

CONCLAVE 2021 SELLING OUT FAST!

HEALEY OWNERS FROM AROUND THE COUNTRY SIGNING UP IN RECORD NUMBERS

Don't be Left Out, Register Now!

Healey owners have been signing up in droves for Conclave 2021 at Big Bear Lake which will run from May 16-21. Event Chairman Steve Kirby noted, "We have been overwhelmed by the response from across the country! We are well on our way to selling out the hotel's 148 rooms but are making arrangements for alternative lodging should that happen".

Registrations have already been received from more than a dozen states as well as Canada. There is even interest from Healey Owners in Australia and New Zealand, presuming those countries lift their travel bans. Kirby noted, "Frankly, we were a little concerned about the location, being so far West. We thought that might deter folks from the East, but that does not seem to be happening". Registration is open now,



Join the fun May 16-21, 2021 at Big Bear Lake, CA!

both online and by mail. Visit www.conclave2021.com for full event info and to register or print the registration form. Once your registration has been received and paid, you will receive an email with hotel booking info and the Group Code. The \$100 per night room rate is more than 50% off the normal rate for May and the hotel resort fee is waived and parking (cars and trailers) is free. The organizers are also offering a COVID Guarantee....in case the event must be cancelled, you will receive a full refund for your registration fees, minus a small

handling charge. Registrants will then be mailed their Welcome Gifts and any Regalia ordered.

Don't wait any longer, register now!

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Conclave Optional Events Announced

In addition to all the regular events offered at Conclave, there will be two optional events on offer.

On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, you may opt to take a tour of the lake on the Big Bear Queen, a sixty passenger Paddlewheel boat. Enjoy a 90 minute excursion narrated by Captain Chris, a lifelong **BIG BEAR QUEEN** captain, who conveys Big Bear Valley's history, including the solar observatory, Garstin Island, celebrity homes, the story of the Four Dams, some of the best fishing spots and other fun stuff in Big Bear. Within walking distance from the Lodge, a tour on the QUEEN completes your mountain visit (and you can BYOB and snacks).

Due to the high demand for this option, there will be two sailings each evening, 5:00pm and 6:30pm. You can pick your sailing time when you check in at the event but do sign up in advance when you register.

On Monday evening, following a no host cocktail party, guests are invited to experience an authentic Santa Maria BBQ Dinner, the original California BBQ. **Santa Maria-style[®] barbecue** is a regional



The Big Bear Queen, a paddlewheel boat, giving tours of Big Bear Lake on Tuesday and Wednesday evening.

culinary tradition rooted in the Santa Maria valley near Santa Barbara. This method of barbecuing dates back to the mid-19th century and is today regarded as a "mainstay of California's culinary heritage".

Santa Maria-style barbecue centers around beef tri-tip seasoned with black pepper, salt, and garlic before grilling over coals of native coast live oak. The grill is made of iron and usually has a hand crank that lifts or lowers the grill over the coals to the desired distance from the heat. Chicken and sausage are also offered

The traditional accompaniments are pinto beans, fresh salsa, tossed green salad, and grilled French bread dipped in sweet melted butter.

Don't miss out on this unique culinary experience!



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Scenic Tour and TSD Rally to Visit Joshua Tree National Park

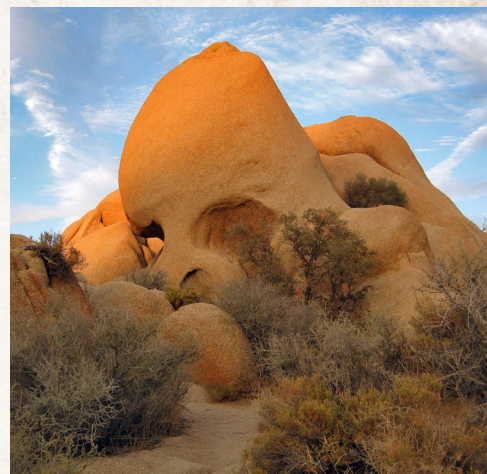
On Tuesday, May 18th Conclave guests will have a choice of a dramatic Scenic Drive at their own pace, or participation in the Time/Speed/Distance (TSD) Rally. Both events will cover the same route with Joshua Tree National Park being the destination.



Joshua Tree National Park, Cali.

Two distinct desert ecosystems, the Mojave, and the Colorado, come together in Joshua Tree National Park. A fascinating variety of plants and animals make their homes in a land sculpted by strong winds and occasional torrents of rain. Dark night

skies, a rich cultural history, and surreal geologic features add to the wonder of this vast wilderness in southern California. The higher and cooler Mohave Desert is the special habitat of *Yucca brevifolia*, the Joshua tree for which the park is named. It occurs in patterns from dense forests to distantly spaced specimens. In addition to Joshua tree forests, the western part of the park includes some of the most interesting geologic displays found in California's deserts. The dominant geologic features of this landscape are hills of bare rock, usually broken up into loose boulders. Together with the boulder piles and Skull Rock, the trees make the landscape otherworldly. Temperatures in May are moderate with the average high in the mid-80's.



The famous Skull Rock in Joshua Tree Park.

Most of the distance to the Park is on the very scenic Highway 38 which crosses Onyx Summit at 8,443 feet, the highest state highway in Southern California. From the summit you will descend to 1,358 feet in Redlands, before proceeding to the Park, where elevations range from 2,000 to 5,000 feet.

After a lunch in nearby Twenty-Nine Palms, your drive back to Big Bear will be via another scenic route through the Lucerne Valley. All in all, it should be a great day to drive a Healey!

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Conclave 2021 – Day by Day

Conclave 2021 will offer all the traditional events and much more, with plenty of time to socialize with old friends and make new acquaintances. The week will unfold as follows:

SUNDAY, MAY 16

Hotel and Event Check-in, time for a **Car Wash** (on site) or to relax in the Social Center. No host evening **Cocktail Party** with appetizers and a special **Guest Speaker**. Silent Auction, Arts and Crafts



and Photo Contest displays open. Dinner on your own at the hotel or one of the numerous nearby establishments.

MONDAY, MAY 17

After breakfast we will head out on our **Poker Run and Tour** around the Lake and into the mountains. **Concours Judging** all

day. **Cocktails and final Poker Card draw** in the evening, followed by the optional **Santa Maria BBQ Dinner** by the pool.

TUESDAY, MAY 18

Today is our big drive, your choice of participating in the TSD Rally or just enjoying the scenery. We will head down the mountain on scenic Highway 38 to visit **Joshua Tree National Park**, a truly unique landscape and habitat. After lunch, we will return to Big

Bear via another mountain route. Tonight will feature the preliminary and practice rounds of **Rocker**

Cover Racing followed by a no-host **Cocktail Party** in the Social Center. Many have decided to partake of the optional **Paddlewheel Boat Tour** on the Lake.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

Car Show Day is here! After your commemorative photo is taken you will be directed



to your parking spot on Pine Knot Avenue, the main drag in Big Bear where we will wow the tourists with our dazzling cars. Late afternoon will see the



finals of **Rocker Cover Racing** followed by a no-host **Cocktail Party** in the Social Center and more **Paddlewheel Boat Touring**.

THURSDAY, MAY 20

Gymkhana and Funkhanna Day at the Big Bear Airport. For those not participating there will be several optional self-driving opportunities including a **Lake Arrowhead drive, Morongo/Las Vegas style casino visit, Palm Spring Aerial Tramway**

ride, Idyllwild and Palms to Pines Highway tour and many other

options. Late afternoon will include **Tech Sessions** and a **Ladies Only Event**. A final **Cocktail Party** with appetizers

will precede the **Grand Banquet, Awards Ceremony, conclusion of the Silent Auction and**

a very special Healey guest.

FRIDAY, MAY 21

Start your morning with an included **Farewell Breakfast**. We will have some special fun awards and the event signage will be auctioned off.

(Please note that the hotel room rate is \$100 plus tax for Sunday through Thursday nights. Early arrival on Saturday or stayover on Friday night will also enjoy a discounted rate).

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration is now open. You may register online or by mail. Visit **www.conclave2021.com** for full event and hotel information and to start registration. Please note the money back COVID-19 Guarantee. Please answer all the questions carefully, we are collecting a log of information to make your visit as personalized and enjoyable as possible. Once we have received your paid registration, you will receive an email containing the code required to book your room.

