

Cascade Two Cylinder Club Newsletter



Volume 26 Issue 4 Fall 2019

C2CC Fall General Meeting

Saturday October 19 10:00 am Sedro Woolley Museum

Agenda:
-Review of Summer
Activities
-Holiday Potluck and
Meeting
-Planning for 2020
-Raffle



Veteran's Day Parade

November 9 11:00 am Burlington, WA

Questions? Loren (360) 540-0771



26 Years of Green and Yellow tractor fun

Jim Hale– Ranching and Deeres

Jim grew up in West Seattle and graduated from Sealth High School. A friend of the Hale family owned a cattle ranch (100 head) near Wauconda, Washington. Wauconda is 1 hour and 20 minutes north east of Omak for geographic reference. The family trips to the ranch provided many pleasant memories including his first experience with a John Deere A. A picture of the A is in Jim's office at the Lynden dealership Jim attended Yakima Junior College and transferred to Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo in California where he graduated in agriculture engineering. Jim went into college wanting to be a cattle rancher and came out wanting to be a John Deere dealer. The college program had a group of new tractors that the students could operate and the

The Career

After college, Jim started work as a sales trainee at Webb Tractor, a Deere dealer in Yakima. This was 1968 at the height of the Viet Nam war and Jim got his draft notice. Rather than being drafted, Jim joined the U.S. Air Force and went through the pilot training program. After his "hitch" with the Air Force, Jim went back to Yakima and the dealership, which was now Simcoe Equipment. He was now hired as an industrial equipment salesman.

John Deeres were the most popular.

The next stage in his life took Jim to Lynden High School as an Ag teacher in 1973. Lynden Schools failed their levy and Jim got his lay off notice in

1976. Needing a job, Jim was able to land a sales job at North Washington Implement in the NAPA store location. Realizing his life dream he was able to buy out co owner Bernice Telgenhoff in 1980. The other co owner, Howard DeGraff, died of a heart attack in 1990 and Jim became the owner of North Washington Implement. In 1992 Jim bought 15 acres off the Guide Meridian Highway which is the current store location. In 1997 Whatcom Transit Authority purchased the land around Deere dealership and in 1998 the current dealership facility was opened. In 2010 the merger of Washington Tractor dealerships occurred. Deere wanted larger and fewer dealerships. Currently Washington Tractor has 4 locations in Eastern Washington and 8 in Western Washington.

Personal Tractor Stuff

Jim sold the last new 4020 in Washington State. He owns the spoker D that is one serial number away from Fred Polinder's JD D. John Spaan, owner of North Washington Implement in the 1940's and 50s, knew the tractor would be valuable some day and kept it at the dealership rather than selling. During a Germany Stihl factory tour in 1990s, Jim noticed a Stihl tractor on display. He wanted to buy the tractor but the Germans didn't want to sell. Stihl tractors were produced in Germany from 1948 to 1960. Stihl found a 1948 model and shipped it to Jim. That was the first Stihl tractor to make it to North America. Other tractors owned are models 4020, 1020 pink, 2510, 2155, 710, 990, 4320 and a 400c dozer. The continued on page 3

Prosidon

Internet Users! Check out our web site www.Cascadetwocylinderclub.

for pictures of club members in local events!

Need Magnetic Tractor Signs?

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

Need a Club Jacket?

Call Tom Jensen 360-661-0634

President's Message

It' been a busy summer with lots of activities starting with parades, first place at Lynden and Sedro Woolley and second place in Arlington. We also went to Burlington and a few to La Conner. The summer caravan was a big success starting at Greg Greenfield's home, then to the flight museum at Bayview airport, back to Greg's for a great lunch and out for a tractor run in the afternoon. Thanks Greg.

Lynden Show was good as usual, next was Belleville Threshing, Winthrop Vintage Wheels Show and last, Burlington Pumpkin Pitch. The only thing coming up is Veteran's Day parade in Burlington Nov. 9th. Mark your calendar for the Christmas dinner on Dec. 7th.

Our next meeting will be Oct. 19, 2019 at the Sedro Woolley Museum at 10:00 AM.

See you at the meeting.

Meeting Minutes

Cascade Two Cylinder Club Board of Director's Meeting

Board of Director's meeting held Sept. 25, 2019 at Paul Hieb's home.

Meeting called to order at 7:12 PM by Paul Hieb pres. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

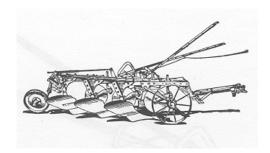
Treasurers Report: \$3081.12 on hand. We still have 35 unpaid members for 2019.

Old Business: Paul reviewed the past summer's events. Plow day and parades all went well. The caravan was great, with a 2 hour stop and tour of the Museum of Flight then a return back to Greg Greenfield's for lunch, then a tour around the Bay View area. There is nothing like seeing the countryside at tractor speed. Our thanks to Greg and Brenda for being this year's hosts, great job! The Lynden show was good as usual. We had 128 John Deere tractors. The Belleville Threshing turned out well. We threshed three wagon loads of barley then had a nice lunch, followed by Nels and his accordion for more entertainment.

New Business: The Pumpkin Pitch at Burlington's soccer fields Sept. 28, 2019. Veteran's Day Parade Nov. 9, 2019 at Burlington. December Pot Luck Dec. 7, 2019 at the Bay View Community Hall. We will need some items for the silent auction. Next general meeting Oct. 19, 2019 at the Sedro-Woolley Museum, 10 AM. Phil Smoots will talk about the show he attended in Grand Island Ne-

braska. The Gathering of the Green is scheduled for March of 2020

Meeting adjourned at 9:03 PM Ray Riggles, sec.



(Continued from page 1)

4020 is his favorite Deere. Jim likes to drive and operate tractors and does some basic maintenance. He owns a antique sheep wagon that has Montgomery Ward running gear.

The Ranch

Jim owns a portion of the ranch where he spent his childhood summers in Wauconda. It includes some hay ground, range land and homestead log cabins from the late 1800's and early 1900's. He makes 10 to 12 trips a year to the ranch which is not enough as far as he is concerned.

A big tip of the green and yellow hat to Jim Hale our 2019 Fall featured member. Jim has been a big supporter of our club!

- 7. Thou shalt not deceive thy wife into thinking that thou art taking her for a romantic Sunday drive when indeed, thou art going to look at another tractor.
- 8. Thou shalt not promise thy wife a new addition to thy house then use it to store tractors.
- 9. Thou shalt not tell thy spouse the entire cost of the restoration, at least not at the same time.
- 10. Thou shalt not buy the wife a floor jack for Christmas.

THERE'S A JOHN DEERE NEAR YOU-

HE WILL BE GLAD TO GIVE YOU FURTHER INFORMATION



FRIENDLY SERVICE

The Tractor Collector "10" Commandments

- 1. Thou shalt not store thy tractor out of doors, except for thy modern iron.
- 2. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbors tractor, nor his shop, nor his battery charger.
- 3. Thou shalt not love thy tractor more than the wife and children: as much, but not more.
- 4. Thou shalt not read Green Magazine on company time, for thy employer makes it possible to continue thy tool payments.
- 5. Thou shalt not despise thy neighbor's Farmall, nor his Yanmar nor even his 2N on steel.
- 6. Thou shalt not allow thy daughters nor thy sons to get married during the holy days of the national tractor convention.



Con, Jim and Connie inspecting Les' JD GP Vintage Farming Days– Lynden July 31 to August 3



"IT'S ONE OF THE BEST DEALS AVAILABLE FOR THE TRACTOR COLLECTOR!"

Separating the Chaff from the Grain

Woolley Western Days was a new event scheduled for August 17 in downtown Sedro Woolley. We are sorry to report that the event was canceled. Maybe next year!

Bellville Threshing Show August 24 went off without a "hitch" thanks to Oscar and Nels. Show started around 10:00 and was done by late noon. Three wagons of grain threshed. Great lunch and entertainment by Nels. Lots of hands on opportunities in the threshing process. Thanks Oscar and Nels!

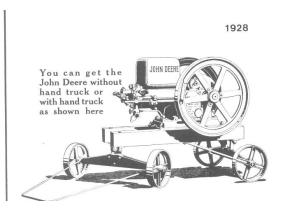
Winthrop Vintage Wheel Show September 7 was attended by Tom Jensen, Phil Smoots, Loren Dahl, Glen Reinstra and Bob Folk. This was a "long haul" for our local members but a fun camping trip. This is primarily a car and antique RV show but tractors are very welcome.

Burlington Pumpkin Pitch September 28 pulled in a record 8000 plus visitors according to event planner Christi Kinney. Phil Smoots, Dan LeFaber, Loren Dahl and Bob Folk entertained the kids with their tractors. Tom Jensen and Judy Cookson came by to cheer the group on for the 6 hour exhibit. Bob said that the weather was pretty good but rain during the night and ugly looking morning scared pumpkin pitchers away with only four or five attending but that didn't stop the kids. "It seemed like there was a million of them and the tractors got steered and shifted and more pictures taken than any time during the whole year even though they were parked". Bob continued "It was fun for all of us and if the kids remember when they get a little older, we will have done one of the things the club was founded for."

Antifreeze Time Time to check the antifreeze strength and remember that the thermal syphoning Deeres (non water pump type) won't mix the antifreeze and water unless you have gotten the engine warm. Don't forget to keep the batteries charged!

Membership Dues \$15/Year Please note! 2019 dues due January 1, 2019

Please send your 2019 dues to **Tom Jensen**, **202 Rainbow Drive**, **Burlington**, **WA 98233** or bring the money to the next meeting.





Ray sacking grain at Bellville Threshing

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 or equipment. Other non tractor antiques ok if brief.

For Sale 3 pt. 6' disk, very good condition and 5' JD brush hog type mower, Al Brinson, 360-708-6898
For Sale 2-11x36 tires weathered, clean inside with like new tubes \$100.00 for all, Paul Hieb 360-856-6210
For Sale . JD 24T baler, lots of new parts. Rebuilt by Mike at Barnett's. 190 bales since overhaul, no miss ties. Always stored inside. Great working vintage collector piece. Paper work for all work done. Would like \$5000.00 Or make me an offer. Bob Folk 360-376-4689 or rfolk@centurytel.net.

For Sale Restored #8W mower with a couple extra bars. It's a hyd. model to raise and lower bar. Needs to be registered and adjusted. \$450.00. Bob Folk 360-376-4689 or rfolk@centurytel.net

For Sale Tractor tie down brackets, Norm teSelle, 360-354-3036

For Sale Setting for 6– Gibson Amber Waves Pattern, Issued between 2004 and 2007. Picture of JD 730 in on each piece. 6 salad plates, 6 dinner plates, 6 soup/cereal bowls & coffee cups. Very light use, no chips. One coffee cup has a crack at bottom of handle, top OK. Very few replacement pieces available. Some pieces available on e-bay but are expensive selling separate. Asking \$250.00. Excellent collector pieces or for use. Bob Folk, rfolk @centureytel.net 360-376 -4689 or 360-378-7334

For Sale Snow chains for big rigs. 3 sets cable chains (new in box) 10.00/20 or 11.00/22.5 \$25/set New in bags: 1 set heavy duty double railers – real chain with grabber bars. 10.00/20 or 11.00/2.5 \$250/set Bob Folk: rfolk@centurytel.net Phone: 360-376-4689 or 360-378-7334

For Sale 1954 IH R-160 1 1/2 ton, 95% rubber, no rust, \$1500, Carl Sorensen, 360-856-1196

For Sale Toy collection, Carl Sorensen, 360-856-1196

For Sale John Deere 3 pt. disk (6ft) \$500, David Harrison, 360-708-7931

Wanted Governor and crank pulley for JD unstyled L, A. Johnson, 360 293-7953

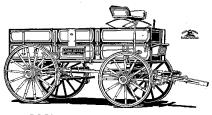
Wanted oil dip stick for M, Jim Alveshere, 425-226-6190

Wanted Pictures and information on JD LA tractor L-18 2-way plow, A. Johnson, 360-421-7953

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 webmaster@c2cc.org Alerd Johnson, 360.293.7953, editor@c2cc.org

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



JOHN DEERE WAGONS

Cascade Two Cylinder Club web address www.cascadetwocylinderclub.org



Web Master Curtis Johnson

Calendar of 2019 Events

October 19	
	Sedro Woolley, 10:00
	11:00 am Veteran's Day parade, Burlington
	•

For more details on event times and location, contact the club officers or boards members. Phone numbers listed on bottom of this page.

Club Officers and Board Members

360-421-0744

OFFICERS

President Paul Hieb 360-856-6210 Vice President Phil Smoots 360-466-3030 Tom Jensen Treasurer 360-661-0634 Secretary Ray Riggles 360-856-5752

BOARD MEMBERS

 Jeff Cowles
 360-652-2831
 Greg Greenfield
 360-661-4632

 Alerd Johnson
 360-293-7953
 David Harrison
 360-708-7931

 Norm Teselle
 360-354-3036
 Con Holleman
 360-739-2934

 Loren Dahl
 360-540-0771

The Cascade Two Cylinder Club Newsletter is the official newsletter of the Cascade 2 Cylinder Club and is published five times a year.

