## HELIANANEWS

September 2014

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### DIRECTORS:

At the August meeting the club reelected Joan Fry for another term on the board, Amanda Hobbs and Dave Sims replace Ed Grubb and Kenny Short. On August 25" the board met and voted: President —Tom Swanson, 1st Vice President — Don Bodine, 2nd Vice President — Don Evans, Sec-Treasurer — Doris Manlief. Next month's newsletter will have a complete list of directors and phone numbers.

#### NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting of the Illiana Antique Power Assoc. will be Monday - September 15th at 6:30 P.M. at the clubhouse. Bring a dish to pass for our carry-in dinner. All members are encouraged to attend to finalize plans for our Fall History Day.

#### DON'T FORGET YOUR DUES:

Reminder that club dues for 2014—2105 are due! Send \$20.00 to: Doris Manlief, 3618 Donna Dr., Lafayette, In. 47905 Make checks payable to: Illiana Antique Power Assoc.

## **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**September 26, 2014** – HISTORY DAY **December 5th & 6th, 2014** – CHRISTMAS in the VILLAGE



It's coming again!! Friday, September 26, 2014 we are expecting about 400 kids from Benton, Warren and Fountain Counties. Kids should arrive about 8:30-9:00 A.M. and the grounds will be quiet about 2:30 P.M. It would be really nice if we all could dress in costume?? Lunch for workers will be provided. "Special diet"...better bring your own.

Quilters are ready to go with their 4 patch blocks. They have made, stamped and strung the bags. (Thanks again, Ladies!!) Now we need to fill them...how about trying to do it about 5:30 P.M. before the next meeting on September 15th?? It should go quickly. Don Evans obtained 400 notebooks from the Matthews Grain Bin Systems. It never hurts to ask, and, Don did! Amanda Hobbs has a duplicate set of postcards sent to her when the others did not arrive on time so each bag will have one of our special postcards. Joan Fry will have the rest of the stuff ready to go. If weather is good we may work outside on the big picnic table.

Lunch at History Day will be organized by Bob and Kaaren Parsell. Thanks a bunch to them for stepping up. Doris should be on the coffee pot as usual. Carol and Ted Stout will not be available that day. It looks like we will still have a good showing in the blacksmith area. Rob Durrett, Dan Michaels, Cory (Sorry, can't remember last name) and Brad McCormick will be there. Thanks to guys who take off work to help us keep history alive.

Kim and Kenny are planning on doing the store if health permits.

Pat and Ed Grubb are doing the washing.

Bob Folk is in the post office.

Cecil Krebs will be our Bee man again.

Joan Fry will be in the schoolhouse.

Tom Swanson is in the scale house.

The Byroads Crew are doing the shelling and grinding of the corn.

Helen Petty is on for folding paper cups.

## NEED SOMEONE TO STEP UP FOR THE POPCORN. (Machine is fixed..still borrowing one from Sterling church.)

Becky Evans and Ginny Sayler are doing the kitchen. I think they have some new things planned along with the usual cornbread, honey, maple syrup, etc. Hopefully, we will have apples and a cider mill to use. Save us some washed milk jugs to put the juice in. We will need extra people at this station. VOLUNTEERS??

New this year...we have contacted the NICHES folks who control the conservancy land grant just behind our grounds. They will have people here at History Day to talk about plants and animals getting ready for winter. Teachers will sign up when they arrive and then we will transport the kids back on a schedule. Joe Fry has volunteered to haul the kids on a hay wagon so Art Petty can keep the people mover going between stations.

Trains should be running. Each child will receive a ticket in their bag. The train guys are fantastic!! Call Finny (765-832-2238) or Terry Bodine (765-294-2768) with questions for them. The Bodine's steam engines should be steamed up! Whistles blowing!...thanks to Mel in the train museum and the Bodine's. Hope Terry can also run his "block and tackle" demo as well as the Canal Display.

If you see any mistakes or have any questions, please call Joan Fry (865-869-5406) or Dave Sims (765-585-1389).

SEE YOU THERE!!!

### Camping:

Just a reminder to everyone: Camping will be available in conjunction with History Day and Fun Day. (Fun Day will be discussed at the meeting in more detail.) This could be the last time some of us have our campers out for the year. We always have a lot of fun when we have a camp-out. So, come on out and enjoy the great friendships of our club. Thanks, Kenny Short (Call Kenny for more details — 765-583-2991.)







## TRI-COUNTY QUILTERS NEWS:

#### SUBMITTED BY: DIANA LUECK

The Tr-County Quilters met on Monday, August 25th at the Pine Village Fire Protection Community Room. There were six members present and four guests. We had three members not with us today. One had a family member in the hospital and two members had surgery. Our prayers are with them. Our group is ready for History Day in September. All the bags are made as well as the 4 patches we will be handing out to the students that day. Our project for the day was a 1600 inch quilt that our teacher, Joan Fry, led the class. Most of the group finished before going home. All the quilt tops were pretty and unique!





Thanks to Cheri Krug, the Illiana Antique Power Assoc. now has a facebook page!
"LIKE US" on facebook!! https://www.facebook.com/illianaantiquepower



Pictures are available for FREE online at: https://flic.kr/s/ aHsjZkiRqM

If you are interested in a CD, they will be for sale at the monthly meetings for \$5 while supplies last.



## **ROCKY FORGE BLACKSMITH NEWS:**

SUBMITTED BY: TED STOUT

Tis the season of festivals and events pulling our attention in all directions. The blacksmiths have so many conflicts this time of the year it is hard to choose. With the Illiana History Day coming September 261h, the largest gathering of blacksmith in the country also occurs on that date in Troy, Ohio (SOFA). It is with regret that many of us will miss the History Day in favor of SOFA; however, with such a strong membership force in the Rocky Forge group we will have the History Day covered to a great extent. Whew!! The next meeting of the blacksmiths will be at Ted's shop on September 13th and will be an open forge time to have fun working on our pet projects. Also, we will attempt to palletize some of the smaller parts to the machinery that has already been moved to the Illiana Shop and get the stuff ready to accept winter conditions without damage. Be sure to bring your tool bucket and items for iron in the hat. I do not know whether Dan and Margie will be here with coal.

For lunch we will travel about 3 miles east of my shop and eat at the "Quaker Fair" being held at the old "Farmer's Institute Friends Church". This is a unique setting that I trust you will all enjoy. At the fair they will be serving bean soup, fried potatoes, coleslaw and cornbread. The meal is \$5.00 and pie is a separate cost. On display will be old tractors, quilts, a history of the church every hour and music. Hope to see a good crowd at this meeting. We will have coffee and doughnuts starting at 8:30. See you all then. Ted





## **Christmas in the Village:**

Christmas in the Village is "just around the corner". If anyone has any Christmas lights, artificial trees, decorations, etc. you don't want any more please bring to the clubhouse....we'll put them to good use!

## TRACTOR TRIVIA:

- (1) McCormick and Deering merged in 1902 and formed what company?
- (2) When Harry Ferguson was experimenting with his first two-bottom plow that was raised and lowered, it was not attached to a tractor. What was it attached to?



## HAVE A SAFE HARVEST!

#### Welcome BACK!

We'd like to welcome back Ed Dalton — Zionsville, In. to the club! (We missed you))

## Take time...

WE HOPE EVERYONE TOOK A MOMENT TO REMEMBER ALL WHO LOST THEIR LIVES ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF 9-11. AND, WE SALUTE ALL THE MEN & WOMEN IN UNIFORM!

HARVEST IS "JUST AROUND THE CORNER". WATCH FOR ALL THOSE TRACTORS AND **COMBINES ON THE** 

2. A Model T Ford 1. International Harvester Trivia Answers: