ON THE TRACTOR SEAT



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THE PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Hi everyone....

We had a nice turn out at our September meeting. Weather was still warm, and the fall weather was pleasant. Winter is coming.....

It is with much sadness to announce the Passing of our club member, Peggy Nave, on September 6th. Peggy enjoyed the club and the AV Fair. See picture and write-up on page 5.

We would like to also thank Ron Zega, for organizing the Agua Dulce parade that took place on Sept. 15th From Ron, another successful parade in the books...Thanks everyone for making this a success. See pictures on page 6.

The Branch 8 Swap meet is coming up on Saturday, November 3rd at the International Agri-Center, Tulare, Ca. The best deals are always made in the morning! A one day event. Set-up on Friday. Food available. See page 4.

The Vista Antique Engine & Tractors shows are coming up in October. See page 4 for show dates. Always a great show.

On the clubs Liability Insurance issue. Good news is coming, from EDGE. An agent has been found that will cover us for "Participant Liability Coverage". Adoption of this new Insurance policy will provide us the coverage we do not have now. That is coverage for an incident involving another participant of a community parade and of a member to member incident. This fills the donut hole that we now have.

It does come with an additional cost per member of \$5.00 more per year, and will be adopted, next April. This raises the question of increasing our dues by \$5.00 to cover our costs. I will read this letter, at the October meeting.....

You're Club President, Bob Hanson

RUSTY RELICS BUSINESS MEETING

Last Held September 8, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 2:09 PM.

Flag salute was led by Ron Hanson.

A roll call of officers was called, all present except for Vice President Bill Forbes, Purchasing Director David Pickus, and Web Master Scott Wachlin.

OFFICERS REPORT:

PRESIDENT: Bob Hanson welcomed everyone for attending the 2 PM Saturday General meeting. He announced the passing of club member Peggy Nave and spoke of our sadness. Bob gave out the Nave address, if anyone wanted to send out a card. Condolences to the Nave family....Arrangements pending. -Happy Birthday to all the September Birthdays.

-Bob, thanked all those that showed & participated in the 2018 AV Fair.

VICE-PRESIDENT: Bill Forbes was not present due to his work schedule.

SECRETARY/TREASURER: Cheryle Stacy reported two new renewals. The fair check has not arrived yet. (Note, from this writing, the fair check was received and does not show on the Aug. balance).

Report from August 1, 2018 to August 31, 2018. Beginning balance \$xxxx.xx Ending balance is \$xxxx.xx

Checks written, Calif. Sec. of State \$20, JC Taylor Insurance \$131.52, Cash withdrawal \$50 for cash box fair, Bank charge \$5. Lancaster Chamber for Parade \$50, Bob Hanson \$491.20 for 5 months of Tractor Seat expenses, Ron Zega \$35 for Acton Parade, Cone Jo Protection \$102 to update club fire extinguishers, Mueller \$36.45, Luis Parra \$500 2018 Scholarship recipient, David Pickus \$10.86 for fork lift parts.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN: Ron Hanson reported three renewals.

SICKNES & HEALTH: Reporting of the passing of club member, Peggy Nave.

SHOW DIRECTOR: Robert Meyer, reported everyone did a great job at the AV Fair. Reported Ron Zega needs a head count for the Auga Dulce parade scheduled for September 15th. Meet at Ron Zega's house by 2:30 PM.

SAFETY DIRECTOR: Rodney McKinney, reported all is well.

PURCHASING DIRETOR: David Pickus was not present.

PUBLISER/EDITOR: Bob Hanson hopes everyone enjoyed the September Tractor Seat. A lot went into it, with all the pictures taken at the fair.

LIBRARIAN/WEB MASTER: Scott Wachlin was not present.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

Bob Hanson reported on the resignation of club member, Paul Ogden at the fair, due to his availability and work load. Thanks Paul for all your years of helping.....you will be missed.

-A motion was made by Ray Folck and second by Larry Stacy, to send a Dinner Gift card of \$50. to Paul Ogden, for transporting the Fairbanks back and forth from the fair. Motion passed. Card was sent.

-Ron Hanson made a Special Thanks, to Robert Meyer & Clay Anderson for their very hard work, on getting the Fairbanks Engine & Trailer painted and *made ready* for the fair. Larry Stacy made a motion, second by Jerry Wood for another \$50. Dinner Gift card for Clay Anderson, for all the work of painting along with Robert Meyer, on the Fairbanks. Motion passed. Robert kindly declined a dinner card and would rather see that Clay received a dinner by the club. Thanks Robert. Card was sent.

-Presented at the AV Fair by VP Bill Forbes, was our 2018 scholarship award, given to student Luis Parra. Luis received a check for \$500.00 Congratulations. And thanks to David Pickus, David Williams & Scott Wachlin for being on this year's Scholarship Committee, and for selecting Luis.

-Discussion on this year's Christmas Party was discussed, more to come.

-Motion by Larry Stacy, second by Robert Meyer to purchase \$150. in Christmas Gifts, for this year's Christmas Party. Motion passed.

Officer Nominations were opened for the 2019 term. They are as follows:

President – Bill Forbes. Vice Pres. OPEN Club Secretary – Lisa McKinney. Treasurer – Cheryle Stacy. Membership Chairman – Ron Hanson. Show Director – Robert Meyer. Purchasing director – Larry Stacy. Safety chairman – Rodney McKinney. Editor/Publisher – Bob Hanson. Librarian/Web Master – Scott Wachlin.

Nominations are still open. Those still wishing to fill a position in the club, you are still welcome, to do that.

For those that accepted your nomination, thank you for stepping up!

Robert Meyer made a motion to close the meeting at 3:28 PM, second by George Becker, Motion passed. We had 15 members present.

Minutes prepared by Secretary Cheryle Stacy.

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS & SHOWS FOR 2018

October 5-7SW Regional Show, Branch 13, Galt, Ca.October 13thClub Meeting.Oct. 20 & 21 and 27 & 28 Vista Engine & Tractor Show, Vista, Ca.November 3rd*Branch 8 Tulare Swap meet.November 10thClub Meeting.December 8thClub meeting & Christmas Party.

See you next year.....

*Saturday, Nov. 3rd, Tulare Swap Meet, one day only at the International Agri-Center, Tulare, Ca. Set-up on Friday after 12 noon. Overnight camping for \$10. Vendors must show EDGE Card. Food avail....Come Rain or Shine.

NEXT CLUB MEETING IS SATURDAY OCTOBER 13, 2018 at 2 PM

Where: The club yard & dirt field. Address: 2007 West Avenue N, (lot B) just passed 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 October 2018

Tim Rice – Oct. 2nd David Pickus – Oct. 12th Tom Lee – Oct. 14th Robert Weaver – Oct. 15th Steve Sturdevant – Oct. 5th Kent Butler – Oct. 13th Linda Baker – Oct. 30th

Happy Birthday to one and all



Does this look like a Ford Tractor? NO My error. This is Kent Butler's 1947 Allis Chalmers Model B. Nice picture..... The right Tractor, with wrong name, in last month's Tractor Seat. I'm Sorry Kent. "Did I hear it from the Tractor people".... Kent's other Tractor, is a Ford 8N.

IN REMBERENCE OF PEGGY NAVE 1934 - 2018



The above picture was last taken in the Acton Parade, in 2016. Peggy went to meet her Lord, on September 6th. Peggy was born in Tulare, Ca. on May 8, 1934. Married to Don Nave for 62 years. Don & Peggy have three children, Russell, Jamie, Lauren and two grandchildren. Peggy enjoyed the club, riding on the Tractor and the AV Fair. Don, thanks all the many people that help, in his most time of need...... Peggy was 84 years young.





Off into the sunset





Auga Dulce Parade......

Another successful parade is in the books. There were over 60 entries this year. We had a good turnout with four tractors and the AA truck. Bill Forbes and Debbie rode in the cab of the truck, with Rod and Lisa McKinney (and their service dog), Robert Meyer and Garry Jolly in the bed. Art Thomas drove his Farmall, Kent was on his Allis Chalmers, Clay drove Robert's Ford Tractor and I was on my TO 35 Ferguson. Lisa Mathews did not ride in the parade but provided all the appetizers, lemonade, and waitressing duties before the parade. Thanks everyone for making this a fun day.....Ron Zega

A Message from Don Young, SW Regional Director At this moment several wildfires in California, record heat, temperatures near 120°. One death, several injuries, thousands of acres burned, dozens of structures lost, no rain. There have been a number of successful shows so far in the area. Attendance has been down some primarily due to excessive temperatures. For several months now, I have been relocating to a different location, and have no internet service other than what I have on my phone. We hope as the year progresses all members will follow the safety rules, and take an extra moment to be safe.

Don Young, South West Regional Director of EDGE & TA



FOR SALE – 1949 Ford Tractor Model 8N, in running condition

Victoria and Bruce Pique are looking for a happy home for their tractor. The tractor has been on their property since 1959 and was part of their purchase when they bought their home in the late 90's. I spoke with Mike at Tractoropolis in Fresno and he said from the number stamped on the engine block it is a 1949. It needs a correct one wire generator and tractor front tires to be original. It has car radials on the front now. No one has really modified much of anything that I can tell. It still has the 6 volt positive ground electrical. It has a 4 cylinder engine with the distributor on the front of the engine and 4 speed transmission. It runs and the hydraulics work to raise and lower the grader. The little trailer is so cute, as I mentioned it looks like old military surplus, but you would know more than me. They are asking \$2,500 for the complete tractor, grader and trailer. They would like to find a tractor enthusiast that would enjoy it for what it is. If you have any questions please call, text or email. The tractor is located in Acton, Ca. on Ravena off of Soledad Canyon Rd. My mailing address is Mark Davey, P.O. Box 459, Acton, CA 93510. If someone would like to drive it around please call and make an appointment. George's tractors took very good care of it for years. Many thanks, Mark Davey cell 661-802-9178......Make a reasonable offer.



OCTOBER 31ST

You're Editor, Bob Hanson

Go to Rusty Relics web page <u>www.rustyrelics.org</u> To see all the pictures in color......

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