

Slow Boys News



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Issue 133

Meeting Minutes September 2021

The Slow Boys Meeting was called to order by President Greg Roeder. About 19 members were present..

Secretary's Report: Motioned by Steve Eilers seconded by Russell Tjarks. Motion carried. Matt Hall gave the Treasurer's Report. Checking account balance was \$2555.32 and savings balance was \$2867.25. Motion to approve made by Ronald Neiswander seconded by Allyn Kleinert. Motion approved.

Old Business:

Kankakee County Fair Pull: Between 60-70 pulls.

Rodney Schwark Plow Day: About 15 plows turned the ground. It was a good day with an excellent chicken lunch.

Chebance Pull-in-the-Park: Great attendance with 91 pulls.

Martinton Tractor Pull: Good attendance overall with around 60 pulls completed, and only one ended up in the corn field.

Symerton Tractor Pull: Well attended and a great day!

St. Anne Tractor Pull: Good attendance and the lighter classes made a good showing.

Sheldon Fun Days: 15-17 tractors. Traveled to Earle Park and had a steak diner at the Legion.

Masonic Tractor Drive: 16 Tractors drove and it was a very good meal and a good day overall.

Sibley-Burr Oaks Tractor Drive: 65 Entries and 58 Tractors. \$2500 Donated to American Cancer Society and \$100 Donated to Hope Lodge.

Half Century in Rantoul: It was announced that they will have the show in 2 years again. The contract is signed.

Gilman Super Saturday: A big THANK YOU! to everyone that helped out. The tractors games had an average of 14 participants. 21 women did the skillet toss. 17 kids did the Flag Race, and 62 kids participated in the tractor pull. Harold Wilken brought his mill to demonstrate. Allyn Kleinert featured his 1951 M, and Reggie Thoning featured an engine. There were 31 tractors displayed and 25 engines.

Super Saturday Raffle Winners: 1st Place: Lake Nicolds, 2nd Place: Shaune Caspers, 3rd Place: Larry Foster

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Insurance on Kiddie Sled and Tents: Tabled for further discussion.

New Business:

Harvest Days in Watseka: Tractor Show from 8am-3pm, Sunday, October 3rd at Old Courthouse Museum.

Art's Picker Day: No Picker Day this year.

Watsseka H.S. FFA Show: Car/Tractor/Truck Show on October 17th from 1pm-4pm

Fatka Farm Plow Day: November 6th - 210 acres to plow. Coffee and donuts in the morning, and lunch served. (May be rescheduled due to crazy weather)

November Club Auction: Will be held in Crescent City this year. Motion was made, seconded, and approved by all.

October/November Events:

- Harvest Daze Watseka Tractor Show: Oct. 3rd
- Watseka H.S. FFA Show: October 17th
- Fatka Farm Plow Day: November 6th (pending weather)

Thoughts and Prayers are with You! Tamra Becker is under Covid quarantine. Harold Copas had a stroke. Allyn Kleinert's Sister has belly cancer with weeks left. Please keep them all in your thoughts.

For Sale:

Allyn Kleinert - Selling a #16 IH plow and #70 IH Plow, also giving away 4 "shovel things" from a DMI tillage tool

Wayne Becker - 815-644-0750: Selling
-#63 AC snap coupler, 3 bottom w/gauge wheel
-216's #62 3pt slat bottom w/ gauge wheel
-Ferguson 214's
-AC Rotobaler - one of last made, not fast tie

Lunch Tonight: Russ Tjarks

Lunch Next Month: Linda Thompen & Nancy Snedecor

Adjourn the meeting: Motion made by Doug Vaughn, Seconded by Mike Minor, Motion approved

Next Meeting - October 25th at 7pm at Crescent City Community Center

Secretary,
Adrienne Roeder

2021 Officers:

President, Greg Roeder 815-383-9254- Vice President, Art Downs – Secretary, Adrienne Roeder – Treasurer, Matt Hall

Additional Board of Directors:

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