses.) And if it has trouble running, you're going to find more help here than anyplace else in the five-state area.
- Q3. Can I win a prize?  
A3. Maybe. The rules are pretty loosey-goosey right now but we'll get them together by the 18th.

- Q4. What'll it cost?  
A4. The car show is free. The 3-course banquet is \$13.35/person. Pay your server.
- Q5. Can I pre-register?  
A5. Certainment! And you should to get a low car show number. Plus, the club with the most pre-registrants gets an award.
- Q6. My car doesn't have its logo around the border and there isn't any club for it around here. Can I still come?  
A6. Yah shoor, you betcha. Say where's that Volvo logo? And will there be a Saab 93? And how about a Sunbeam Alpine? And a Simca? And . . .

RSVP: To reserve a seat at the banquet and to get your advance car show registration number, please send name(s) and car marque, model and year to [andylinberg@earthlink.net](mailto:andylinberg@earthlink.net).





# Afton Alps Hillclimb



The Minnesota Austin-Healey Club invites you to **TAKE THE HILL!** Members of all Inter-Marque Council clubs are welcome for this event. Hillclimbs enjoy a proud place in the history of European motor sports. Now you can be part of that tradition, and make history with your own run to the top!

## Saturday, July 12, 2003 (rain date July 13)

Afton Alps Recreation Area, 6600 Peller Avenue South, Hastings, MN

On-site registration begins 8:30am - Mandatory drivers meeting 10:00am

Requirements: Sign waiver, pass on-site tech inspection, helmet (Snell 85, we'll have some loaners)  
Please visit <http://www.healeyclub.org/safetymain.htm> for details.

Pre-registered drivers get to run first. We will try to give everyone two runs, more if time permits.

Buffet luncheon will be available for \$10/person.

Directions: 194 East past St. Paul, take exit 253 and turn right onto Manning Ave/Hwy 95. After 6.8 miles turn left onto 70th Street. After 3.5 miles turn left into the Afton Alps complex. Go past the golf course then left and down the big hill.



Questions? Contact Tom Hazen at 612-237-1883 or [tom\\_hazen@adp.com](mailto:tom_hazen@adp.com)

Advance registration **\$10** per driver, **deadline July 7** (day of event will be **\$15**)

Please make checks payable to Minnesota Austin-Healey Club

and mail to: Tom Hazen, President  
Minnesota Austin-Healey Club  
130 East 18th Street, #202  
Minneapolis, MN 55403

Driver(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Year, make, model \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_