

Historic Hill Climber

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The Rosenbaum Elva?

As with all the issues before...I'm reporting on "cases" that come in to the Archives. Folks are hoping that I can shed some information on a car or driver that has some sort of importance to them. I'm sharing them with you in the order that I get them. This particular case dates back to 2009! I've been doing a lot of "cases" since we've opened up!

This case comes in from California...a gentlemen was looking to find some history on his Elva. I sent him all the known Elva's that ran PHA...and he was particularly interested in the one that was owned by Frank Rosenbaum. He found this ad in Autoweek...and was wondering if I had photos of this car or if anyone could remember where the car may have turned up.



"It might have been colored yellow-orange and if it had a shortened "KAMM" style rear then I would be sure it is my car."

I could only provide him with the Elva listing and a photo of Frank from the license file....maybe one of you remember this car/driver?

ELVA Mk3 Modified Race Car — Kastner Spitfire engine. Prepared by CanAm mechanic for hillclimbs and trials. Sure winner. Superfast. Some spare parts. \$1200. Frank Rosebaum, 401 Stanley Dr., Kingston, Pa. 19704; (717) 288-8271.

Frank Rosenbaum above and a photo of the car that MAY be Rosenbaum's car...pre restoration.



The car as it looks today, here photographed at Sebring in 2009.

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LATEST HAPPENINGS



We had a visit from Glenn Hertzler recently...he and his wife stopped in for a nice visit! He also dropped off a number of goodies...including his old drivers suit and helmet!

This is a big year for our Hill Climbs! Weatherly is celebrating 50 years and Duryea is celebrating 60 years of racing fun this year!! The Spring Weatherly event was a bit damp but it didn't dampen the spirits of the drivers. Weatherly has done up so very nice 50th decals/hats and if you missed out in the Spring, I'm sure they'll have some for the fall event! Duryea is also doing some special things this summer...they are adding a car show on Sunday! Special guests for the 60th running of Duryea will include William Brudereck and Alexis Dupont some of the earliest Duryea pioneers! My plan is to run at Duryea...so don't forget to say Hi!

PHA Museum & Archives Fall Open House: October 22nd, 1-5pm. Stop in and say hello...meet up with PHA Veterans you haven't seen in a long time. By Oct 14th, give me a "heads up" if you plan on coming out...I'll provide light refreshments! Bring chairs....this could be the start of an annual picnic. 675 Steelstown Road, Annville PA 17003 838-2698. Or just send me an email!

Be sure to check out the Museum & Archive's Facebook page. Just wrapped up a "Kings Of Pagoda" album where we revisited all the previous FTD winners. I'm currently working on a photo album that features families that ran PHA. Husbands/Wives, Father/Sons, Mother/Daughters, Grandfather/Granddaughter, Brother/Sister and many more!

There is also a page for PHA Veterans to meet up and re-connect! If you need links to these sights, just shoot me an email!

HELP ID THESE CARS!

We had a total strike out on the last batch...perhaps we'll have better luck with this group! What do we think?

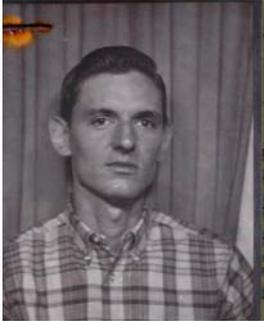
We have a few decades covered here....





WHO IS IT?

Not as bad as the car ID's, but we didn't have too many guesses with this lot either. Two people got one person each...that was the best we came up with. From left to right, the answers from last issue are; Tim Abbott, Sam Anasatisio, Wes Archambault, Sal Arlotta and Richard Allispi. This issue, these people's last names begin with the letter "B". I'll even add some hints...you know, for as long as we've been doing this no one has swept this game!



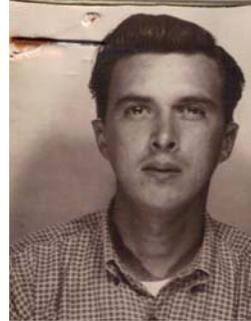
Touring Car Champ



New Jersey Healey Driver



Shelby GT 350 Driver



#133 GP Datsun Driver



Drove a Touring Saab

Do You Remember This Hill?

We got a few correct answers on last issue's Mystery Hill...it in fact was Gold Mine. A short lived Hill Climb in the late 70's! Check this one out...again photos by Mel Horn. Where are we?



These are our E Production Class Win Leaders!!



Lloyd Geib



Vince Hock



Paul Sweigart



Jim Seiple



Richard Sweigart Sr.



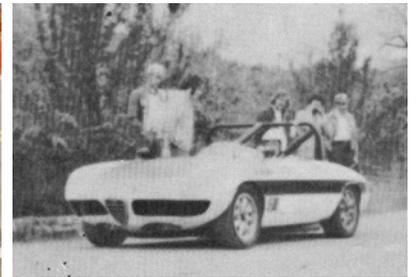
Fred Heistand



Henry Hemmen



Dave Miller



Dick Gardner



Jim Sariano



Ken Slagle



George Frey



Gary Sullivan