

I & I Antique Tractor and Gas Engine Club



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October 10, 2019 Meeting

Penfield, Illinois

- President Chuck Stelter called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.
- Pledge of Allegiance.
- Members introduced themselves.
- Welcomed Roger Musson and Ed Winkelman back to the group.
- Chuck reports that Ruth Lewis and Chester Higgenbottom have passed away. Club condolences to their families.
- Chuck thanked everyone who helped plant barley this year. This will give the participants something to combine.
- We will finish the fields at the show with cultivators as waiting until later proved to be futile. Some clumps of soil were merely scratched by the equipment, not broken down.
- November 23rd is the Gifford State Bank Craft Show at Gordyville USA. We will help with parking again this year. (Fourteen years ago it was 11 am before the parking lot was filled to capacity. Last year it was full to overflow at 8:40 am!) Dress warm and be there at 7 am!
- Historic Farm Days 2020 will be July 9th-12th and will feature Minneapolis-Moline, BF Avery and Prairie Gold Rush Summer Show.
- Cheryl Yearsly spoke to the members about her Prairie Gold Rush Show and Minneapolis-Moline.
- No financial report at this time as the expenses for both shows are still rolling in.
- G1000 Propane Minneapolis-Moline will be raffled off at 2020 show.
- Debi Deremiah reported everything in the Old Schoolhouse has been covered to keep it dust free. It was discussed to build shutters to keep the windows safe over the winter.
- Ed Winkelman commented that his Friends of John Deere members gave some visitors from England a John Deere toy tractor from their
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booth at Historic Farm Days Show and the folks insisted on paying for it later with British Pounds Sterling! The currency is on display in the museum display case.

- John Yearsly won the \$41 50/50 drawing and donated it back to the club. Thank you, John!
- We also gave away 2 Historic Farm Days shirts, a tee shirt from the World's Largest Flag (Disabled American Veterans) group, and an I & I 40th Anniversary book.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:40.

These minutes were taken by club member George McMannis, Temporary Harvest Time Secretary.



**Daylight
Saving Time
ends
November
3rd!**

TRADING POST

Want ads placed in the newsletter should be mailed to James Hogan, 1176E 1900 north Rd. White Heath IL 61884 Cell Phone (217) 493-9506. Leave message. Email jamesandsean@gmail.com. Please include your address and/or phone where you can be reached regarding your ad. Ads must be received within one week after our regular meeting. Ads will be included in three newsletters unless otherwise advised.

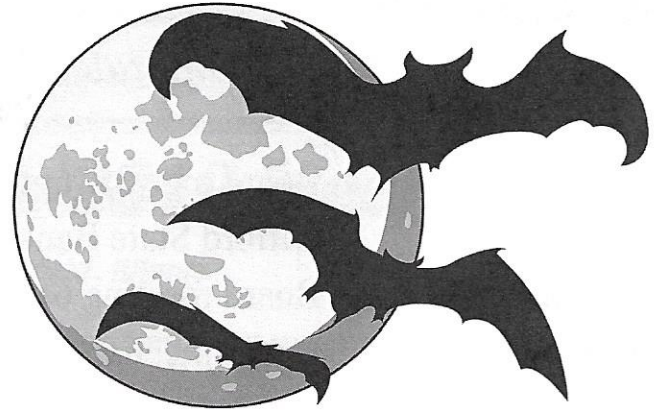
FOR SALE: Millermatic Challenger 172 230 volt Wire Welder. Amp range 40-170. Cart, gauges, and tank subject to lease. Used very little. Contact: Ron Knapp in Gibson City, Phone: (217) 784-4378

FOR SALE: 1962 GEHL 1-row Sileage Chopper. Excellent Condition. \$675 OBO (217) 440-0548

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

Costume Safety

- To help ensure adults and children have a safe holiday, the American Academy of Pediatrics has compiled a list of Halloween safety tips. Before Halloween arrives, be sure to choose a costume that won't cause safety hazards.
- All costumes, wigs and accessories should be fire-resistant
- Avoid masks, which can obstruct vision
- If children are allowed out after dark, fasten reflective tape to their costumes and bags, or give them glow sticks
- When buying Halloween makeup, make sure it is nontoxic and always test it in a small area first
- Remove all makeup before children go to bed to prevent skin and eye irritation

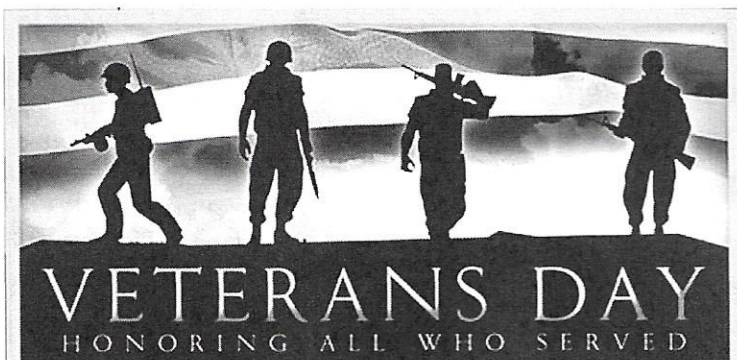


When They're on the Prowl

- A responsible adult should accompany young children on the neighborhood rounds
- If your older children are going alone, plan and review a route acceptable to you
- Agree on a specific time children should return home
- Teach your children never to enter a stranger's home or car
- Instruct children to travel only in familiar, well-lit areas and stick with their friends
- Tell your children not to eat any treats until they return home
- Children and adults are reminded to put electronic devices down, keep heads up and walk, don't run, across the street

Safety Tips for Motorists

- NSC offers these additional safety tips for parents – and anyone who plans to be on the road during trick-or-treat hours:
- Watch for children walking on roadways, medians and curbs
- Enter and exit driveways and alleys carefully
- At twilight and later in the evening, watch for children in dark clothing
- Discourage new, inexperienced drivers from driving on Halloween



**Veterans Day is
November 11.**

Schedule of Events

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events!

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| November 14 | Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm |
| November 23 | Gifford State Bank Christmas Craft Show. Parking help needed! |
| December 12 | Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm |
| January 9 | Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm |