

ANTIQUUE ENGINE & TRACTOR ASSOCIATION, INC.

JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2022

NEWSLETTER

Greetings,

Welcome 2022. 2021 was a little smoother than 2020 and hopefully we can get back to a little more normal this year.

This year we will finish phase 2 of the Lester Building and maybe get a start on phase 3. Our contractors would welcome our help with the construction of the projects. We do not have unlimited time to complete anything we take on because of the time timeline they have set. The more we do to help, the more to offset the total cost.

I want to thank Jim Gradert and Leon Rathjen for the 6 years of service on the board. It's been a pleasure working with you guys and your input will be missed. I want to welcome to the board, Bob Wilcox and Phil Jordan back on the board.

The club will have a booth at the Quad City Farm Show in Rock Island on January 16, 2022 through January 18, 2022. If you can help work, please sign up at the breakfast meeting on January 8th at the Geneseo Moose or you are able to sign up on the AETA website. In March, Gathering of the Green will be held in Davenport and Mecum Auction will be held again. Sign up sheets will be at the breakfast meetings and on the club website also.

Thank you,

Chad

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AETA Board Meeting Minutes.

The AETA board meeting was on Monday October 4, 2021 at the AETA Timber Frame Barn.

President Chad Jacobs called the meeting to order, 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, Phil Jordan (Former President), Leon Rathjen, Tim Fisk, and James Krieger. The guests that attended was Amy Jacobs, Ed Mayhew, Angie Jacobs, Bob Delp, Roger Delp, and Vern Mariman.

Angie Jacobs reported on the AETA camp ground and it revenue of \$1850.00.

Alex Samuelson provided each of the directors a copy of the September board meeting minutes, following discussion, a motion was made by Leon Rathjen to accept the secretaries report and Mark Breeden seconded; motion carried.

Duane Ziegler present the treasurer's report and a copy was handed to each of the directors. A motion was made by Leon Rathjen to approve the treasurer's report and seconded by Mark Breeden; motion carried.

Chad Jacobs and Duane Ziegler reported on the fall show.

A discussion was had on a memorial plaque for John DeReu.

Chad Jacobs present a donation request by Mike Skelton and Paul Searl of a sorghum press. A motion was made by Dave Cattron to accept the donation and seconded by Jim Gradert; Motion carried.

Chad Jacobs reported that the corn yield was 138 BPA and the soybeans yielded 48 BPA.

Leon Rathjen reported on items around the grounds that are not being used at this time.

Mark Breeden reported on the grant received from the Francis G and Betty Miller Foundation of \$60,000.

A motion was made by Leon Rathjen to purchase flat belts of 60 feet and 120 feet. Seconded by Jim Gradert; motion carried.

Dave Cattron present his suggestions for the future.

Chad Jacobs declared the meeting adjourned.

AETA Board Meeting Minutes.

The AETA board meeting was held on Monday November 1, 2021 at the AETA Timber Barn.

President Chad Jacobs called the meeting to order. Secretary Alex Samuelson was there to record the action.

The following directors were present, Chad Jacobs (President), Mark Breeden (Vice President), Duane Ziegler (Treasurer), Alex Samuelson (Secretary), Dave Cattron, Phil Jordan (Former President), Leon Rathjen, Tim Fisk, Jim Gradert, and absent director was James Krieger. Guests attending was Amy Jacobs, Bob Delp, Roger Delp, and Tom Hitzhuzen.

Randy Goddard reported on sponsorships.

Alex Samuelson handed each of the directors a copy of Octobers board meeting minutes, following a discussion, a motion was made to accept the corrected minutes by Dave Cattron. Seconded by Tim Fisk; motion carried.

Duane Zeigler presented and provided a treasurer's report to each of the directors. A motion was made by Leon Rathjen to approve the treasurer's. Seconded by Jim Gradert; motion carried.

Tom Hitzhuzen reports on crop insurance and the clubs crop insurance premium was \$729.00. There was no pay on beans, corn was approximately \$1,000. The crops provided an income of \$23,000.

A discussion was had on Phase II of the Lester Building with the construction of the connection to start in the later part of the month. Also, the instillation of some temporary lighting o be installed in the Lester Building. Austin Heller an apprentice electrician volunteered to help with this installation.

A motion was made by Leon Rathjen to purchase supplies to get this project completed.

A motion was made by Mark Breeden to create a building committee with the power to act. Leon Rathjen seconded; motion carried.

Appointments to the building committee are Chad Jacobs, Mark Breeden, Bob Delp, Roger Delp, Tom Hitzhuzen, and Phil Jordan.

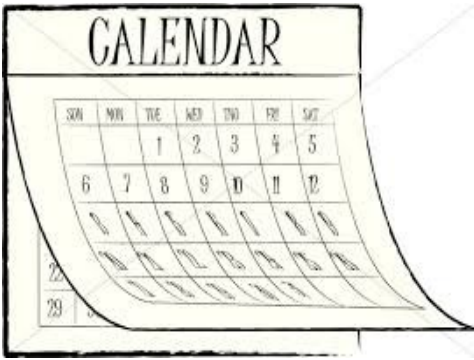
Chad Jacobs reported on a waterline repair coming from the well by the windmill.

Al Swanson donated a snow fence.

Cody Jacobs donated 2 bags of grass seed and seeded the parking lot.

A motion was made by Mark Breeden to take the balance of the train account to pay on the Lester Building at Central Bank and put the grant money in the train account. Jim Gradert seconded; motion carried.

Chad Jacobs declared the meeting adjourned.



Mark your calendar for upcoming events!

Breakfast meeting will be held on January 8, 2022 at the Geneseo Moose.

QC Farm show will be on January 16, 17, and 18, 2022 at the QCCA Expo Center in Rock Island, Illinois.

Breakfast meeting will be held on February 12, 2022 at the Geneseo Moose at 8:00 am.

Breakfast meeting will be held on March 12, 2022 at the Geneseo Moose at 8:00am.

Gathering of the Green will on March 16-19, 2022 at the RiverCenter in Davenport, Iowa.

Mecum Spring Auction will be held on March 24-26, 2022 in East Moline, Illinois.

Breakfast meeting will be held on April 9, 2022 at 8:00am at the Geneseo Moose.

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 in need of volunteers at the QC Farm show, Gathering of the Green, and Spring Mecum Auction.

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

You may sign up at any of the breakfast meetings or on the website.

JOIN OR RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP
TODAY!

Become an AETA Member today, ask one of our board members and they will get you set up. Already a Member? Pay your 2022 Membership dues now! A reminder a senior member that is 75 years old and older is \$25/year. A new

member or renewal membership is \$35/year. All new members and renewal members are show to show. There is no charge for young collectors.

AETA Membership dues can be mailed to:

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Our January and February 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!