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# Cascade Two Cylinder Club Newsletter



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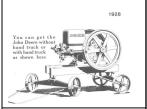
Winter 2012

#### Cascade 2 Cylinder Winter Meeting

Sedro Woolley Museum
Saturday, February 4

Coffee & cookies 9:30 am
General Meeting 10:00
Agenda: Elections!

President, Treasurer and 4 board positions.



#### Branch 26 Mid Winter Gas Up

Cascade Mall Burlington, WA February 18, 2012

All color tractor and engine event



#### Cascade 2 Cylinder Club Spring Shop Tour

Classic Tractors and Trucks

#### Sunday, April 15 1:00 pm

Jack Hilde's Shop 9994 Collins Road, Sedro Woolley, WA

## Barnett Implement Mount Vernon Parts Guys

Have you ever wondered who these guys are that stand behind the parts counter at our local Deere dealer, who greet us with a smile and listen politely about our latest two cylinder Deere problem. The guys that work for minutes pouring through old worn parts books to find the parts number for that old Deere that was built before they were born and then go online to determine if the part is available and then the big shocker, the price! I am sure our Deere parts guys could write a book on how many responses customers give them on parts prices. Well, let's learn some background about these patient and courteous guys who help us solve our worn out parts problems.

**Dave Moores** is the parts manager and admits that he bleeds "green". Dave first started at Barnett's stocking the parts shelves when he was eight years old. Dave's dad Arnie was parts man at the time and Dave was allowed some early exposure to the parts business. Dave first started as an employee for Barnett's at the Snohomish store in 1987 and transferred to Mount Vernon in 1997 when his dad retired. Dave admits that it's the only job he has ever had and he really enjoys it! The obvious big change he has seen is the advent of computers in the parts business. It used to be a job where you looked up the part in a parts book then checked the shelf for availability and then checked another book for the price. All invoices were written by hand. Dave

says his dad retired a little early because he knew the computers were going to be the future and he didn't want to go through all the learning close to his retirement age. Now days its only our 2 cylinder tractor parts that require the parts books. Every thing else is on line. Another change is the training required for new tractor models. The old training required the parts person to attend a class somewhere else in the region. Now there is the school called John Deere University online where you get your "new model qualification". This is done right at the Deere store.

Dave really enjoyed the old John Deere Days which Barnett's has dropped several years ago. He viewed this as a customer appreciation day and a good reason to get the shop and store cleaned up! Nothing like visitors to get your house in order!

Dave's fear for the future is that Deere's marketing plans may lose personal contact with the local dealerships and community. He is also concerned about the price surge in Deere two cylinder tractor parts.

What can the two cylinder tractor collect do to make the parts guy's job easier? Well, Dave says that most of us have a pretty good handle on the parts needed and what he needs is the tractor model and serial number. If the tractor was purchased at Barnett's, there is a good chance he has that information on file.

**Mike Taylor** would be the senior member of the parts department with 32 years working parts for Barnett's. Mike

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#### **Internet Users!**

Check out our web site www.Cascadetwocylinder

club.org for pictures of club members in local events!

#### **Need Magnetic Tractor Signs?**

Call Greg Greenfield 360-661-4632 **\$25** 

## President's Message

Happy New Year to everyone! Good time to be working in the shop to get the tractors and plows ready. We have over 100 acres to plow this spring and need lots of help.

Our first meeting of the year will be February 4, 2012 at the Sedro Woolley Museum at 10:00 am. February 18th is Skagit Gas Up at the Burlington Mall. Let's hope for good weather and bring out your tractors. Our shop tours will be April 15th starting at 1:00 pm, that's a Sunday afternoon. We will begin at Jack Hilde's shop 9994 Collins Road, Sedro Woolley.

See you at the meeting. Paul Hieb, President



#### **Separating the Chaff from the Grain**

### Winter Technical Reading

The John Deere Moldboard Tractor Plow 1914 to 1960 The Two-Cylinder Era by David Wolfe is worth reading if you have an interest in Deere plows.

The author has pulled together a history of the John Deere plow from 1837 to the end of the two cylinder era in 1960. He gives good descriptions and pictures of the many Deere moldboard plows made during the 20th century. He includes a section on hitch types for various plows and an explanation of adjustments. He also covers tips on restoration, painting and decals. The book is full of fascinating antique John Deere plow sales literature and photos of collector's implements. If you have a John Deere plow that you can't identify, this is the book for you! I don't know of any other source that has more information on Deere plows.

The book is available through Amazon.com or the author at BEDA Company, N 301011 Church Hill Road, Arcadia, WI 54612-8298

Mr. Wolf also has a video on plow set up and another book on plows. He also manufactures some plow handle parts.

#### How to Keep Your Classic Tractor Alive by

Spencer Yost. Copyright 2009 has a deceiving title. True, it has a good section on tractor maintenance and overhaul but Yost covers much additional information for the tractor collector.

The book is full of great tips that even the most experienced collector would appreciate. He covers topics such as buying the tractor, transporting equipment, safety, hitches & implements, using tractors on a small farm or business, shop equipment and design. He also gives some good recommendations on prepping and painting the tractor. His philosophy of tractor repair recognizes that some owners want a good operational classic tractor and others want a beautiful tractor to display. He also discusses using the tractor on the small farm with the variety of implements available today.

Any collector or classic tractor owner could save a lot of money by reading this book! It is available through Two Cylinder Magazine or Amazon.com.

No, neither of these two books are available on your Kindle yet!



#### Club Officers and Board Members

#### **OFFICERS**

President	Paul Hieb	360-856-6210
Vice President	Loren Dahl	360-757-0771
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#### **BOARD MEMBERS**

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started in parts with Lynnwood Equipment Company while attending school to earn his airframe power plant mechanics certification and pilot licenses. Lynwood Equipment Company specialized in logging, paving and rock crusher equipment. After four years with Lynwood Equipment Company Mike moved on to Barnett Implement. Mike didn't grow up on a farm but his grandfather farmed asparagus and grapes in Sunnyside, Washington. He worked with Jerry Reuble for six years on a crop and dairy farm so he understands that end of the agriculture business. Mike sees farm machinery becoming much more complex with computers controlling functions and diagnostic equipment. The array of sensors and related equipment can be challenging!

Some of the more enjoyable features of the job is the people that he works with, the customers and the employers. The little children that used to run around the store are now the farm owners with family's of their own.

What can the collector do to make the parts person's job easier? Model and serial number is important and the casting number can be helpful. Mike's job is a little unusual in that he is technically 50 % parts and 50% information technology or computer guy. His business card reads focus person and parts. Back in the 1990's when computers started appearing in the store Mike took an interest in computer diagnostics. Now he is the in house "go to guy" when computers, servers and

other things related need problem solving. One of the new things Mike is looking forward to is the Integrated Distance Training (IDT) room. This will be a new training room at Barnett's where employees will get training online with a 52" flat screen, computers and camera allowing the students and teacher to interact with other dealerships in the region or country. Each site will have a facilitator and Mike will be that guy in Mount Vernon. This will really save money in travel time and allow better education on the next new Deere thing!

Barnett Implement Mount Vernon Parts guys will continue in the Spring issue with Steve Cruse and Lyle Archer. ajohnson

## THERE'S A JOHN DEERE DEALER NEAR YOU-

HE WILL BE GLAD TO GIVE YOU FURTHER INFORMATION



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## Directory!

When renewing dues please include email address and tractors you want listed in the directory. If you don't wish tractors listed on the web please indicate. You can also update online at www.c2cc.org

Hardcopies of directory will be available at general meeting.

## Cascade Two Cylinder Club web address www.cascadetwocylinderclub.org

-Search member/tractor database
-All newsletters 1996-today
-Events calendar
-Pictures and Video 1993-today
-Huge collection of web links

Meeting Minutes

Cascade Two Cylinder Club Board of Director's Meeting January 12, 2012 Greg Greenfield's home, Anacortes, WA

**Meeting called to order** at 7:24 pm by President Paul Hieb

#### Minutes read and approved

**Treasurer's Report** \$4272.91 on hand and bills paid. Pot luck raffle brought in \$612.00, silent auction \$356.00, pedal tractor \$144.00. Total cost to put on the pot luck \$1257.00. Net cost to the club for the pot luck \$145.00. We have 189 members listed for 2012, 84 have paid their current dues.

**Old Business**: We had 80 people at the potluck. Paul thanked all those who helped make the potluck a great success. It was suggested that we give the leftovers away in the raffle instead of just handing them out. Tom has already donated his other pedal tractor for our 2012 potluck.

**New Business:** Gas Up is February 18, 2012 at the Cascade Mall. Shop tour: Loren Dahl is the contact, date to be announced. Plow Day to be announced, 100 plus acres near La Conner at Thulen Farms. We will need a lot of tractors to accomplish this! Elections: Pres., Treas., and four board positions, Van Osborne, Alerd Johnson,

Greg Greenfield and Norm teSelle. Next meeting: February 4, 2012 at the Sedro Woolley Museum, 10:00 am.

**Adjournment:** 8:45pm Ray Riggles, Sec.

## **Membership Dues**

\$15/Year

#### Please note!

If your address label has a black circle around it then Treasurer Tom's records indicate that you have not paid dues. Please send your dues to **Tom Jensen**, 202 Rainbow Drive, Burlington, WA 98233 or bring the money to the next meeting.



Meeting Minutes

### Cascade Two Cylinder Club General Meeting December 10, 2011 Bay View Community Hall

**Meeting called to order** at 11:47 AM by Paul Hieb, President.

Minutes read and approved

**Treasurer's Report**: \$3666.40 on hand, some bills from potluck yet to be paid.

Old Business: Paul again reported on the Veterans Day Parade. He also thanked Knutson Brothers Potatoes, Skagit Farmers Supply, Sylvana Meats, Marlen Knutson, Loren Dahl, Norm teSelle and Fastenal for their donations to today's meal, silent auction and raffle. Tom Jensen is appreciated for donating a pedal tractor for a separate raffle.

**New Business**: Alerd is encouraging members to sign up on line for the newsletter. Next meeting February 4, 2012, 10 am at the Sedro-Woolley Museum. The Mid Winter Gas-Up is scheduled for February 18, 2012 at the Cascade Mall, Burlington.

Meeting adjourned 12:05 PM

Ray Riggles Secretary

Potluck dinner and raffle followed meeting.

### **Green & Yellow Want Ads**

Please note that want ads will be run one time unless renewed. Ads need to be limited to five lines and will feature John Deere tractors. Other non tractor antiques ok if brief.

For Sale New standard rings to fit JD 420-430, \$25; Green Lighting sand blast sand, Paul Hieb, 360-856-6210

For Sale Tractor tie down brackets, chain for JD tire pump, Norm teSelle, 360-354-3036

**For Sale**: 1944 John Deere BN , hand start, single front wheel, good front tire but rear tires need replacing, modified rear rims, doesn't currently run but is loose. Original paint. Tractor located in East Wenatchee. \$1000 or offer. Ron West, 360-293-2122 Anacortes

**For Sale** 1953 JD 40U, 3pt, pto, like new tires, very nice tin, needs paint, \$3000, Carl Sorensen, 360-856-1196 **For Sale** 1966 JD 350 Dozer, Diesel, 6 way blade, winch, full canopy, good undercarriage. \$8000, Tandem axle dually trailer, Andy Ploeg built to haul dozer, \$2000; JD 4-16, 3 pt. hitch plow, \$400, JD 10' 3 pt. hitch cultivator, \$300, Tom Jensen, 360-661-0634

**For Sale** 1960 JD 730 Standard tractor, gas engine, 1 of 292 manufactured, 2068 hours, excellent condition. This will always be a very collectable tractor. Call for price; also available 24' deck over trailer, PJ bumper pull; Pat Galbraith(360) 424-7216

For Sale JD AR, 1937 on steel, runs good, \$3000; JD M radiator, Rick Burt, 360-629-2612

For Sale JD LA, older restoration, call for particulars/reasonable, \$850, 360-826-3782

**For Sale** Montgomery Ward 7-horse garden tractor, 1970 with mower deck, runs good, good tires, \$300-obo call Barry 425-530-9207

For Sale 1947 parts D, Gary Friend, 360-708-1787

**For Sale** Parts for JD Model D 143800 and up 2- AD700R Oil strainer, 1– AD 466R Tappet cover, 1-AD2843R Outer clutch disk, 1– D1755R Outer clutch disk, 1– Governor assy., 1– Fuel tank strap, 1-A2230R Coupler fuel rod– new, 1– AD 1954R Fuel tank, 1– AD 2428R Hood assy., 2– AD343R Air cleaner stack– early, 1– D2453R Gear shifter shaft, 1– D1840R Housing w/gears– pto shaft, 1– AD 1298R Ind seat frame, 2-AD2425 R Drawbar 154470 & up, 2– Front wheel hub w/Brgs & steer arms, 1– D3092 R Cover crankcase for starter, 2 starter-needs checking, 1– D3262R Pulley– Gen, Norm teSelle 360-354-30362

For Sale JD A, parade ready, \$2300 Loren 360-757-0771

**For Sale** JD Unstyled AR's- Both 1936 serial # 250870 on Rubber w/ F&H rears-older restoration, serial 251742 on Steel - \$4850 for both, Morrie Robinson 31445 Barben Rd, (Day Creek area), Sedro Woolley, 360-826-3782 **For Sale** JD B running gear, from engine back includes wheels, power trol etc., John Deere #5 mower; Bob Burt, Lopez Island 360-468-2668

For Sale Loader for JD M, lawn art single bottom plow, make offer A. Johnson, 360-293-7953

**For Sale** Franklin Mint John Deere Pocket Watch (6) Collection Plus Display case; (1) Novelty John Deere Pocket Watch with chain 14" Max Warner 604-850-9147 Abbotsford, B.C.

**Wanted** JD B-46 fuel lines & shutters & radiator, wanted JD H,A,B or R to restore running or not. Caleb Johnson 425-248-3842 email BigREDPusher@hotmail.com

Wanted Crank and handle for 1961 Fordson Super Major and engine parts needed as well, Barry 425-530-9207

Wanted Parts for JD MC cat gearmatic winch parts, what do you have, Tony Splane 360-856-4984

Wanted Articles or ideas for articles for CTCC newsletter

Wanted Your email address so we can get you a quick notice of meetings, events and plow days. Send to web-master@c2cc.org Alerd Johnson, 360.293.7953, editor@c2cc.org

Wanted Members to mail or email club related pictures/video to webmaster@c2cc.org

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## Calendar of Year 2012 Events





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