



Spring, 2021

**Welcome to
Northern Indiana
International Harvester
Collectors' Club
Chapter #33**



Greetings from all of us here at IHCC33!

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A word from our President, Carl Overmyer.....

“Carl’s Comments”

With winter upon us, the time has come to start working inside the shop and office to stay warm. We have been meeting with seed, fertilizer, and chemical salesmen to get our input costs locked in. It’s almost hard to believe that in 8-10 weeks we will be putting the next crop in the ground!

My shop projects with my youngest son Ben have included a New Holland skid loader that I bought off an online auction. This has been a bit of a change from the live auctions that I’m used to attending. I am planning to use it with a rock bucket to clean up fence rows easier with less hand work.

The next major project to be pulled in is my father’s Allis Chalmers XT 190 that my oldest son David bought a few years ago at his estate auction. My grandson Dawson is planning on being a major help in getting the tractor refurbished and back into proper working order.

The summer show at the Fulton County Museum is still scheduled for June 11th-13th. We will be joining together with the Oliver gang due to the cancelation problems that everybody encountered in 2020. We hope to be sharing lots of stories and fun games with all our brands of tractors! There will also be silent auction items, a trading post, and raffle prizes available at the show. Can’t wait to see you all there!

Runnin’ Red

Carl Overmyer

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As of February 1, 2021

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Year in parentheses after director's names indicate term expiration date.

Directors meet six times annually or when needed.

***** UPCOMING EVENTS *****

Saturday, March 6th, 2021. **“Tractors and Toast”**. Dutchmaid Eatery and Gifts, 1535 3rd Rd., Bremen, IN (Right across the street from the Rentown store).

Wednesday, March 17th, 2021, 6:00P. dinner/7:00P. meeting. **Chapter #33 Directors and Advisor's meeting**. Brass Rail Restaurant, Plymouth, IN.

Saturday, April 3, 2021. **“Tractors and Toast”**. Das Dutchman Essenhaus, Middlebury, IN

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New 2021 Members:

Greg Parker, Garrett, IN

Matt Fulk, Churubusco, IN

Communication is Essential

By Rob Myers

Because our chapter covers a large geographic area, communication can be a challenge. For a couple years now, the chapter has been using an automated phone messaging system to communicate to the membership. This article is intended to bring everyone up to speed on the phone system. Chapter #33 uses Wizard Phone to send the same message to all members via a phone call. Our hope is that most of you are receiving the messages. First, if you have never received a phone message and would like to, your contact information could be inaccurate. If you want to update or change your contact information please call or text Rob Meyers at 574-354-7244 or email him at legonutt@yahoo.com. Second, if your contact phone number is a land line, there may be some reliability issues. Because wireless has taken over the market, land line phone companies are only doing the bare minimum to maintain their systems. So if you have a cell phone, it would be best to use that number for the message system. Since unsolicited phone calls (Robo calls) are highly annoying, we suggest that you put the number 574-485-2625 in your phone contacts and assign the name IHCC #33. Then you will know who is calling when the Chapter sends out a message. It may also be a good idea to let the message go to voicemail. Then you can listen at your convenience and replay it if necessary. No matter what happens, if you want to hear the most recent message you can call the number 574-485-2625 and follow the instructions. If you're a member and have an outgoing message that you want to communicate to the Chapter, such as an event, please write your message out. Be sure all pertinent information is included and correct, and then email it to Tom McCormick at (tom@meservesu.com) and we will handle it from there. In conclusion, the Directors believe that this phone service has enhanced the communication within the Chapter and hope that this article puts all of us on the same page. Thank you!

Scholarship News

Enrollment for the 2021 Chapter #33 Scholarship award is now open. The application form can be found on our website at <http://www.ihcc33.org/> under the "Scholarship Program" tab. The scholarship is open to children and grandchildren of Chapter #33 members who have belonged to Chapter #33 for at least three years. Deadline for applications is **April 7, 2021**.

Membership News

Our final renewal count for last year was 171 members, down from 185 previously.

DO WE HAVE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS? We currently have e-mail addresses for only around half of our members. We send the newsletter deadline notices and other member communications by e-mail, so it is important that we have yours in our database. It gives us another way to get ahold of you if your phone number changes, etc. If you did not get the e-mail on January 24th about the newsletter deadline (please check your spam folder if you didn't), we don't have your current e-mail. Please send it to us at n9lhm@yahoo.com so we can add it to the contacts list in our e-mail account.

CLASSIFIED ADS

All Chapter #33 members are entitled to one free classified ad per issue. Ads will not automatically repeat, if you want them in a second time you must resubmit them.

FOR SALE: IH 720 5 bottom toggle trip plow. Good shape, ready to use. Used in 2020. Good spring shank coulters, IH cylinder, new hose. Have photos, \$1250. IH Fast Hitch to 3 Point hitch H-frame type adapter, the heavier one for 400 to 06 series, \$350. IH 26" long tapered edge drawbar; slides into front section like 06s, \$75. David Burton, Brookston/West Lafayette, 765-427-2587.

FOR SALE: Rear wheel weights for Farmall A & B and Farmall Cub. Also front weights for Farmall H to Farmall 400. John Rader, 574-250-2251

WANTED: I need some help in tuning up my IH tractors. All my problems appear to be carburetor related. I live in the Jimtown area of Elkhart. My barn is heated. I am willing to pay for the help. Jack Hiler 574-276-6865

WANTED: Standard drawbar for a late model Farmall Cub Lo Boy. (maybe 1958 model, with white grill and side panel). Don Villwock, Villwock Farms, 812-881-8034 or farmerdon72@live.com.

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Recipe of the Month: "Nuttty Peach Crisp"

29 oz. can sliced peaches, undrained	18 oz. yellow or butter pecan cake mix
½ c. butter or margarine, softened	1 c. flaked coconut
1 c. chopped pecans	

Arrange pecans in an ungreased 13x9x2" baking pan. Sprinkle dry cake mix over top. Drizzle with butter, sprinkle with coconut and pecans. Bake at 325 degrees for 55-60 minutes or until golden brown. Let stand fifteen minutes. Serve warm or cold. Serves 12 to 15.

“Tractors and Toast”
Monterrey Mexican Bar and Grill, Mishawaka, IN
Saturday, February 6th, 2021



Bud Matthys' Funeral – Showing at Shady Lane Farm
Sunday, November 29, 2020

