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# Cascade Two Cylinder Club Newsletter



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#### Cascade 2 Cylinder Spring Meeting

North Washington Implement, Lynden, WA Saturday, May 16

Coffee & cookies 9:30
General Meeting 10:00

#### Agenda:

- ⇒ Summer events; Parades, Caravan & Shows
- ⇒ Raffle



#### Lynden Farmer's Day Parade

June 6, 2009 First Parade of the Year

#### Sedro Woolley Blast from the Past

June 7, 2009 Tractors, implements and Trucks

## Dick Cleave, Skagit Collector

Dick didn't grow up on a farm or operate a farm like many of the antique tractor collectors. Dick did have a grandfather who was in the Skagit Valley bulb business and owned a Farmall A and later a John Deere 40. His father didn't have a farm but had green houses in south Mount Vernon. He owned Fords. Maybe those agriculture contacts got Dick interested in classic Deeres in retirement.

In Dick's early career, he owned a truck and worked briefly for Home Transfer. This trucking job required Dick to be away from home for up to three months which did not set well with Dick. Dick was able to move on to secure a driving job with Skagit Valley Trucking. 41 years later Dick retired from truck driving. Dick says the people he worked for and with were a real pleasure. Even though Dick drove to all parts of the Western United States and Canada he had great job satisfaction. Most of the product he hauled was finished frozen food products from the Skagit Valley area.

About the time of Dick's retirement, he saw an ad in the Capitol Press for a John Deere 720 diesel with tricycle front end located in Enumclaw. Dick wanted a classic Deere and this tractor was one of the icons of the Deere two cylinder era. The tractor was sold to Dick as a good, solid tractor with recent work done. Haven't we all heard that story before! Dick learned soon that his retirement gift to himself had some major problems... cracked transmission case, broken gears, diesel injector problems, worn out roll o matic etc. Dick contacted Renaissance Tractor and owner Albert Ulrich made the necessary repairs. Dick has done a few additional repairs himself and now has a strong running tractor.

Dick just finished his third Cascade Two

Cylinder Club plow day pulling a 3-16 plow. If you have done any plowing you know that plowing brings out all the problems in a tractor. No problems for this Deere. Joey, Dick's grandson, found the 3-16 3 point plow at the Tellesbo farm on Fir Island. Dick put in some new coulter bearings, new shares and made the plow pretty. Dick says he kind of likes restoring implements and would like to do that in the future. This is a great winter project if you can just get your shop or garage warm! Dick has been in the club for just a few years but has been active in the plow days and static displays. He plans on getting involved in the various parades this summer. Dick and his grandson Joey attending the Gathering of the Green in 2008 and plans to attend again at the 2010 show in Moline, Illinois. Dick proudly taught Joey the techniques of commercial truck driving and Joey landed a very good job with Hertz moving rental equipment around the state. A real chip off the old block! Joey really likes his grandfather's JD 720 but prefers the toy collecting avocation. Some day Joey will probably get that special tractor! I hope Joey knows how to plow. A tip of the green and yellow hat to Dick Cleave, our Spring 2009 C2CC featured member. ajohnson.



#### 2009 Caravan

July 18

Start at John Deere Building, Berthusen Park, Lynden and tour the farm area east of Lynden to Everson and back. 30 miles total More information in Summer newsletter

#### **Internet Users!**

Check out our new web site

www.Cascadetwocy
linderclub.org
for pictures and video of club members in local events!

## **President's Message**

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m W}$ ith Spring in the air it's good to start field work and just be outside.

Our shop tours went well with the first stop at Dave Milholland's. He has so many engines and good stuff to see. We then went to Greg Greenfields's shop to see his latest John Deere B, all most finished, very nice, along with the rest of the collection. After the tour we had BBQ hamburger and pot luck outside. A very nice day. Thank you Dave and Greg for the shop tours.

We are still looking for a sales counter and display case. We also need two lights for the front brick wall of the building. Give me a call if you have anything. Our first parade will be June 6th in Lynden. On the 7th of June we have the Blast from the Past in Sedro Woolley. We need tractors, trucks and old farm equipment Our next meeting will be May 16 at North Washington Implement in Lynden at 10:00 a.m.

See you at the meeting!

Paul Hieb, President



### An Old Farmer's Advice

**Contributed by Steve Hendricks** 

- ⇒ You cannot unsay a cruel word
- ⇒ Every path has a few puddles
- ⇒ When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty
- $\Rightarrow$  The best sermons are lived, not preached
- ⇒ Most of the stuff people worry about ain't never gonna happen anyway.
- ⇒ Don't judge folks by their relatives
- ⇒ Remember that silence is sometimes the best answer.
- ⇒ Live a good, honorable life. Then when you get older and think back, you'll enjoy it a second time.
- ⇒ Don't interfere with somethin' that ain't botherin' you none

### Club Officers and Board Members

#### **OFFICERS**

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#### **Membership Dues**

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.

# **Separating the Chaff** from the Grain

If you are looking for a road trip and a John Deere collector auction you are in luck. A **collector liquidation auction** is planned for Memorial weekend, May 24, 2009 in Powell Butte(Central), Oregon. Lots of letter and number series two cylinder tractors and implements as well as John Deere memorabilia and toys. The web site is www.dennisturmon.com or call 541-923-6261 for more information.

Sedro Woolley is planning a **Blast from the Past** show Sunday, June 7 in front of the Sedro Woolley Museum. Antique tractors of all colors, farm implements and trucks are requested. Contact member Dale Robertson 360-856-1982 for additional information. Dale says that if you are showing in the Lynden parade to leave the tractor on the trailer and bring to Sedro Woolley on Sunday. First year for this show so it should be fun!

Burlington Berry Dairy Days Farmer's Parade is scheduled for Friday evening, June 19 starting at Burlington Haggens store, Loren Dahl would like you there at 3:30 or so. Saturday, June 20 is the main parade with que up time of 9:30 a.m. Haggens.

Rainier Two Cylinder Club is sponsoring the "Down On the Farm" show at Wilcox Farm again this year. The date is June 27 and 28 starting at 9:00 a,m. and ending at 6:00 p.m. each day. The show is located at 40400 Harts Lake Valley Road So., Roy, WA. More information at www.Rainier2cyl.org. The show features vintage farm equipment, tractor pulls, fireman's muster and hay wagon rides. Good show to bring a tractor or just attend. Several of our members attended last year.

There is a rumor that Harold Eastbury has completed his replica Waterloo Boy tractor which we hope to see at one of the Summer events. Way to go Harold!!!

If you have ever tried to **time a John Deere D** with the fenders on, you know how hard it is to find the timing mark on the cast iron case. John Maas has pointed out that the Deere dealership mechanics punched marks on the flywheel that align up with the governor case. A carpenter's square is placed on the marks and the back of the governor. If you have a "D", check the flywheel to see if you have the flywheel marks. Tips from the past.

Good **shop tour** on Saturday April 4 to Dave Milhol-

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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

-Renew dues online via credit card
-Search member/tractor database
-All newsletters 1996-today
-Events calendar
-Pictures and Video 1993-today
-Huge collection of web links

Meeting Minutes

Cascade 2 Cylinder Club General Membership Meeting February 21, 2009 Sedro Woolley Museum

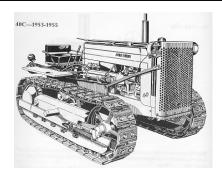
Meeting called to order at 10:35a.m. by Paul Hieb Pres. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved Treasurer's Report: \$1429.14 membership fund and \$625 in the building fund. **Old Business**: Pot Luck review went well. Bob Peter reported that Norm Bunker fell at the Gas Up. He had some stitches but will be OK. Discussion about our insurance coverage, possibly moving our renewal date. Nothing final. New Business: Clean up at berthusen's Park, Feb. 28, 2009, Lynden. Shop Tour, April 4, 2009, 9:00 a.m.start at Dave Milholland's home then to Gregg Greenfield's. Tour Gregg's shop then stick around for Bar B Que Burgers and lunch, members bring dessert. Plow Day to be announced, get on the list if you want to plow. Some time in May, starts at 9:00 a.m. Caravan: Whatcom County, July 18, 2009, approximately 30 miles round trip, break at Everson then back to Berthusen Park for a Bar B Que. John Deere Day: July 25, 2009 at North Washington Implement. PSAT&MA show Lynden, WA, August 2009, We will dedicate the John Deere building at the show. Announcement to follow. Election of Officers and Directors: Vice Pres., Secretary, and Directors, Loren Dahl, Gary Friend and Allan Brinson. All were reelected by unanimous ballot! John Maas gave an informative talk on Two Cylinder electrical systems, after which we had our usual raffle.

Adjourned, 11`:28 a.m. Ray Riggles, Sec.

Meeting Minutes
Cascade 2 Cylinder Club
Board of Directors
April 1, 2009
Norm teSelle's home

Meeting called to order by Paul Hieb, Pres. at 7:55p.m. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Treasurer's report \$2530.63 on hand. \$1741.09 in the membership fund and the remaining \$789.54 is in the building fund. Tom is working on the plaque with the list of donors and it should be finished by July!

**Old Business**. Tom has started working on the John Deere grain binder, Barnetts have offered to help with any needed parts. New Business: Caravan, July 18, 2009. Norm is getting all the permits lined up, route has been planned, 30 miles, start and end up at Berthusen Park, Bar B Que to follow, members bring something for Pot Luck! Norm teSelle and Ray Young Co chairmen. John Deere Day, July 25, 2009 at North Washington equipment. Building dedication will be on Friday during the PSATMA show 2009. Still in planning. Coming Events: Shop tour April 4, 2009, start at Dave Milholland's, 15668 Yokeko Drive, 9:00 a.m. then about 11:00 a.m. proceed to Gregg Greenfield's for a tour of his shop and then lunch. Members bring salad and dessert. Holland Happenings: Oak Harbor April 25, 2009. Arthur Morris is our contact person. John Deere EXPO 2010 to be held during Lynden Show, lots of planning to do! Next meeting May 16, 2009, North Washington Implement, 10:00 a.m. Meeting Ad**journed** 9:48p.m. Ray Riggles, Sec.



Get your John Deere crawlers ready for the featured tractor at P.S.A.T&M.A. Show, August 5-8, 2009

### John Deere Building Fund!

\$2,000 owed to the Puget Sound Antique Tractor & Machinery Association!

Can you help with a \$25 or more donation to our Lynden John Deere Museum building fund? Donors will have their names placed on a building plaque. Send \$ to:

Tom Jensen 202 Rainbow Drive Burlington, WA 98233 Or

pay at the general 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** 1955 JD model 70, gas, wide front, stuck, good tin and tires, \$1850 o.b.o.; 1953 JD R, pto, remote hyd., \$2500; JD #5 mower, \$25; JD 202 H, 2 bottom-2way, hyd. lift, tag plow w/slatted mold boards, unusual and complete, \$400, Arlie Christensen, 360-629-2677

**For Sale** 13.6 x 38 Firestone tire, 70%, \$100, Les Faber 360-770-2920

**For Sale**; 1-9x38 rear rim \$50; chains for J.D. pto pump, \$7.00; tractor tie down brackets, \$18.00 per set, Norm teSelle 360-350-3036

For Sale 1959 JD 830, Good price! Van Osborne, 360-671-9884

For Sale Sand blast sand, Paul Hieb, 360-856-6210

**For Sale** Live hydraulic pump for JD A or B, connects between mag.; Rear weights for AC model CA; Rear weights for Farmall A, Bob Burt, 360-468-2668

For Sale John Deere 720 gas, 3 pt., power steering, single front wheel, Brian 360-332-1696

**For Sale** John Deere 1937 D, hand start on rubber and 1957 John Deere 720, diesel, pup start, power steering, Ed Steeves, 604-885-7501 Sechelt, B.C.

**For Sale** 1942 John Deere B, long hood, tricycle, runs & starts excellent, l good tires, new battery, fair tin, \$1650, 360-856-5827, 360-856-2293 please leave message

Wanted John Deere 45 W loader, Brian, 360-332-1696

**Wanted** Transaxle for Allis Chalmers L.&G. tractor, model B-210-early 1970's 10 hp or more or similar model Simplicity L.&G. Bob Peter 360-856-0808

**Wanted Tires,**12.4 X 24 or 11.2 X 24 for Bob Burt's 1935 JD BO, 360-468-2668

**Wanted** rubber tire wheel for #44 John Deere plow, Alerd Johnson 360-293-7953

**Wanted** Parts counter for John Deere replica dealership building at Lynden show grounds. Contact Paul Hieb, 360-856-6210

Wanted Your email address so we can get you a quick notice of meetings, events and plow days. Send to webmaster@c2cc.org

**Wanted** Articles or ideas for articles for CTCC newsletter, 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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land's renown engine collection. Greg Greenfield showed off his all color tractor collection with several Deeres of course. Greg and Dawn put on a great hamburger potluck lunch. Twenty some members were in attendance.

Well, we got it done! The ground was dry and we plowed 63 acres of Vic Jensen's Field Road farm last Saturday, May 2. Thirteen 2 cylinder Deeres got the ground plowed by lunch time. Tom Jensen said that all 13 tractors covered at least 53 feet in one pass. Plowmen included: Jerry Senner and son, JD unstyled D and GP, 2 b and 3 b plow; Gary Friend, JD R, 3 b plow; Allan Brinson, JD 420, 2 b plow; Arne Svendsen, JD 80, 4 b red plow: Tom Jensen, JD 820, 4 b plow; Paul Hieb, JD 830, 4 b plow; Les Faber, JD 830, 4 b plow: Herk Sorsdal, JD 830, 4 b plow: Pat Galbraith, JD 730, 3 b plow: Marlen Knutsen, JD G, 3 b plow; Addy Johnson, JD D unstyled, 2 b plow: Dick Cleave, JD 720, 3 b plow. A big thanks to Tom, Vic and Brandy Jensen for lunch and the ground. A big thanks to the plowmen who went to the trouble to bring their tractors and plows!

Gathering to the Green is scheduled for March 17 to 20, 2010 at the Radisson Quad City Plaza/River Center—Davenport, IA. The web site is www.gatheringofthegreen.com and registration materials will be available in early November 2009. Let Paul Hieb or Alerd Johnson know if you are interested in attending with our club group. We usually schedule a side trip before or after the conference. Very educational and good fun!



## Calendar of Year 2009 Events

May 16	C2CC Spring General Meeting, NorthWa Implement		
	Lynden Farmer's Day Parade, 9:00, 11th & Grove		
	Blast from the Past exhibit, Sedro Woolley, 9:00a.m.		
	S.W. Museum, tractors, implements & trucks		
June 19	Burlington Farmer's Parade, 3:30 to 7:00, Start at		
	Haggens, contact Loren Dahl for details		
June 20	Burlington Berry Dairy Days Parade,9:30 at Hag		
	gens, contact Loren Dahl for details		
June 27-28	"Down on the Farm" show, Roy, WA		
July 4	Sedro Woolley Logger Rodeo Parade, morning con		
	tact Paul Hieb for details		
July 4	Arlington Parade, afternoon, contact Harold Eastbury		
July 18	C2CC Caravan, Start from JD Museum, Berthusen		
	Park		
July 25, 2009	North Wa Implement John Deere Day, Lynden, WA		
July 25 &26	Great Oregon Steam-Up, Brooks, OR		
August 1 &2	Great Oregon Steam-Up, Brooks, OR		
August 5 –8	PSAT&MA Show, Berthusen Park, Lynden, WA		
	"Crawler" featured tractor		
August 14-16	Sky Valley Show, Frohning Farm, Monroe, WA		
For more details on event times and location, contact the club officers or boards members. Phone			
numbers listed on page 3			

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