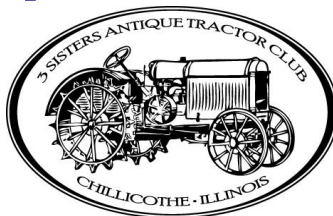


3 Sisters Antique Tractor Club Newsletter

Club Website

www.3sistersatc.com



Next Meeting
Wyoming, IL
Ambulance Center
Oct 18th @ 6pm

October 2010

2010 Calendar & Events Section

*Club Participatory Events

Month	Day	Event
Oct	18	6pm Club Meeting – Wyoming, IL Ambulance Center – Across from the Stark County Jr. Fairgrounds – Bring a dessert to share!!!!
Nov	14	1pm Club Meeting & Potluck at Chillicothe VFW (1729 N Santa Fe Ave.) Special Meeting – 2010 Year in Reflection, 2011 Officer Elections, & Adoption of Bylaws
	19	Wyoming Moonlight Madness Parade – 7:45pm Lineup at 7 by Masonic Lodge behind Casey's
	20	Chillicothe Christmas Parade @1pm, Lineup between 12-12:30
	30 thru Dec 2	Peoria Farm Show Display

President's Column

We have a full agenda at the next meeting with some important topics. Dan has described some of the items we have on the agenda. Please, if you have any questions, do not hesitate to give Dan or me a call. If you have a club name idea, turn it into Dan, Paul or myself by Oct 12th. We really hope to see you at the next meeting.

Kevin Engquist 309-579-3293



Tractor Trivia

Last Month's Answer: The Coop # 2 Engine Size? Answer: Chrysler 6-cylinder Industrial Engine rated at 1500rpm

This Month's Q? – When Threshing Machines are identified by Size, they are sized by two numbers, like 20-36. What features of the thresher do these numbers reference?



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 - 309-249-2960 or Kevin Engquist - 309-579-3293

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



Club News

Important - Next Meeting @ Wyoming

Next meeting is at the **Wyoming Ambulance Center @ 6pm. Don't be Late!!!** Bring treats to share. We will have a large heated room, with plenty of seats for All!!
Important Topics to be covered: **Club Name Change, Review of Bylaws**

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 Oct Meeting. Contact Paul McKim – 309-678-2901

Show Photos – Last CALL!!!

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

→Contact Kim Engquist kengquist1@hotmail.com

Club Notes

We received word that Dave Gehrt has become a proud owner of a Sawmill powered by a 403 Combine Engine. That sounds like a good IH power for heavy log cutting. Also, Bob Sheppard has acquired an Avery Thresher that will be ready for next season. Looks like we need some Oats or Wheat planted next year!! These are welcome additions to the club family.

Terry's Joke Corner

Two goldfish are in a tank.

One said to the other:

'Do you know how to drive this thing?'

Agenda – Our Next Meeting

1. 6pm Meeting will come to Order
2. Officer Reports
3. Old business
4. New business - Club Name and Bylaws
5. Upcoming Events
6. Special Fun Activities
7. Meeting adjourned

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Looking to the future of our club growth, we see our club pulling from these communities and participating in events in many towns. We have hopes of growing our club and bringing in members who share our interests. I hope you can support our direction and help guide us.

If you have a club name that you wish to submit for consideration, please send to myself, Kevin or Paul by October 12th. We will present the top choices at our next meeting for club consideration. Also, we are working hard on the Bylaws for the club. So you can understand that I hope to see as many people at the next meeting.

Enjoy, See you soon!!

Dan Wiest 309-249-2960



Vice-President's Column

Well, Harvest is moving quickly this year, and I have to say proudly, my beans are at the Elevator. As expected (Though not what my wife thought), I was in and out of the field the same day. My Gleaner K combine was hard at work. It was a blast, especially since both of the girls took an interest and were riding with me into the long dark night. Yes, it has lights, and I was using them to bring in the harvest. Again, another thing my wife did not understand why I needed to fix the lights on the combine. Well anyway, I do have to say thanks to my parts runner, Kevin. He made several trips to obtain combine parts. It is amazing you can get so many parts for these old machines these days.

Anyhow, I hope you can join us in Wyoming at the Ambulance building across from the fairgrounds. It is heated, with plenty of chairs. We covered a lot of new ground last month. We decided to schedule our 2011 show in Wyoming the same weekend in August. It will be again a two day show, and we were once again supported by the community. We also are working with the Bald Bluff Tractor Pulling Association to assist with the pulls at next year's show. It should be bigger than ever!!

Another topic that was brought forth was our Club Name. Unfortunately, we were asked to change our name due to the similarity of our name with the park. We resisted as long as we could. After considerable thought by our club leadership, we put it before the club membership. The majority ruled to change our name. This can allow us to establish a direction that represents our club focus and vision. We studied where our members call home, and really found that we have members from "all over these parts", so to speak.