

ON THE TRACTOR SEAT



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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi everyone....

We finally had a meeting in February. Both the December & January meetings were cancelled because of this Covid thing. Restrictions seem to be lifting.

The February meeting was well attended and the weather was great.

The Calif. Antique & Farm show Scheduled for April in Tulare, has been cancelled, the Elk's car show & Fire-up in May and the "Corner Stone Church" in May have also been cancelled.

The annual "Rusty Relics Swap Meet" scheduled for June 12th is still in the planning stage, with a purposed overnight Camp Out and BBQ. More to follow.

July 4th is always the Parade in Acton, Ca.

We will continue to do the best we can as a club, until this Covid thing is over.....

New Grandson, Finley Forbes born January 17th is doing fine along with parents George & Nikki Forbes.

REMINDER, Membership dues for 2021 are now due.

Please fill out the Membership Form on the back page and submit it to the Membership Chairman, along with your check or cash at the next meeting, or mail it to: Rusty Relic's, PO Box 6196, Lancaster, Ca. 93539. Thank You, Ron Hanson – Membership Chairman.

Membership stickers will be available at the February & March Meetings.

Best Regards,
You're Club President, Bill Forbes.

RUSTY RELICS BUSINESS MEETING

Last Held on February 13, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 2:07 PM.

Flag was held by Zackary Forbes.

Flag salute was led by President, Bill Forbes.

A roll call of officers was called, all present except Secretary Lisa McKinney, Safety Dir. Rodney McKinney and Editor/Publisher Bob Hanson.

Introduction of Guests: No guests.

OFFICERS REPORTS:

PRESIDENT: Bill Forbes thanked everyone one for coming out to our February Meeting and Happy Birthday to all of the February Birthdays.

At this point, Tulare in April has been cancelled along with the Elks Car Show & Fire-up in Lancaster. We are still planning on the June Swap Meet and overnight campout and BBQ.

The July 24th & Aug 1st Show in Brooks, Oregon still appears to be on. We understand that the Antelope Valley Fair held the end of August is still cancelled.

VICE-PRESIDENT: Clay Anderson had no report.

SECRETARY: Lisa McKinney was not present.

TREASURER: Cheryle Stacy, reported a beginning balance in January of \$x,xxx.xx A \$144. deposit for memberships, \$55.00 spent on newsletter stamps. Ending balance \$x,xxx.xx.

Beginning balance of \$x,xxx.xx in February. Paid \$104 to DMV tags for the 1934 ford. Had a \$48.00 deposit for memberships. Ending balance of \$x,xxx.xx

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN: Ron Hanson, reported that 2021 membership dues are now due by the next meeting. Pay at the meeting or send your check to our Rusty Relics, PO Box 6196, Lancaster, California 93539.....Thank You.

SICKNESS & HEALTH: Ben Drake is mending from an auto accident in the fall. Nancy Hanson, wife of Bob Hanson fell in December, broke her shoulder, had a shoulder replacement, and is now on the mend.

SHOW DIRECTOR: Robert Meyer, is now in Heaven and directing the angels.....RIP

SAFETY DIRECTOR: Rodney McKinney was not present.

PURCHASING DIRECTOR: Larry Stacy, had no report.

PUBLISHER/EDITOR: Bob Hanson was not present. Taking care of the wife.

LIBRARIAN/WEB MASTER: Scott Wachlin had no report. Said the web site is running smooth.

OLD BUSINESS: Zackary Forbes paid \$100. For an antique water pump the club had stored.

Scott Wachlin will talk to club member Owen Strang, to find out what he wants to do with his tractor. More to follow.

NEW BUSINESS: Ron Hanson who is also our South West Regional Director for EDGE, said the Nationals are looking for members in the different regions to help out our EDGE Regional Directors, in contacting club presidents.

Phil Shiver has two large three bladed brush hogs that need work? If anyone is interested please give him a call.

Larry Stacy made a motion to close at 2:41. Clay Anderson second the motion.

We had 12 members present.

Minutes prepared by Treasurer Cheryle Stacy, for Secretary Lisa McKinney.

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS & SHOWS FOR 2021

- February 13th Club Meeting 2 PM.
- March 13th Club Meeting 2 PM.
- April 10th Club Meeting 2 PM.
- April-As of this writing, the Calif. Antique & Farm Show in Tulare, has been cancelled.
- May 8th Club Meeting 2 PM.
- May Elks Car Show & Engine Fire-up in Lancaster - cancelled.
- May Corner Stone Church event - cancelled.
- June 12th Club Meeting & Rusty Relic's Swap Meet in planning.
- July 4th Acton, Ca. 4th of July Parade.
- July 24th – August 1st Great Oregon Steam Up. Brooks, Oregon.

Additional activities will be added, as they become available.

NEXT CLUB MEETING IS SATURDAY, MARCH 13th, 2 PM.

**Address: 2007 West Avenue N, (lot B) just past 20th street west,
in Palmdale, Ca. 93550.**

**From the 14 freeway, go west on avenue N, past 20th street west,
to the first dirt field (lot B) on the right....**

“Look for tractors”

Leesa's Birthday Report: For the Month of March 2021

Don Chaffin – March 1st

Art Thomas – March 3rd

Neil Marra – March 3rd

Ben Drake – March 16th

Lisa McKinney – March 24th

Happy Birthday to all the March Birthdays.

A Great Show to consider attending in July - August

GREAT OREGON STEAM UP

**Location - Antique Powerland Museum
Brooks, OR 97303**

JULY 24 - AUGUST 1, 2021

Great Oregon Steam Up

The best family event in Oregon. Everything operates. Daily parade, train (1/8 scale) & trolley rides. 15 Museums including Blacksmith, Steam Sawmill, Country Store/Flour Milling, Truck, Car & Motorcycle, Caterpillar, Fire Engines, Logging, John Deere, Steam/diesel/gas tractors, Large & Small Engines, Traditional Tractor Pull, Exhibits & Demo's, Miniature Farm Display.

Live Music, Great Food. Kids 12 & under free. Free parking.

Admission: \$12 - \$20

Days/-Hours Open: Every Sat & Sun 7am-6pm

Address: 3995 Brooklake Road NE, Brooks, OR 97303

Entertainment: 1 stage - Regional, Local. Music: BG CY Variety??

Other Activities: parade, youth passport, threshing, logging demos

Attendance: 15,000

From, Carrie. Jo, Parmley, Secretary/Treas./Editor for EDGE

Article taken from the January – March 2021 EDGE Newsletter.

Hope all of you have a Happy and Prosperous New Year. I'm looking forward to starting a new year and working with you again as secretary/treasurer.

Stickers will be mailed out the end of the first full week of February. The number sent is based on the total membership for each branch for the previous year. However, since 2020 was an unusual year, I'll send stickers based on the 2019 membership, with optimism that we will recover greatly this year.

Please be certain that the person who has been designated to receive the stickers will open and distribute the contents accordingly. If you need additional yellow cards, please let me know.

Just a reminder that dues are \$17 per person, and I should receive those by mid-March.

The Branch # must be on all pieces of correspondence: email, checks, and lists.

The list and amount included must match or it will be returned, as was stated in several of the past newsletters.

No dues will be accepted until after February 20, 2021.

The 2021 EDGETA National Annual Meeting is September 10-11, in Eagleville, TN hosted by Branch 202.

If you have questions, or if you need additional information, please contact me at cjparmley2@gmail.com or 903-360-0396.

**Happy New Year and I hope each of you has a successful year.
Carrie. Jo, Parmley, Secretary/Treas./Editor**

Important Dates

2021 Annual National EDGETA Show & Meeting

September 10-11, 2021

Branch 202 – Eagleville, TN

Bringing back Memory's from the "Agua Dulce Parade" – Early 2010's



Steve Sturdevant, Ron Zega and Kent Butler staging up.....



Driving the Yellow Tractor – Ron Zega pulling a wagon.



Riding on the back of the 1934 truck – Jess Baker and Bea Fairchild.



Looks like Kent Butler and grandkids....



Driving the yellow Crawler is Tom Ross....



Driving the John Deere tractor is a club member that I don't recognize. Sorry



“FIRST DAY OF SPRING” – MARCH 20TH

You’re Editor, Bob Hanson

Go to Rusty Relics web page www.rustyrelics.org

To see all the pictures in color.....

Or

To see videos, go to
Facebook page – Rusty Relics Branch #30.