



# May 2016 Newsletter

## Calendar Items

### May 12 (Thur)

Princeville Ag Team at the Museum 6 p.m. Join us to tinker on planned projects.

### May 13-14 (Fri-Sat)

Princeville Heritage Museum — Rummage sale. All proceeds support the Museum.

### May 16 (Mon)

Monthly meeting at Princeville Heritage Museum at 7:00 p.m.

### June 9 (Thur)

Princeville Ag Team at the Museum 6 p.m.

### June 11-12 (Sat-Sun)

Marshall-Putnam Antique Tractor Assn. show. Featuring Minneapolis-Moline and IHC. Johnson Grove Park, Lacon [www.marshallputnamaa.com](http://www.marshallputnamaa.com)

### July 8-16

Heart of Illinois Fair tractor and equipment exhibit. Sign ups at next two meetings or via email to Kim Engquist.

### July 17-22 (Sun-Fri)

Impromptu tractor drive from Exposition Gardens to Wheels O'Time Museum on the 17th. Display tractors there till the 22nd, then tractor drive to Princeville Heritage Museum.

### July 23 (Sat)

Summer Harvest show at Princeville Heritage Museum Featuring Allis-Chalmers & Minneapolis-Moline.

## President's Column

I have dubbed May as Parts Consultant Month. Why? Because I spend so much time at various implement dealers' parts counters that they know me quite well. Given this is also the season that they also work extra hard to keep the farmers in the field and support extra long hours. So watch out for equipment on the road, and stop and give appreciation to your favorite parts teams!! Be safe this season...check your fire extinguishers on your equipment and in your shop, and get those tractors and engines ready!!

Dan

## Homework

Many repair places were discussed at the April meeting. Thank you for sharing your information. We will get this list fine-tuned with phone numbers and addresses and share it in the near future.

## Treasurer's Report

49 Members/ 2 Sponsors

Income:	\$1,250
Summer Harvest:	\$ 125
Expense:	\$ 185
Balance:	\$1,206
Savings:	\$6,330



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Dan and Katherine have completed the restoration of her 1964 Cub 100. We don't get to see many photos of finished projects, so it's nice to be inspired to continue to work on what we have, and to see there is light at the end of the tunnel!



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## Announcements

Submit announcements  
to Kim Engquist

## Happy Birthday

Zak Stokes May 18  
Etta Patterson May 19

## Happy Anniversary

Don & Marge Sefried May 7  
Joan & Willard Price May 15

## More Dates of Interest

### June 16-18 (Thurs-Sat)

Red Power Roundup, Union  
Grove, WI. [www.rpru2016.com](http://www.rpru2016.com)

## Thank You

Thank you to all the people of  
the Tractor Club who helped put  
on 2016 Spring Planting by  
showing tractors, presenting,  
demonstrating, and assisting at  
various sites.

Don & Emily Thompson

## TRIVIA

This Italian tractor company was  
started in an old barn at the end  
of WWII with surplus war  
engines. In 1949, they built a  
completely new factory in Cento  
Italy. At that time they built just  
one tractor each day with a rather  
small group of employees. By  
1958 they built 1500 tractors a  
year and their tractors were  
considered to be among the very  
best. By 1969 production went  
up to 5000 units a year, But in  
1972, after a fatal cancellation of  
an important order, the  
founder lost confidence in his  
tractor business and sold the  
product line. The founder shifted  
production to a different type of  
machine and the name still exists  
and builds something slightly  
faster to this day.

## Sale Barn

Please submit ads to Kim Engquist.  
Sale barn ads are no charge to  
club members or sponsors and will  
be ran as space allows.

Truck bed cargo unloader with  
mat and crank. Pat Patterson (309)  
699-8113 or (309) 369-6932.  
**FREE.**

IH 27 Twin Square Baler, Old  
style 4 Row John Deere Planter  
Dan Wiest (309)253-4842

## WANTED

Tractor splitting stands that  
will work on a Farmall 350,  
preferably with casters. Kim  
Engquist (309) 579-3293.

Enclosed cargo trailer to  
transport barrel train and small  
garden tractor for our club to  
various events. Dan Wiest (309)  
253-4842.

2'X3' Farmall and John Deere  
Dealership Flags. Paul located  
the others in Rantoul this past  
summer and has donated the  
poles and supplies. We'd love to  
complete our collection and show  
it off at our Summer Harvest  
show in July.

Wildlife Prairie Park has lost the  
use of 4 very old worn out vans  
and pickups and an old  
4wheel "gator" They need to find  
a usable 4 wheel "gator type"  
vehicle. They also need free or  
low-cost minivans and/or pickup  
trucks to be used for moving  
supplies. Contact Thomas  
Tenbrook at (309) 453-4634.

## Tractor Club Logo Window Decals

Please pay Kim Engquist at May  
meeting so order can get turned  
in. \$5 each. Decals should be  
available at the June meeting.  
Let's get our name out there  
more than it already is!

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## Terry's Joke Corner

"Dad, what are these holes in this  
wood?" the son asked. "Those are  
knotholes" his father replied.  
"Well," the boy countered, "if they  
aren't holes, what are they?"

## Last Month's Trivia

Where is this tractor? We often  
drive by "art" on the side of the  
road. Who knows where this  
tractor is? It's on a county road just  
west of a rural town. Hint: it's in  
Fulton County. Answer: on Rt. 17,  
just west of Norris.



## Tractor Buyer's Guide

Ad Says:  
Engine Runs Quiet  
Really means:  
Using 90W oil

**Order 24 hours a day!**  
Have you visited our website?  
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