3 Sisters Antique Tractor Club Newsletter

Club Website

www.3sistersatc.com







Next Meeting Princeville, IL Heritage Museum Sept 20th @ 6pm

September 2010

`2010 Calendar & Events Section

*Club Participatory Events

Month	Day	Event
Sep	17-19	Working Farm Show (old Atkinson Show) Geneseo, IL (MM)
	18*	10-3 Peoria Truck Stop by the Junior League – Northwoods Mall
	18-19*	Stark County Fall Festival – Tractor Display Toulon – both Days. Tractor Drive on Saturday
	20	6pm Club Meeting @ the Princeville Heritage Museum. Bring Snacks/Desserts to share – Doors open 5:15pm - We will have lots of seats and meet in the larger room this time, See you there!!
Oct	18	6pm Club Meeting
Nov	15	6pm Club Meeting & Banquet at Kenyon's
	30 thru Dec 2	Peoria Farm Show Display

President's Column

My personal accounting of Farm Heritage Days 2010:

- 22 lemon shakeups \$110
- ➤ 13 corn dogs, 6 funnel cakes, 3 hot fudge sundaes, and 4 cheesy pretzels \$140
- Fuel and truck costs to haul Dan's (and everyone else's) stuff to the show and back \$200
- Seeing Jerry with that smile on his face after FINALLY out-pulling me...PRICELESS.

Thank you for the best show yet! See you at the next meeting.

Kevin Engquist 309-579-3293



Tractor Trivia

<u>Last Month's Answer:</u> Who won last Pulls? Come to the meeting to find out all the winners and the Awards!! This Month's Q? – What Engine did the Coop # 2 Have?



President's Choice – Bill Zimmerman – '37 Thieman



VP's Choice – Robert Weedman '56 MF TO35



Hitch' in Post

For Sale – Straw Bales, Ear Corn (Feed those Squirrels!!)
– Clinton Nauman 309-274-4138 or 309-219-6064

Wanted – Cedar Shingle Mill – Contact Dan Wiest - 309249-2960 or Kevin Engquist - 309-579-3293

<u>Wanted</u> – Fan Dyno – Contact Dan Wiest - 309-249-2960 or Kevin Engquist - 309-579-3293



Club News

Next Meeting @ Princeville

Next meeting is at the **Princeville Heritage Museum @ 6pm. Don't be Late!!!** Bring treats to share. We will meet in the larger room, so plenty of seats for All

Peoria Farm Show

Peoria Farm Show – Nov 30 thru Dec 2nd. If you are interested in showing your tractor there, let us know at the Sep Meeting.

Peoria Truck Stop Family Festival

Sept 18, 10-3 at the Northwood's mall is this year's Truck Stop Family Festival put on by the Junior League. Contact Paul McKim for details 309-678-2901. Last year was a great success, and hands on experience for many children who have never seen a tractor before.

Stark County Fall Festival

There are several events occurring in Stark County. As a favorite to some, there will be the usual display in Toulon by the Court House on Sept 18 and 19th. Hopefully Williard Price can sneak some of those cookies to us that his wife makes. Look forward to seeing you there!!

Stark County Fall Festival Tractor Drive

On September 18, there will be a tractor drive.

→ Contact is: Lonnie Wilson 309-695-3124

We will Meet @ Stark County Jr. Fairgrounds in

Wyoming. Register by 10:30 a.m. and leave 11 a.m. for
the parade around Wyoming Park, then head for
Allendale Conservation Club for lunch.

Leave about 1 p.m. for Castleton to visit an antique bike
collection, then return back to fairgrounds for peer

Show Photos

Please submit any photos <u>ASAP</u> that you would like to share, either a USB drive or a CD/DVD.

judging, awards, and public viewing.

→ Contact Kim Engquist kengquist1@hotmail.com

New Members – WELCOME!!

David and Judy Schott Robert & Sherry Weedman Lonnie & Julie Wilson Ryan, Nicole & Rylee Wilson Jim Gibler

Terry's Joke Corner

Q. What goes 99 thump, 99 thump, 99 thump?
A. A centipede with a wooden leg.

Q. What does DNA stand for?

A. National Dyslexics Association

Agenda – Our Next Meeting

- 1. 6pm Meeting will come to Order
- 2. Officer Reports
- 3. Show Report
- 4. Upcoming Events
- 5. 2011 Show Discussion (Need your Input!!)
- 6. Meeting adjourned

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<u>Vice-President's Column</u>

Historian

Historical

Preservationist

Well, another year is under the belt, so to speak. For Kevin, he forgot to mention he had to buy a new belt (with more holes), from all that food and drink!!!

Anyway, on a more serious note, I was able to help a JD friend this last weekend. You see, this person, who will remain anonymous, likes JD. To protect the innocent, I will just call him "Mr. M". I mentioned that I needed a plow to challenge the power of the Farmall 560, and "Mr. M" mentioned he had this 4 bottom IH plow sitting out in the weeds. So, I drove by and checked it out. It was sitting next to a JD plow of similar size. I asked, why sell the IH, plow, it is obviously superior. "Mr. M" replied, "Just did not seem to work well behind my JD tractor, did not pull like the JD plow.." As I looked closer, I could see little wear on the IH plow, other than the weather checked tires. As "Mr. M" looked toward the sky and tried to quickly change the subject, I asked, "How deep can you plow?" "Mr. M" Responded, "Oh, 4-6 inches, gotta go real slow." I then realized that the moleboards on the JD plow were narrower than the IH plow, and the IH plow was just too much for his JD.

So, I took it off "Mr. M's" hands, and brought it home. I proceeded to plow the rich heavy soils up and down the rolling hills at my place (much different than the flat sandy soil at "Mr. M's". My biggest problem was dragging the plow frame/drawbar on the ground as it was going so deep. But it sure was fun goin' in 3rd gear, buzzin around the field. I had to slow it down, just so I would have time to enjoy the ride. Just so there is no dispute, I took a couple of Pictures



Enjoy, See you soon!!

Dan Wiest 309-249-2960



This read's 10 Inches deep - No Problems