

CENTRAL ILLINOIS FARM HERITAGE TRACTOR CLUB



September 2011

Newsletter

Calendar Items

September 17-18 (Sat-Sun)

Stark County Fall Festival.

Static tractor displays in Thomas Park (Wyoming) as well as in Toulon, just East of the courthouse.

September 19 (Mon) Club Meeting

@ **6:00 p.m.** at Pearce Community Center in Chillicothe (upstairs). Please make note of the new time.

October 17 (Mon) Club Meeting @

6:00 p.m. at Pearce Community Center in Chillicothe (upstairs).

Treasurer's Report

Total income \$14,504
Total expense \$10,092
Net for the year \$4,412

New Sponsors

1st Farm Credit Services, Edwards
Peoria Disposal (PDC), Todd Coulter & Family
Stahl Lumber, Wyoming

New Members

Patricia Bachman
Jack Donath
Dustin Down
Calvin Fritz
Peter Gill
Ray Nitzsche
Bob & Jo Ann Randolph
Shawn & Angela Weck
Turner-Hicks Agency, Gus Krantz

President's Column

Another show has come and gone. We had everything from a blacksmith, to plowing, lots of food and tractors, tractor pulls, steam engines and threshing, and throw in several kiddie games, antique cars/trucks, and a JEEP! Wow, we had something for everyone, and I am sure I missed many more!!! I certainly hope everyone enjoyed the show. For those who put in hard work to put it on, I thank you very much. We could not have done it without you.

Also, congratulations to Bill Zimmerman, who won this year's President's Choice award, for his restored 1932 Thieman. It looks better than NEW!!! See you at the next meeting or event. I can't wait to see all your pictures. Dan



Vice President's Note

First of all I want to start off with a big THANK YOU to everyone for helping out at the show and making it another success, I think it was a good showing for our club. I also want to congratulate Bun Schaffner for being the winner of the VP's choice show award with his JD 'H', good job! Just a quick reminder of the Stark County Fall Festival on Sept. 17th & 18th in both Wyoming and Toulon, if you can make it please bring your tractors out. Finally it is very close to harvesting season, so please be safe out there.

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Secretary's Note

Charlotte Mettes and Joanne McTaggart would like to extend a very special thanks to Kirby and John Feldmann and Ruth and Vern Guetersloh for the donation of the pedal tractor for our raffle. Tickets sold totaled \$340.

Another thanks goes out to everyone who supported donation and receiving items for our silent auction tables. The silent auction income was over \$1,000. So now we can start on getting things for next year 2012. Thanks again!



Editor's Note

And speaking of donations, PLEASE visit our sponsors and remember to thank them – the list is attached! In addition, thank you to State Farm (Greg Harmon), Tractor Supply (Peoria), Napa and Neal Tire (Washington), and East Peoria Tire for their generous donations for our silent auction. ~ Kim Engquist



Tractor Trivia

At Farm Heritage Days there was an Avery steam engine on display running the threshing machine. What year was the steam engine built?

- A) 1914
- B) 1919
- C) 1909
- D) 1904



Bill and Brent Blocker

The Sale Barn

For Sale: IH Side Delivery rake on Steel, 4 Row John Deere Corn Planter, 3 Bottom IH Plow - All antiques needing good home - Call Dan Wiest 309-253-4842

For Sale: Squirrel corn & straw.
Call Clint Nauman at 309-274-4138

For Sale: 1955 International 300 with newer brush mower on back. Tires cracked antifreeze OK, year old battery. 309-673-7669

1950? **Case model V I** with hyd blade in front. Starter is missing, tires average. 309-673-7669

Terry's Jokes of the Month

It's chickens this month!

Q. What do you call a frightened scuba diver?

A. Chicken of the Sea.

Q. Is it okay to eat fried chicken with your fingers?

A. No, the fingers should be eaten separately.

Spoon River Ag Museum

www.SpoonRiverAgMuseum.com

Announcements & info

Missing: Lost chain during loadup after show. Coated trucker's length chain, It has a twin, so it is easy to ID. Call Dan Wiest 309-253-4842

Please note **new email address for Paul McKim**, pemckim@gmail.com

If you took any **pictures** at our August show that you would like to share, please save them on a CD/DVD or flash drive and bring to the next meeting on the 19th, or contact me to make arrangements to meet before the end of the month.

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Someone needs to keep an eye on these two lovebirds (Don and Marge) in the "balcony". They were not paying attention at the last meeting!



Steve Lee worked hard to get the kids barrels finished in time for the show.



Yep, they were a perfect fit for Marty Whitley. Thumbs up!



Dean Buchholz and his very first pull!



Clint Nauman can show young ones that big kids like train rides too!



Finally...thanks to David Gehrt, a saw mill that works! Did he, Kevin, and Karl cut some wood!

