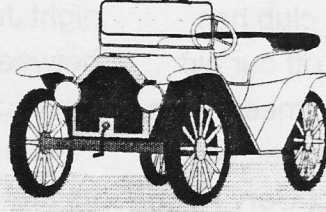


Saddle Jumper Gazette



Vernon L. Nash Antique Automobile Club of America

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NEXT MEETING THURSDAY May 14, 1998

At Chatinika Lodge
Chatinika Alaska
Dinner Buffet
(Chicken, Ham, Spuds, Veggies, Beverage)
\$13.00 plus gratuity

6:30 PM Conversation & Gathering
7:00 PM Dinner
8:00 PM Meeting

Meeting Agenda

Opening/Introduction of Guests
Treasurers Report
Secretary's Report
Old Business
 Arctic Wheels Car Show Report
 Pioneer's Day at Alaskaland
 Wednesday night run arounds
 Malamute Saloon Trip
 Healy Trip/Joint meet w/ Anchorage
 Aurora Show N Shine / July 18th
 Anything Else?
New Business
 Senior Recognition Day
 Golden Days Parade / July 25th
 Whatever you bring up
Other Business/Anything Goes!!

SENIOR RECOGNITION DAY Thursday, May 21, 1998

Lance Nutter 488-3019 is in charge of Sr. Recognition Day that happens annually at the Carlson Center. He has invited anyone with an old car from our club to participate in this years event. Quoting from Lance's email to me:

"My idea is to have several cars interspersed with the tables inside the Center. They could be there overnite, as we set up the day before. and of course the building is super secure. They could also be cordoned off, so's no one would touch them if that's what the owners would want. There are approximately 400 people that attend, not to mention the 3 area wide mayors, and probably at least a representative from the Governor's office. Also this year, we have Curtis Thomas as the Master of Ceremonies. We also have traditionally had a Bagpipe band with John Myers, Mo Samuelson, Connie Logan, the North Pole High School Choir, the Lathrop Color Guard, and etc. as we work on getting different people to help out. Lunch is free, and would also be free to any club members that had their cars on display - seniors or not!" Sounds like some great exposure! Give Lance a call at 488-3019 or email him at Nutter@co.Fairbanks.ak.us if you want to participate.

Sounds like fun, give Lance a call today, And we'll look for him at this month's meeting.

Pioneer Day at Alaskaland

Friday May 22nd, 4:30 to 7:00 pm is Pioneer Day at Alaskaland. Our club has been invited to attend and show off our old selves (whoops!!) vehicles. We'll meet at the Pioneer's Museum. There will be free wine and cheese snacks, too. Contact Gary Nash, 456-2103 if you are interested. It was incorrectly (yes, people I do make mistakes) reported that Gary would need people to drive the pioneers from the Pioneers Home to Alaskaland -- actually the pioneers may need a ride within Alaskaland and NOT to Alaskaland. This is an annual event that the VLNAACA has participated in and we look forward to your support, so come on out!!

Malemute Dinner Theater

We'll be "traveling along, signing a song, side by side," to Cripple Creek/ Malemute Saloon for the dinner and show Saturday May 30th. We'll meet at Alaskaland parking lot at 5:30 PM and caravan together to Ester. The price includes the dinner, gratuity, and show is \$25.30 per person. The money needs to be pre-paid and an accurate head count given by May 18th. If you can't pay up at May's meeting then call Bill Chace 488-3805 and send your payment to him at 2364 Lori Lane, North Pole, Alaska 99705.

The menu will consist of their family buffet, non-alcoholic beverage, and dessert -- served family style. Crab (if you want it) may be available for an extra cost, and you can pay for that separately at the time of your meal to Cripple Creek. Come on out and meet us at the Alaskaland parking lot at 5:30PM for a good old fashioned caravan, dinner, and show that'll make you laugh and wonder why you live in Alaska!

Wednesday Nights!!

Mark your calendar for Wednesday night June 3rd to gather our cars together between 6:30 and 6:45 PM at the Alaskaland parking lot for the first of the seasons "Terrorize the Tourist" nights. Then come join us any Wednesday evening for fun, and getting together to do it again!

With the closing of the Norlite Campground a new route with some new stops will be on the agenda. If you have any suggestions of places you'd like to see us visit contact Mary Roehm, 488-1644 or Beccy at 458-0024.

People sure do appreciate our impromptu gathering and are always "oogahling" over our cars. We receive lots of comments and thank-you's and of course a multitude of waves and honks from those around us. This is one of our community service events and is fun for the whole family!

Aurora Show 'N Shine

The second annual VLNAACA -Aurora Motors Show 'N Shine at Aurora Motors will be held Saturday July 18th 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Jerry Roehm 488-1644 has teamed up with Tyler Cook from Aurora and several other sponsors to make this a bigger and better event. There will be awards and trophies given out at about 5:00 PM. Saturday evening and lots of fun during the day.

We'll be parking and leaving our '50's vehicles inside the showroom over night as we/they will be showing them off for the 1958 class reunion of Skip Cook's graduating class! Sounds like a great time. Those leaving their vehicles overnight can pick them up Sunday morning.

Joint Meet with Antique Auto Mushers to Healy this year!

June 12, 13 and 14 are the dates for the joint meet with the Anchorage group and we are going to **Healy** this year. Jerry Roehm, 488-1644, is heading up this accomplishment for our club and will have all the information on food and lodging at the May 14th dinner meeting at Chatinika. If you haven't been to one of these annual events, or to refresh your memory, we'll give you all the what for's and why to's here:

This is an annual event with the Anchorage group and we've gone to several places over the years. This year it's Healy.

We take turns hosting the event. This year the Anchorage Group is hosting so the VLNAACA will be responsible to bring desserts for the shared meals -- which are:

- * Friday night BBQ
- * Saturday Lunch (what ever is left from Friday's BBQ plus a few refreshers)

You will need to make the arrangements for your own breakfast on both Saturday and Sunday mornings. Usually several meet together somewhere or we raid one of the campers that have a camp stove and are making their own breakfast!

Everyone is responsible to make their own reservation for lodging and there are several choices. SEE THE MAP & LIST with this newsletter. Remember, the Anchorage group will also be making reservations at the same places, so get your call in as early as you can! We expect around 60 people(more or less).

The Basic AGENDA is:

- * Leaving Friday June 11th at 12:00 noon from the Goldhill Store just outside of town and caravan down to Healy. (if you can't get off work or just want to come later you can also join us later Friday night or Saturday morning at Healy)
- * Upon arrival you will get your lodging, set up camp, or whatever. Then you can meet up with everyone and enjoy good conversation about the cars, trip or your choice of topics.
- * At 6:00 PM or thereabouts, the BBQ and "bantering" begins. We'll eat, joke and share stories. Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs.
- * Get together until you want to go to bed
- * Saturday AM, rise and shine, eat breakfast then gather together at about 10:00 AM.
- * Now, we may tour the Coal Mine or have a little parade or sightsee somewhere.
- * Then it's time for Lunch, consisting of leftover BBQ (with refreshers of fresh stuff added)
- * After lunch = CAR GAMES in the afternoon
- * Rest up and get ready for the banquet at about 7:00 PM
- * Awards Banquet: relax and enjoy the fun, food and fellowship
- * More talk and joining together until bedtime
- * Sunday morning, on your own for breakfast again -- find someone new to join up with or look up that old friend.
- * Break up camp and join together to caravan back to Fairbanks at approximately noon!

We've always had a great time, and we've made new friends that we look forward to seeing each year as well as catching up with those in our own group, too! We look forward to you being there. The first year Paul and I went we even won a prize for winning one of the car games. It's lots and lots of fun and the cars are the best ever of course.



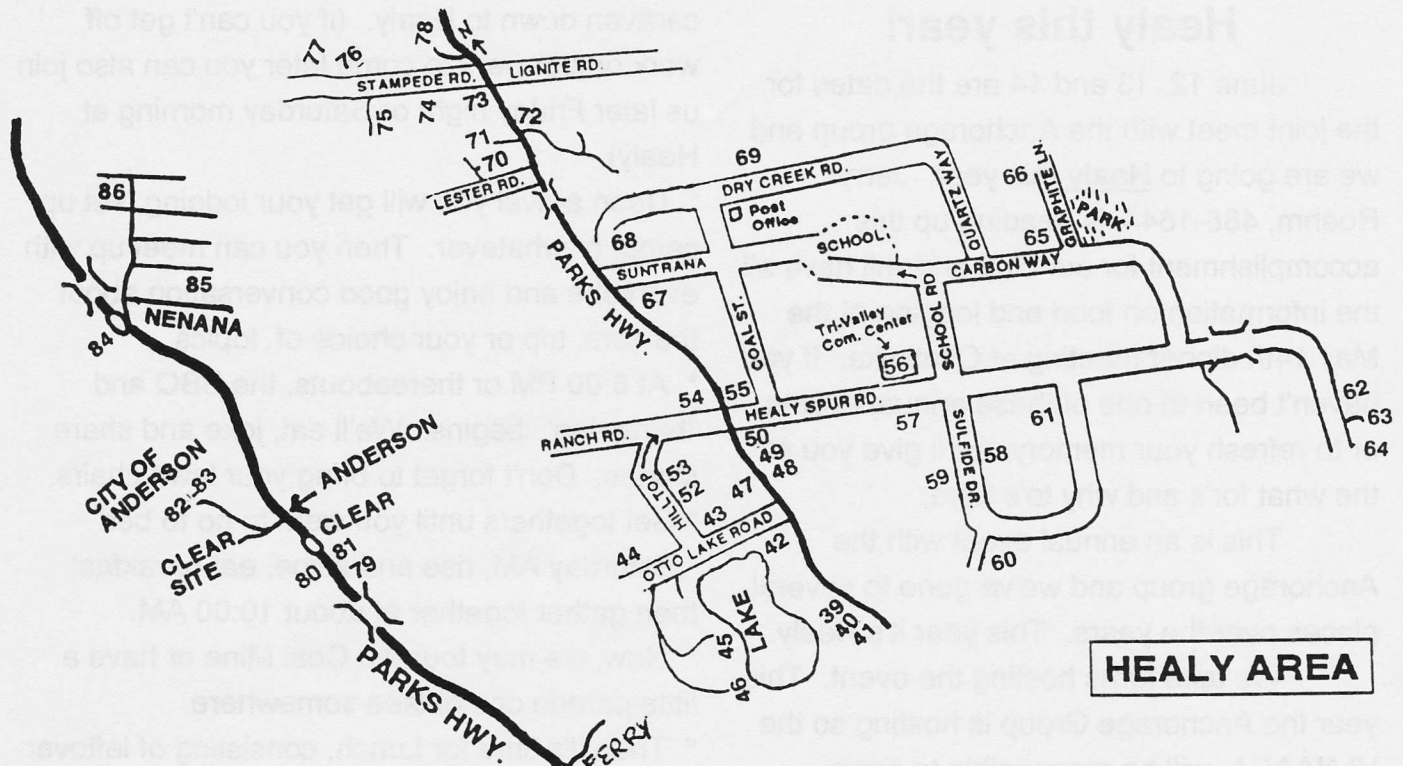
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VISITOR'S INFORMATION GUIDE

CANTWELL - DENALI PARK - HEALY - NENANA



"WE SERVE"



HEALY AREA

9. DENALI RV PARK
Mi. 245.1 Parks Hwy.
P. O. Box 139, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-1500 - Summer Season



0. DENALI MOTEL
Mi. 245.1 Parks Hwy.
P. O. Box 139, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-1500 - Summer Season



1. DENALI GIFT SHOP
Mi. 245.1 Parks Hwy.
P. O. Box 139, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-1500 - Summer Season



2. OTTO LAKE RV & CAMPGROUND
Mi. 247 Parks Hwy. - 1/2 Mi. Otto Lake Rd.
P. O. Box 195, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-2100 (Sum.) - 683-2603 (Win.)
Paddle Boat and Canoe Rentals



3. BLACK DIAMOND GOLF
Mi. 247 Parks Hwy. - 1/2 Mi. Otto Lake Rd.
P. O. Box 11, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-1250 - Summer Season



4. DENALI HOSTEL
Mi. 1.3 Otto Lake Rd. - Turn left at Mi. 247 Parks Hwy.
P. O. Box 801, Denali Park, AK 99755
(907) 683-1295 - Fax 683-2106 - Summer Season
Kitchen Facilities - Shuttle Service - Dormitory Style Accommodations



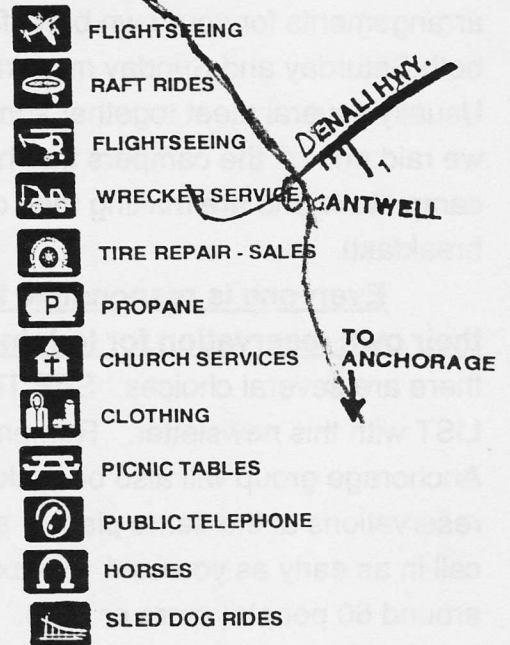
5. DENALI LAKESIDE LODGING
1.4 Miles on Otto Lake Rd.
P. O. Box 323, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-2511 - 1-800-354-6020 - Year-Round
1 Unit with Full Kitchen, Bath, Washer & Dryer



6. OTTO LAKE BED & BREAKFAST
1.5 Mi. Otto Lake Rd. - West at Mi. 247 Parks Hwy.
P. O. Box 45, Healy, AK 99743
(907) 683-2339 - Fax 683-2336
Overnight Accommodations with Breakfast



LEGENDS



47. WHITE MOOSE LODGE
 Mi. 248 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 68, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1233 - 1-800-481-1232 - Summer Season



48. McKINLEY RV & CAMPGROUND
 Mi. 248.5 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 340, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2379 - Summer
 Showers - Laundry - Ice - Miniature Golf - Movies - Deli



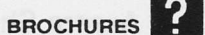
49. NENANA RAFT ADVENTURES
 Mi. 248.5 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 500, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-RAFT (7238) - 1-800-789-RAFT (Year-Round)
 Scenic or Whitewater - 2 Hr., 4 Hr., Full Day, Overnight, Dry Suits



50. TOTEM INN
 Mi. 248.7 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 105, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2420 - Fax/Ph. 683-2384 - Year-Round
 TV's - Video Rentals - Open 24 Hours



51. GREATER HEALY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 P. O. Box 437, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-INFO - Year-Round



52. AT TIMBERLINE BED & BREAKFAST
 Mi. 247 Parks Hwy. - Hilltop Road
 P. O. Box 13, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2757 - Fax 683-2767



53. HEALY HEIGHTS FAMILY CABINS
 Mi. 247 Parks Hwy. - Hilltop Road
 P. O. Box 277, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2639 - Fax 683-2640 - Summer Only
 Overnight Cabin Rentals with Private Baths, Kitchens



54. DENALI NORTH STAR INN
 Mi. 248.8 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 240, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1560 - 1-800-684-1560 - Year-Round
 Transportation to Train Depot - Hair Salon - Tanning Beds



55. STAMPEDE LODGE
 Mi. 248.8 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 380, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2242 - FAX 683-2243 - Year-Round



56. HEALY CLINIC
 Healy Spur Rd. - at Tri-Valley Community Center
 P. O. Box 62, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2211 - 24 Hrs., 7 Days a Week, Year-Round
 Emergency Medical & Family Practice

57. DENALI DOME HOME BED & BREAKFAST
 1/2 Mi. Healy Spur Rd.
 P. O. Box 262, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1239 - Fax 683-2322 - Year-Round



58. PAT & WINDELL'S BED & BREAKFAST
 Tri-Valley Subdivision - Sulfide Dr.
 P. O. Box 50, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2472 - Year-Round



59. C.R.S. LOCKSMITHING
 Tri-Valley Subdivision - Sulfide Dr.
 P. O. Box 124, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2851 or 388-8439 - Year-Round
 Keys Made - Locks Installed - Master Systems Designed



60. GRANDVIEW BED & BREAKFAST
 Mi. 248.8 Parks Hwy. - Follow Blue State Hwy. Signs
 P. O. Box 109, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2468 - Year-Round



61. ALASKAN CHATEAU Bed & Breakfast
 Mi. 248 Parks Hwy. - 9/10 Mi. Healy Spur Rd.
 P. O. Box 187, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1377



EMERGENCY: Fire, Ambulance, Medical - DIAL 911

62. DENALI WINGS
 Healy Airport - Healy Spur Rd.
 P. O. Box 254, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2245 - Summer Season

Air Charter
 Flightseeing
 Av. Fuel & Oil
 Maintenance



Instruction

63. USIBELLI COAL MINE, INC.
 Off Healy Spur Rd.
 P. O. Box 1000, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 452-2625

**CLEAN ENERGY
 FOR
 ALASKA'S FUTURE**

64. WAUGAMAN VILLAGE
 3.8 Mi. Healy Spur Rd. - Mi. 248.8 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 78, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2737 - Year-Round



Kitchenettes - Full Hook-Ups

65. HOLY MARY OF GUADALUPE Catholic Church
 Tri-Valley Subdivision - Carbon Way & Graphite
 P. O. Box 32, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1018 or 683-2351 - Year-Round
 Denali Park Hotel Auditorium, Sat. Eve. 5 pm / Healy, Sun. 7



66. DENALI SUITES
 Tri-Valley Subdivision - North of Catholic Church
 P. O. Box 393, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2848 - Year-Round
 2 Bdrm. Suites, Private Bath, Kitchen, Living Room, TV, VCR



67. VALLEY CHAPEL - ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Mi. 249 Parks Hwy., Coal & Suntrana Sts.
 P. O. Box 258, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2303 - Year-Round
 Sun. School 9:45 am, Worship 11 am - 6 pm, Family Nite, Wed. 7 pm



68. LARRY'S HEALY SERVICE
 Mi. 249.3 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 2, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2408 - 24 Hrs. Year-Round



69. BAILEY'S SERVICES
 1/4 Mi. Dry Creek Rd.
 P. O. Box 358, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1243 - Year-Round



70. DRY CREEK BED & BREAKFAST
 Lester Road, Mi. 249.3 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 371, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2386 - Year-Round



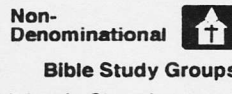
71. MOTEL NORD HAVEN
 Mi. 249.5 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 458, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-4500 - Year-Round



72. EVANS INDUSTRIES Auto Parts & Service
 Mi. 249.6 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 325, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2374 or 683-2454 - Year-Round
 NAPA Auto Parts - Auto, Truck, RV Repair, Welding - ASE Technicians



73. IN HIS SHADOW MINISTRIES
 Mi. 251 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 343, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-4055 - Year-Round
 Sun. School 10 am, Worship 11 am, Children's Church 11 am



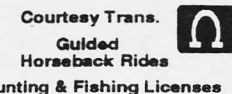
74. TOUCH OF WILDERNESS BED & BREAKFAST
 2.9 Mi. Stampede Road
 P. O. Box 397, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2459 - Year-Round



75. STAMPEDE TAILS B&B & SLED DOG TOURS
 3.8 Mi. Stampede Road
 P. O. Box 482, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1008 - Year-Round
 Dog Cart Rides (Appt.) - Sauna - Kitchen Facil. - Winter Mushing Pkgs.



76. DENALI SADDLE SAFARIS
 4 Mi. Stampede Road
 P. O. Box 435, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-1200 - Summer Season - Hunting & Fishing Licenses



77. EARTH SONG LODGE
 Mi. 251 Parks Hwy.
 P. O. Box 89, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 683-2863
 10 Cabins, Private Baths - Slide Show Presentations - Main Lodge



78. RIDGETOP CABINS
 Mi. 253 Parks Hwy.
 HC 1, Box 3000, Healy, AK 99743
 (907) 388-3158 - Summer Season



CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

May 14th, 1998	6:30 - 8:00 PM	Dinner at Chatinika Lodge
	8:00 PM	VLNAACA Meeting
May 8, 9 & 10	Arctic Wheels Car Show at the Carlson Center	
May 21	Sr. Recognition Day at the Carlson Center	
May 22	4:30 - 7:00 PM	Pioneers Open House/Alaskaland
May 30	6:00 PM	Dinner & Show / Cripple Creek
June 3	6:30 PM	Wed. night run around begins
June 12, 13, & 14	begins 12:00 Noon	Joint Meet w/ Anchorage in Healy
July 18	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Aurora Show 'N Shine
July 25	8:30 AM - NOONish	Golden Days Parade

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