



April 2016 Newsletter

Calendar Items

April 14 (Thur)

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

April 18 (Mon)

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

April 24 (Sun)

Central II Antique Engine & Tractor Swap Meet 8am-? Mineral Springs Park, Pekin (309) 303-2634 Kevin McWhorter

April 26, 27, 28 (Tues-Thurs)

Spring Planting—Three Sisters Park. Contact Don or Emily Thompson if you can volunteer some time or bring a tractor to display. (309)274-3142.

Treasurer's Report

49 Members/ 2 Sponsors

Income:	\$1,240
Summer Harvest:	\$ 125
Expense:	\$ 123
Balance:	\$1,367
Savings:	\$6,330



President's Column

Greetings. I hope you have or will have the opportunity to check out the Princeville Heritage Museum and what's been going on. As I write this, I am looking forward to the next couple of events there, including the rummage sale. I hope to get a couple of good finds, and clear out our storage room at the same time. Remember to bring items you'd like to donate to our next meeting.

Last month I was impressed on how early Spring was, and now I am wondering where it went, as the temperature as I write this was 20 degrees in the morning. That won't last long, and soon it will be tractor time and Spring planting - field and garden. Hope you will have fun doing the same! See you at the next meeting. Dan

Homework Assignment

Where do you get your mags done, tanks cleaned, manuals, work done, tractors restored, engine work done etc? Let's get our info on one list. Whip open those vaults (memo pads) you carry in your pockets and write all of your sources down and bring them to the next meeting so we can compile a list to share.

Nobody volunteered any information at the last meeting, so will ask one more time to do this and turn it in at next meeting or email to Kim Engquist.

Pictures below are from a club member who purchased an F20, 1936 model last summer. Got it running and drove it home. Searched out and found the original F&H round spoke 36 x 8 steel rims, drove to Iowa to get them and other parts, prepped, had them painted and having new shoes put on. Yet another great auction find, and fun to work on...will post picture of tractor when all done.



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No April Birthdays or Anniversaries (that we are aware of)

Condolences

To Les Bergsten on the loss of his wife, Jeanette.

SUPPORT THE MUSEUM

The Princeville Heritage Museum takes donations year round for their annual rummage sale May 13-14. Bring your donations to the next meeting. They take housewares, furniture, clothing, toys, tools, holiday decorations, books, DVDs, appliances and most other items. All proceeds from the rummage sale support the museum.

Tractor Buyer's Guide

Ad Says:
95 percent complete
Really means:
Other 5 percent doesn't exist



WATCH FOR TRACTORS

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.



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.

Two 3-point single bottom plows. Both single 16". One is a trip, one is not. \$100 each OBO. Contact Kevin at (309) 579-3293.

Parts for a 1950 Ford F1 flat head V8 truck. Dual inlet and outlet radiator, shroud and transmission. \$150 obo takes it all. Contact Kevin at (309)579-3293.

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.

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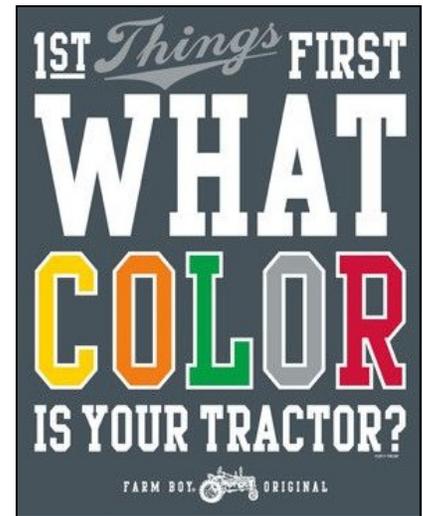


Terry's Joke Corner

Where do rabbits go after they get married? On their bunnymoon.

Last Month's Trivia

What was America's first wheel tractor to feature a diesel engine? Production of this tractor ended during 1940 with a production of 3,370. International WD-40. It started on gas and switched to diesel after the engine reached 900 RPM.



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