# ANTIQUE ENGINE & TRACTOR ASSOCIATION, INC. July 2021 NEWSLETTER

Last weekend I attended the show at Forest City Iowa and wow. You can sure tell people are more than ready to do something. Today I talked with some folks at the Henry county Fair and they told me attendance at night has also been good. So I'm hoping it carries through to our show. If any of you need any trifolds or posters please contact me or Randy Goddard, we still have a lot left.

On July 10, we will have the next workday on the grounds which is weather permitting. I'm hoping to assemble a group to work on our painting projects before the show. If you are able to help out, we will need brushes, scrapers, or power washers. The paint has already been purchased. As always, we will be mowing and weed eating, and pulling weeds.

The crop is coming along great with ample amounts of rain should make for a great show. In the next couple of weeks, we will be binding wheat. There will probably not be a lot of notice when this will happen due to when the crop is ready and weather permitting. We will send out a email when we do it. If you don't receive emails and would like to help or just attend please contact a board member.

Due to the increased cost of postage, we would appreciate you switching to your email address when receiving the newsletter. If you would are able to do so please contact Dave Cattron or a board member.

Just a reminder, if you would like to work in the field this farm show, please make sure your dues is up to date. If you are not up to date or have any questions, please contact Dave Cattron or any other board members.

If you are able to volunteer for the kids zone or the gates, please let Alex Samuleson or Tim Fisk know. As a reminder, the board contacts are at the back of the newsletter.

Thank you,

Chad



#### AETA Board Meeting Minutes from March and April

The AETA Board Meeting was held on March 1, 2021 at Phil Jordan's shop.

President Chad Jacobs called the meeting to order, and Secretary Alex Samuelson recorded the action.

The following directors were present Chad Jacobs(President), Mark Breeden(Vice President), Duane Ziegler(Treasurer), Alex Samuelson(Secretary), Dave Cattron(Membership), Phil Jordan(Former President), Leon Rathjen, Tim Fisk. Absent board members were Jim Gradert and James Krieger. Guests present were Curt Jacobs, Tom Hitzhuzean, and Larry Noord.

Alex Samuelson(Secretary) provided each of the directors a copy of the January board meeting minutes.

Following discussion, a motion was made by Leon Rathjen to approve the minutes and seconded by Jim Gradert. The motion was carried.

Duane Ziegler(Treasurer) presented the treasure's report. A motion was made by Alex Samuelson to approve the treasurer's report and was seconded by Jim Gradert. The motion was carried.

Jim Gradert reported on the train and replacement of the ties with work to be completed at a future date.

Jim Gradert reported on a tractor ride scheduled for July 23, 2021.

Chad Jacobs reported on the donation of a husker shredder by Randy Goddard. A motion was made by Mark Breeden to accepted the donation of the husker shredder and seconded by Leon Rathjen. The motion was carried.

Tom Hitzhuzean reported on crop insurance and which level of coverage the club should purchase. The board reached the consensus that the 85% level would be sufficient for the year.

Curt Jacobs present research that he had done into a new option for the newsletter to reduce cost and improve quality.

Phil Jordan present on the new building.

Duane Ziegler reported the Geneseo Moose Club would like to have the club back for breakfast meetings.

There being no further business to be brought before the meeting. Chad Jacobs declared the meeting adjourned.

The AETA Board Meeting was held on April 5, 2021 at the AETA Timber Barn.

President Chad Jacobs called the meeting to order, and Secretary Alex Samuelson recorded the action.

The following directors were present Chad Jacobs(President), Mark Breeden(Vice President), Duane Ziegler(Treasurer), Alex Samuelson(Secretary), Dave Cattron(Membership), Phil Jordan(Former President), Leon Rathjen, Tim Fisk. Absent board members were Jim Gradert and James Krieger. Guests present was Curt Jacobs and Randy Goddard.

Alex Samuelson(Secretary) provided each of the directors with a copy of the March board meeting's minutes.

Following discussion, a motion was made by Dave Cattron to approve the minutes and seconded by Tim Fisk. Motion was carried.

Duane Zeigler(Treasurer) present the treasurers report. A motion was made by Leon Rathjen to approve the treasurers report and seconded by Tim Fisk.

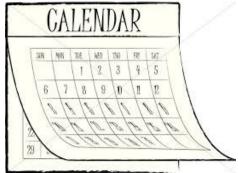
Chad Jacobs(President) reported on show buttons and it was decided that the buttons from last years postponed show would be used.

Randy Goddard reported on the sponsorship.

Curt Jacobs reported on a possible option for having the newsletter printed on.

Work days for the summer were decided upon for May 8, June 12, July 10, and August 7 of 2021.

There being no further business to be brought before the meeting. Chad Jacobs declared the meeting adjourned.



Mark your calendar for upcoming events!

Work day on July 10, 2021 at the AETA Show grounds starting at 8-8:30am.

Old Iron Antique Tractor and Engine Show of the Northern Illinois will be held on July 10, 2021 through July 11, 2021 starting at 7am. This will be held at the Carroll County Fairgrounds in Milledgeville, Illinois. The cost will be \$5 daily. 12 years old and younger will be free. You are able to bring equipment to display or come walk through some amazing history.

Tractor Drive at the AETA Show Grounds on July 23, 2021. This will start at 8 am for coffee and donuts. The drivers will depart at 9:00 am.

July 23, 2021 through July 25, 2021, J.L. Case Heritage Foundation will be hosting at the American Farm Heritage Museum in Greenville, Illinois. They are featuring J.I Case. Please contact Jim Voyles at (417)683 -1470.

July 23, 2021, Illinois J.I. Case Collectors Membership meeting in Greenville, Illinois. Please contact Dave Voyles at (618)980-2281.

Marshall County Ag Expo and 2021 National Plowing contest will be held on August 11, 2021 through August 14, 2021. There will be horse plowing, tractor plowing, displays, lunch and concession. This will be located at 1198 Underwood Ave Conrad, lowa 50621. The admission is free. All are welcome. Any questions please contact Ray Elsberry at (641)485-4011 or Mike Fitz at (641)751-9500. They also have a website at www.iowaplowing.org.

If you have an event or know of an upcoming event that members may enjoy attending, let one of your board members know and we will get it on the AETA Calendar.



We are looking for coordinators for the kid zone at the 2021 Fall Show.

We are also looking for volunteers to work the gate at the 2021 Fall Show.

Please contact any of the board members if you are interested.

# AETA Tractor Drive

# Friday, July 23rd Mark your Calendar!!

Drive Our "Toys" Fun Day! Drivers meet at the



Showgrounds at 8:00 AM - will return approx 1:00 PM.

13451 IL HWY 92 Geneseo, IL 61254

Drive will be approx 30-35 miles.

Free Rolls & Drinks, plus sack lunch provided by organizers. Any donations appreciated: 100% of proceeds will go to the club.

## **AETA Tractor Drive Rules**

- I) Drivers mtg at 9:00 AM before leaving showgrounds
- 2) Only I person per tractor allowed, unless equipped with a 'safe' 2nd seat
- 3) All drivers must have liability insurance
- 4) All drivers must posess a valid driver's license
- 5) ABOVE ALL: Be SAFE, and Have FUN!!

## **CONTACTS**

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# SEPTEMBER 17, 18, 19, 2021







# **FEATURING**

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\$5.00 Per Day or \$10.00 Weekend 12 & under FREE

GATES OPEN 7AM - 5PM



Personal Golf Carts & Gator type vehicles only! (\$10 a day or \$15 for Weekend)



NO PETS! SERVICE DOGS ONLY!



Thresherman's Dinner
Specialty & Ag Vendors
Pie Auction • Train Rides
Working Sawmill
Blacksmith Shop
Gardening
Demonstrations
Great Food
Displays by collectors
of All Ages!





Become an AETA Member today, ask one of our board members and they will get you set up. Already a Member? Pay your 2021 Membership dues now!

AETA Membership dues can be mailed to: AETA, PO Box 112,

## **AETA BOARD OF DIRECTORS—2021**

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Our July AETA Newsletter! Open it up and see what is inside. Save the dates, information on this years fall show and so much more! Hope you enjoy!