

#### The October 10<sup>th</sup> meeting was held at the Club Shed!

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

No club meeting minutes were read as there has been no meetings since July.

Linda Klim reported the general and raffle account balances. All bills have been paid. Linda reviewed the most <sup>2</sup> recent reimbursements made to select members for supplies for the annual picnic, shed improvements, engine repairs, paper bags for peanuts, and also the last payment to Selective Insurance. On that note, Linda suggested it

was time to shop around, as our policy costs approximately \$1,900.00. She said Mike Richards is checking into what the Fairgrounds covers.

Club sales profit during Fair Week were reported: Hats \$395.00; Donations \$594.00; Brooms \$685.00; Shirts \$740.00; Peanuts \$4,307.00; Quilt (to date) \$441.00; Doll (to date) \$290.38 and Tractor (to date) \$350.00. Chuck thanked everyone who volunteered during the State Fair.

Treasurers' minutes were motioned for approval by Brian Kardos and 2nd by Mary Boutillette

**NEW BUSINESS:** The Club will be involved with *German Christmas Festival*, which runs from December 1st through 3rd. The winning raffle tickets will be drawn then. Annual report has been paid, \$33.00.

The *Honey and Garlic Show* will be held at the Fairgrounds on Saturday, October 21<sup>st.</sup> from 10:00-4:00. They have requested a tractor and wagon to give rides; last year we used two tractors and wagons.

In an effort to save money, it was voted (11 to 4) to send the Club Newsletter via email to those providing correct emails addresses. This will be tried for the next couple of months. Those who do not have emails will still receive newsletter via US mail. The Club Secretary requested everyone to please verify their email addresses.

Chuck Klim requested members to come to the shed, Saturday, Oct 21<sup>st</sup> @ 10:00 a.m. weather permitting, to winterize the shed.

The Christmas party is scheduled for Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> in the Conservatory. Set up is 5:00 p.m. and the party will start at 7:00 p.m.

Club elections...we will be setting up a Nominating Committee for Officers & Directors...the actual vote will be at the first meeting in 2024.

There was a discussion regarding Mr. Schaffer, who drew up the plans for the shed addition and saved us considerable money. It was agreed a gift certificate for \$100.00 to Stillwater Café would be given to him.

Shed kitchen renovations were discussed, including a new sink, refrigerator, and new storage area. Bill Castimore mentioned painting the outside of the building. Electrical updates are also needed. Contacting JCP&L was suggested as they will replace the lighting free for commercial use and a Club Member works for Coopers Electric and said he would look into helping. Linda's contact, who will aid in application for a grant to make these renovations, will be coming out next week to look at the shed.

The motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Steve Boutillette and seconded by Brian Kardos.

This and future NEWSLETTERS will be sent via email... If you prefer a printed copy, contact CKUCK KLIM! If you received this as a printed copy, we do not have your email address or you have already express a printed copy preference!

#### Our next meeting will be November 9th, a Thursday, at the Administration Bldg.

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## **AMERICAN TRUCK HISTORICAL SOCIETY** METRO JERSEY CHAPTER TRUCK SHOW OCTOBER 1, 2023 at the FAIRGROUNDS!









The weather was exceptionally good, compared with the mess we have been having!









# Lafayette Day

October 8th 2023



The LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT Set up their fire truck for the local kids to get some HOSE TIME in!











# Members Attending with Equipment!

Chuck Klim....Oliver Row-Crop 77 Blace Flatt...Oliver 77 Jeff Skewes...Economy 1614 QTY. 2 Bill Castimore...International 444 Jack Snook...Mack Super-Liner James LeDonne...IH McCormick 450 Sue Van Sickle...Chevrolet Pick-up

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And the BIG ONE: A little mud, but

NO RAIN



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## NJAE&MC—Upcoming Events

# **NEXT** Meeting:

7pm November 9th at the Administration Bldg.

# **Future Events:**

#### German Christmas Market

Fairgrounds Dec. 1st, 9am-9pm 2nd, 9am-10pm & 3rd, 9am-5pm

#### **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Tuesday, December 19th at 5pm for set-up...party begins at 7pm



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