

# I & I Antique Tractor and Gas Engine Club



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## Sept. 11, 2019 Meeting

### Penfield, Illinois

- President Chuck Stelter called the meeting to order at 7:20 p.m. We began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence to remember September 11, 2001. Chuck thanked everyone for coming. Everyone introduced themselves. Chuck presided over the following:
- George McMannis' is 67 today! We sang Happy Birthday to George and enjoyed a piece of birthday cake to celebrate.
- Jack Allen passed away September 4th. He will truly be missed! Club sympathies to Wilma and her family.
- Ed Winkelman had hip surgery. Roger Musson was in an accident today. Craig Long, our Safety Director at Half Century of Progress (HCP) had four bypasses after the Show. Gordon Wilbur is at Country Health in Gifford. Please remember these members in your thoughts and prayers as they continue to heal.
- Chuck thanked everyone for all the help at both of our shows this summer.
- We will mow the grounds on September 20th.
- Historic Farm Days (HFD) 2020 will be held July 9-12 and will feature Minneapolis Moline and Avery machines.
- We will hold a plow day at Riggs Brewery on September 14th from noon to 5 p.m.
- John Fredrickson thanked all who helped with our workdays before HCP. John also said Scott Eisenhower is a lot of help and is very interested in HCP at Rantoul.
- HCP show books and DVDs will be coming out around Thanksgiving.
- Gene gave a financial update for HFD.
- The Club is now the owner of the Avery Combine and a Western Corn Sheller from the Urbana Park District.
- Debbie Deremiah won the 50/50 drawing and donated it back to the Club. Thanks Debbie!

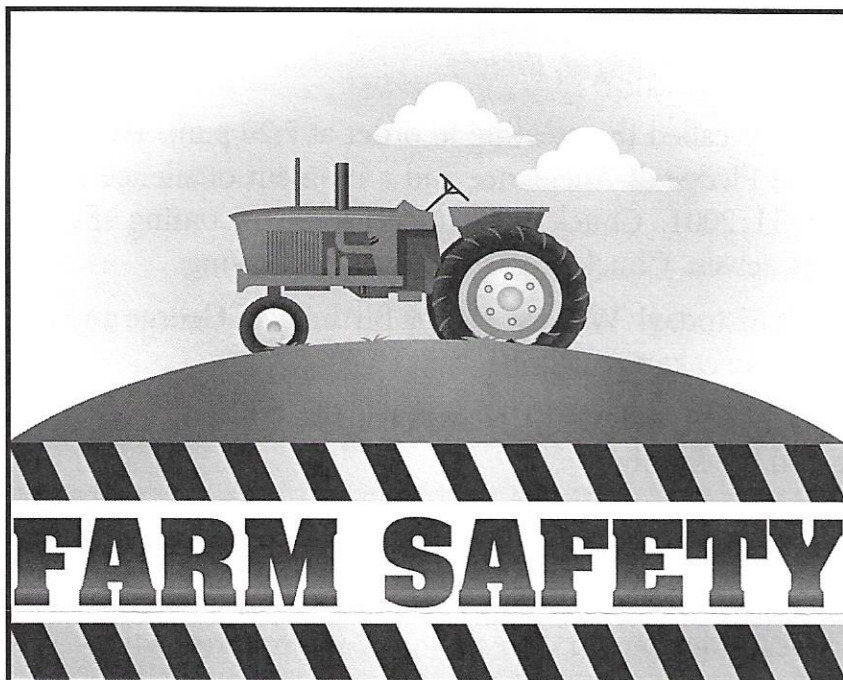
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- The October monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, October 10 at 6 p.m. with snacks and fellowship and the general meeting will begin at 7 p.m.
- Chuck thanked everyone for attending. There was a motion to adjourn the meeting.

*J.C. Reitmeier, Secretary*

- Note: Chester Dale Higginbotham passed away on September 15, 2019. He was 87 years old. Club sympathies to his family. *J.C. Reitmeier, Secretary*



Agriculture has the dubious distinction of being one of the most dangerous occupations in the United States.

Farmers, and others working in agriculture, need to be aware of, promote and practice safety measures on a year-round basis.

Take advantage of farm safety training when it's offered by area equipment dealerships, cooperative extensions or farm organizations.

Additionally, it is advisable to simply slow down, assess any possible safety challenges, and apply a healthy dose of common sense, maturity and a sense of responsibility to any safety situation.

## 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 230volt 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

# **2019 HISTORIC FARM DAYS EXHIBITOR REGISTRATIONS**

Total Registered Exhibitors -- 532

Total Registered Exhibits -- 1,175

Tractors -- 595

IH -- 341

John Deere -- 98

Allis-Chalmers -- 42

Oliver -- 26

Case -- 22

Ford/New Holland -- 22

MM -- 21

Massey -- 10

Other -- 13

Combines -- 4

Implements -- 93

Construction Equipment -- 6

Trucks/Cars -- 47

Stationary Engines -- 42

Appliances, Signs, Memorabilia -- 169

**Garden Tractors -- 181**

Cub Cadet -- 51

John Deere -- 50

Wheel Horse -- 18

Case/Colt -- 16

Allis-Chalmers/Simplicity -- 6

Oliver/White/MM -- 5

Other -- 35

Garden Tractor Attachments -- 38

**IH Feature Overview**

Total IH Items -- 644

Tractors -- 341

Implements -- 59

Trucks -- 341

Combines -- 2

Cub Cadets -- 51

Appliances, Signs, Memorabilia -- 169

## **FOOTNOTE**

ACTUAL HAND COUNTS WERE DONE SATURDAY MORNING

IH Tractors -- 386

Non IH Tractors -- 241

Garden Tractors -- 213



# Schedule of Events

*Mark your calendar for these upcoming events!*

October 10	Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm
November 14	Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm
December 12	Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm