

Slow Boys News



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Issue 115

Meeting Minutes July 2019

The Slow Boys Meeting was called to order by President Matt Hall. The club said the Pledge of Allegiance. About 36 members were present.

Secretary Report: Motion approved by Doug Vaughn, seconded by Lucas Kronos. Motion carried. Brad Vaughn gave the treasurer's report. Checking account balance is \$2700.91 and savings balance is \$1098.30 with \$3000 in a CD. Motion approved by Art Downs, seconded by Russell Tjarks.

Old Business:

Don't forget to please pay your dues and pick up your raffle tickets..

Super Saturday - Due to being an off year, initial date was incorrect. It falls on Sept. 14th this year. Feature Tractor is still needed - Talk to Doug or Mary Ann.

New Business:

Burr Oaks Drive - Overall a good day. Current estimate is \$1200.00 raised for Relay for Life and the Cancer Society.

Olde Time Farm Show : \$357 worth of Tickets Sold, 67 Tractors pulled.

4th of July Parades: About 12 Tractors in Onarga and 4 Tractors at Watseka.

Penfield Historic Farm Days - 480 IH Tractors participated.

L'Erable Tractor Pull - Meals and pull count down due to heat and early rain, but 96 tractors originally to pull. The church pastor pulled for donations and \$850 was raised for playground equipment

Iroquois County Fair Drive: 21 Tractors, 14 Riders, and 3 lunch guests. Bit hot, but raised \$520 for 4H

Iroquois County Fair Tractor Pull: 91 Tractors to pull. Rain started during 6000lb, but just delayed. All classes for night's ITPA pull were completed, which was the first time in 2 years.

Art and Corinne donated the picture for the fair drawing - A huge thank you for that! It was won by Ron Hendrichs.

19 members paid membership at the fair, and we made \$325. 19 kids participated in the coloring contest and 5 winners chosen. Thank you to everyone who made the fair a success!

A new banner and hats were made and delivered. Thank you Corinne!

July 22, 2019

Thank you to Bruce & Donna Suver for donating \$500 to the 4H.

Half Century Show: We will not be taking the trailer.

July/August Events: Go to Slowboys.org for More Details

- Bi-County Tractor Cruise - July 26-28 - Paris, IL
- Loda Good Ole Days Tractor Pull - July 28th
- Kankakee County Fair Pull - July 31st - Begin hooking at 4:30pm
- Piper City Sesquicentennial - Aug. 2nd & 3rd - Parade and Tractor Show on Saturday
- Plow Day - Ginder Farms - Peotone - Aug. 10th
- Cullom Jr. Fair Tractor Show & Pull - Aug. 10th
- Masonic Lodge Tractor Drive- Watseka- Aug. 10th - 9am registration - Freewill donaton
- Threshermen's Reunion Pinckneyville - Aug 14 - 18th
- Sheldon Twilight Tractor Drive - Sat, Aug 17th - 9am registration, 10am leaving
- Will County Tractor Pull - Peotone - Aug. 22nd
- Half Century of Progress August 22-25
- Ashkum Lions Club Tractor Show - Aug. 24th
- Farm Progress Show - Decatur, IL - Aug 27-29th
- Threshermen's Reunion - Pontiac, Aug 29th-Sept. 2nd
- Farm Progress Show - Decatur - Aug. 27th - 29th

For Sale: Gerald McTaggart(309-657-4363): 2007 Chevy Pickup with Under 70,000 miles and a 32ft trailer with hydraulic dove

50/50: Winning Ticket: \$56 on #0975 to Dave Hiles, who donated it back to the Club. Thank you Dave!

Lunch Tonight: Art and Corrine Downs and Mike Buhrmeister

Lunch Next Month: Potluck in the Park - Bring a dish and serving spoons (September will be Joyce Ritzma, Noah Fink, & Carol Albrecht)

Adjourn the meeting: Motion made by Allyn Kleinert, seconded by Leslie Weedon.

Next Meeting - August 26, 2019 @ 6pm at Mann Park in Gilman

Secretary,
Adrienne Roeder

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President, Matt Hall (815) 644-2773 - Vice President, Greg Roeder – Secretary, Adrienne Roeder – Treasurer, Brad Vaughn
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