

# The Line Shaft

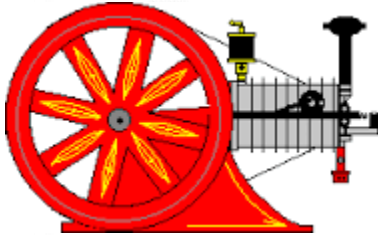
*The Official Newsletter of the*

**NORTH JERSEY ANTIQUE ENGINE & MACHINE CLUB INC.**

**January 2023**



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*Founded on October 15th, 1979 by: Arthur Goble, Fred W. Westbrook, John Snook, Roy Bischoff & Lewis Quince*

*The December 8th 2022 Meeting was held at the Fairgrounds Administration building.*

President, Chuck Klim, called the meeting to order, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag .

Minutes were read from last month's meeting by Sandy Betts

Treasurer, Linda Klim, reported general account and raffle account balances. Robert Triebel's expenses for the monthly newsletter was approved for payment. The club opened the shed during the German Christmas Festival for two of the three days. Sales of peanuts were very good, with two 50 lb. bags purchased and sold.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

The Christmas party is this Wednesday, December 14, 2022 at 5:00 pm. Food was discussed and also the Yankee Swap. Gift costs should be within \$15-\$20.00 if you want to participate, as in the past.

The addition of Tom Tunstead's name to our memorial plaque was discussed and will proceed.

Motion was made for the purchase a second peanut roaster from Blace Flatt for \$3,800.00. Members voted and unanimously approved.



Linda Klim discussed the American Doll that is raffled each year during the fair. She spoke of the book that accompanies the doll and thought it inappropriate for the age of the child that would receive this doll. The doll had originally been a very good representation of our society but now is perhaps becoming too explicit in its descriptions. The Club agreed with her view and motioned not to use this doll.

The Club's Facebook page was discussed and that it needs serious work.

It was mentioned Ginny from Campbell's Small Engines had contacted Sandy Betts via email that they had 4 antiques engines to donate to the Club. They would deliver them. Someone from Club is to contact either Ginny or Bill at Campbell's to get further information.

The motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Bill Castimore and Blace Flatt seconded.

**No monthly meeting or newsletter in January, February and March of 2023**

Our Web Address: [njaemc.org](http://njaemc.org)

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**AT the FAIRGROUND**  
**December 2nd, 3rd & 4th 2022**  
**The shed was open on Friday and Sunday...weather was poor on Saturday!**



**High traffic in the shed and peanut sales were excellent!**





An excellent turnout for the event!



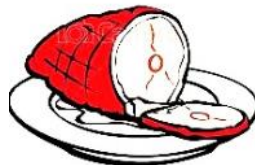


**Christmas Party  
December 14th 2022  
CONSERVATORY!**

*Baylee Kardos was again the MC  
for the annual Grab-Bag & Christmas  
Present Exchange!*



As always, a fun event with members enjoying time with family and friends and enjoying the club camaraderie. The food was plentiful and tasty. We would like to thank Sue Hansen for providing the Conservatory, Debbie Muys for coordinating the event, Linda Klim for providing and arranging the décor, Linda again for providing and in some cases making some of the table décor and grab-bag items, Blace Flatt for providing the turkey and ham, Melanie Kardos for taking the pictures,...and the other members, who contributed food and helped with the set-up and clean-up.



## NJAE&MC—Upcoming Events

**NO MEETINGS  
IN JANUARY, FEBRUARY and  
maybe MARCH (?) of 2023!  
Also, no newsletter...**

*We received a donation of \$500.00 in memory of Tom Tunstead, from his widow...  
THANK YOU Mary Ann...and an additional \$50.00 from Doris & Dave Cooper!*



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