

I & I Antique Tractor and Gas Engine Club



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March 12 2020 Meeting

Penfield, Illinois

- President Chuck Stelter called the meeting to order. We began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Chuck thanked everyone for coming. Everyone introduced themselves. Chuck presided over the following:
- Barry Schneider, Ollie Schafer and Robert Grant passed away. Club sympathies to the Schneider, Schafer and Grant families.
- The Spring toy auction will be held on March 20 at 5:30 p.m. The equipment auction will be held on March 21 at 10 a.m. Move in day for equipment will start on March 16. The Gordon Hannagan Auction Company will hold our auctions again. We will hold a fish fry on Friday evening from 4:30-7 in the school cafeteria. Breakfast will be served on Saturday morning from 7-9:30 and lunch will be served from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. All times will be CST. We need help at all of the events.
- The Illinois J.I. Case Collectors will hold their breakfast meeting at the school on Saturday, March 28. They will tour the museums here and then will tour six additional museums in Central Illinois. Dave and Jane Berbaum will hold an open house at their home on Sunday, March 29.
- Rantoul Event Page – we will advertise on their Facebook page and Chamber of Commerce page.
- The Rural King Tractor Show will be held on Saturday, May 16.
- Ed reported that we have 800 members on the I&I Facebook page.
- Historic Farm Days will be held July 9-12. Our features will be Minneapolis-Moline and B.F. Avery.
- We have supported our local FFA groups (Mahomet and Armstrong) with packages to Historic Farm Days 2020. Prairie Central will hold their auction on Thursday, March 19.
- On Tuesday, March 17, we need help with some general cleaning at the School. We will wash tables and clean up around the museums and building.

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- Cheryl DeLap-Yearsley won the 50/50 drawing and gave the money to the Ladies Auxiliary. Thanks Cheryl!
- Chuck thanked everyone for attending. Kenny Knight made a motion to adjourn the meeting seconded by Russell Buhr. Motion carried.
- Due to Maundy Thursday, the April meeting will be held on Thursday, April 16. The Directors meeting and refreshments will begin at 6 p.m. The general meeting will begin at 7 p.m.

J.C. Reitmeier, Secretary

Half Century DVD's and Books Now Available

The Half Century DVD's and books are available for \$25 each. They are both great treasures to have. If you were on a tractor at the show, you are in that book. The DVD is 69 minutes of high quality filming with drone shots from everywhere on the grounds. Couldn't ask for better weather to make a tape. Informative interviews of equipment owners and scenes we've never been able to capture before until we had the use of the drone. Contact Russell Buhr (217) 621-3442 if you'd like to order a DVD. He may have some on hand if you're local!

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: 1949 Chevy Grain Truck. IO Shank Chisel Plow. 7'6" Lilliston Rotary Mower. IHC #80 pull type combine. NI one row corn picker. 2 Gravity wagons. Dearborn Woods Bros one row corn picker. Contact (260) 475-1270. Charles L. and Susan C. Young 35105 150W., Pleasant Lake, IN 46779.

FOR SALE: J.D. 12 ft. Wheel Disc. 2 sets of M.M. Wheel Weights. 2 sets of Ford Tractor Fenders. J.D. step for A, B or G. Set of Ford pie weights with bolts. John Schmidt, 706 Center St., Mahomet, IL 61853. Cell Ph. (217) 778-3775.

I & I Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

March 12, 2020

- ❖ Co-President Pam McMannis opened the meeting.
- ❖ Discussion was held regarding the food for the Spring Auction and fish fry. Betty Bensyl, Tracy Bosch and Pam McMannis will purchase items on Wednesday, March 18. Pam will pick up the pies from Butcher Boy on Saturday morning.
- ❖ We received a request from the Champaign County Farm Bureau Foundation for Ag in the Classroom. We sent them \$50.
- ❖ Bruce Cline will be at (HFD) on Friday and Saturday to take photo booth pictures from 2-5 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Reitmeier, Secretary

**(AT THIS TIME, DUE TO THE COVID-19 OUTBREAK,
THE TOY AUCTION, BREAKFAST, EQUIPMENT AUCTION AND
LUNCHEON WERE CANCELLED.)**

NOTICE
**DUE TO CURRENT
HEALTH CONCERNS
(COVID-19)**

**MEETINGS AND
EVENTS MAY
CHANGE. KEEP IN
TOUCH WITH OTHER
MEMBERS. WE WILL
INFORM YOU BY
EMAIL IF NECESSARY.**



Schedule of Events

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events!

APR 16

CANCELED!

May 23

Tractor display at Rural King in Rantoul. We need tractors!

June 11

Board meeting 6pm. Regular meeting 7pm.

July 6-7-8

WORK DAYS! Lunch will be provided by the Ladies Auxiliary.

July 9-12

HISTORIC FARM DAYS 2020

August 13

Appreciation Dinner ... details to follow.