

Iowa Chapter 5 Newsletter



International Harvester Collectors

January 2020

Iowa - Chapter 5 Winter Meeting

**Reinig/Toledo Civic Center
1007 S. Prospect Drive
Toledo, IA**

**When: January 18th
Meal at Noon with Meeting to Follow
Speaker: Francis Edeker with
Operation Lifesaver**

Cost of Meal: \$12 for Adults
\$6 for kids ages 6 to 12
Free for kids 5 and Under
Call Diane Caloud for
Reservations 319-479-2486
dkcaloud@fctc.coop



Upcoming Events:

Reservations **MUST** be made by
January 10th, 2020

- ❑ **February 13-15, 2020** - IHCC Winter Convention , Winston-Salem, NC - Check out their website for more information: <http://ihcollectorsnc42.com/events/>
- ❑ **June 25-27, 2020** - HCC National Red Power Roundup, Huron South Dakota - Check out their website for more information: <http://www.redpowerroundup2020.com/>
- ❑ **July 25-26, 2020** State Show at Brown Farm Pioneer Days in Central City, Iowa - FREE GATE - Open 10:00 am to 5:00 pm *“Take a Walk Back in Time” (Check our website for more information.)*
- ❑ **July 1-3, 2021** - IHCC National Red Power Roundup, DuQuoin, IL -
- ❑ **August 6-8, 2021** - State Show in Albert City, Iowa (more information coming)
- ❑ 2022 State Show will be held in Belmond, IA (more information coming)
- ❑ **June 23-25, 2022** - IHCC National Red Power Roundup, Springfield, OH - Check their Facebook page for more information

Welcome Everyone!

President's Message:

Hello IH enthusiasts!

The wet weather and early cold temperatures made for a challenging fall. I worked a record number of hours at Colfax Tractor, as the season journeyed nearly until Thanksgiving. Helping my father with repairs and hauling grain made for long days and short nights. I hope that everyone completed their fall work without incident.

Cascade was the destination for the fall meeting. The weather was really nice compared to the majority of days this fall. Those who attended were rewarded with a wonderful meal provided by the Cascade FFA. The Bruns and McComber families had a nice display of IH equipment outside. Local merchants a generous amount of nice door prizes. Thank you to James Bruns for organizing the meeting.

Mark your calendars and plan to attend the winter meeting in Toledo on January 18th. The director election will be held. Francis Edeker with Operation Lifesaver will be our guest speaker. The final belt buckle from the 2017 Roundup, #11 of 625 will be auctioned off. Hope to see everyone there!

I will close with an invitation to everyone to volunteer as you are able. We are looking for a location to hold the spring meeting. We are also in need of volunteers to take over the merchandise sales. Please consider whether you can help the club. Contact myself or a board member. It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve as your president the last 2 years.

Chapter 5 President -

Aaron Wade



Membership Matters!

We currently have as of December 1, 2019, 455 active members.

Your membership runs from May to May, please find in the newsletter a renewal form if you wish to renew now.

Duane and I hope all of you are having a great holiday season and we hope your 2020 is filled with good health and happiness.

Please make sure to keep us up to date on address and email changes. If I can help in any way with your membership please let me know. Hope to see all of you at the January meeting.

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CHAPTER 5 NAME BADGES

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Minutes of Last Meeting:

International Harvest Collectors

Club Iowa Chapter #5

November 9, 2019

Cascade, Iowa

- **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order by President Aaron Wade, Welcome to all who attended, thank you's to the Cascade FFA Chapter for a great meal and to hosts Bill and Nancy McComber, and the Bruns Family. Followed by Pledge of Allegiance and board introductions.
- Minutes from previous meeting were read by secretary Schaefer, motion to approve by Craig Wessels, second by James Bruns; approved.
- Treasurer's Report, Calvin Mennenga, as of October 31, 2019. Beginning checkbook balance: \$8,081.93. Interest \$1.69, Membership \$125.00, Total Income \$126.69, Sub Balance \$8,081.92. Expenses: National Dues \$195.00, CPA Fees \$450.00, Newsletter \$122.69, Total Expenses \$767.69. Ending Checkbook Balance: \$7,440.93, Outstanding checks \$195.00, Statement Balance \$7,635.93. Restricted Funds \$121,844.29, Unrestricted Funds \$10,011.06, CD-Matures 1/7/2020 \$101,792.45 at 2.36% Interest; CD-Matures 7/30/2020 \$22,621.97 at 2.00% Interest. Checkbook Balance \$7,440.93 Total Monies \$131,855.35. A Question was raised regarding the purpose of the restricted funds, these funds are to be used for such things as scholarships and grants, not general use. Motion to approve by Joe Shay, second by Jim Blunt, Approved. Marshalltown show, was a great show and well attended, great display of equipment.
- 2020 Summer Show, report by Bob Girhing location Brown Farm Pioneer Days 2020, Central City July 25-26. Two members will attend our January meeting. Sarah Grief gave a report about the show.
- 4-H Grant, Ray Cook, there were 16 participants statewide, Ray stated he will stay on as the club representative at least one more year. He brought the picture boards for all to look at.
- State Fair Parade, Jeff reported communication didn't get out as he would have liked, hope to have a better turn out in the future.
- Newsletter/Website: 2700 hits a month, deadline for newsletter December 8th. Richard Brandhorst auction November 16th will be posted on site. Board candidates photos and bios by December 8th. She also stated that the Forest City show will be June 5-7 this year.
- Merchandise: No numbers till January, look ahead for future direction for the club merchandise.
- Membership: Karen, 457 active members please update address changes, especially the snow birds.
- Scholarship: Linelle, read a thank you from Haley, Ashley Wessels was present to thank the club, is a Ag Business student at Hawkeye Community College.
- National Board: Joe Neville conveys that Darrell Darst editor of the Harvester Highlights passed away unexpectedly, at this time his wife will continue to work the magazine. North Carolina Chapter 42 is hosting the Winter Convention, looking forward for members to attend, lots of events and touring things to take in IH Archives getting things moving forward, Dick Forster gave an overview of Winter Convention. RPRUP 2020 in Huron, SD. Send in National Board ballots, postmark by November 22.

- Club Elections will be in January, Rod Richardson and Gene Putz are up and intend to run again, also Rob Eldred is running.
- RPRUP 2024; Iowa State Fair Grounds, looks as though during the time frame possibly could be sharing venue with another event.
- New Business; Spring meeting, anyone interested or have ideas for a place let Aaron know. Special thanks to James Bruns for his help hosting the meeting and getting local businesses to donate the raffle prizes.

Motion to adjourn by Jim Blont, second by Amy Wade at 2:10 pm
 Respectfully submitted,
 Paul Schaefer, Secretary

For IH Chapter 5 Club Merchandise

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L O V E P E A C E H O P E

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COLLECTORS - IOWA CHAPTER #5

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM

DATE: _____

DUES: Make check out to IHC Chapter #5 - TOTAL \$25.00 (\$15 to National & \$10.00 to State Chapter)

Membership No's if known: National _____ State _____

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIPCODE: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

If you belong to another IH Collector Chapter, please indicate your home chapter _____

Email: _____ Address Change: yes no

Iowa Chapter Membership term is from May 1, through April 30th. Dues are payable now to the Iowa Chapter, IH Collectors. Dues are \$25.00 total. Your National renewal will be forwarded to the National Membership Committee by your state chapter. Mail your dues today to:

IH collectors - Membership Chairman:

Karen Reiter, 5402 Norse Drive, Cedar Falls, IA 50613
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Robert A. "Bob" Macomber

June 1, 1945-December 10, 2019

BLUE GRASS-Robert A. "Bob" Macomber, 74, of Blue Grass, Iowa, was welcomed into Heaven on Tuesday, December 10, 2019, while at Clarissa C. Cook Hospice House in Bettendorf, Iowa.

A Celebration of Bob's Life is planned for Sunday, December 15, from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. at the Buffalo Community Center, 426 Clark St., Buffalo, Iowa. Dinner will be served. In true fashion on Bob's tastes, the family asks that you come dressed comfortably and enjoy in the sharing of the many stories of how Bob touched our lives with his humor and extensive knowledge. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family for later designation.

Bob was born in Cascade, Iowa, on June 1, 1945, to C. William "Bill" and Hilda (Felton) Macomber. He grew up in Buffalo, where he attended school through 8th grade. Buffalo students were transported to Bettendorf for the 9th-12th grades. He graduated there in 1963.

JoAnn Patty and Bob were united in marriage in Des Moines, Iowa, on June 21, 1975. They built a life together with their two children, Sarah and Paul, full of love and laughter. Bob formally worked at Farmall, J.I. Case, Occidental, and the Masonic Health Systems before retiring. He had a great passion for his disc sharpening and mobile welding business for area farmers.

He had a great love for his family, but also loved the Iowa Hawkeyes, and the Chicago Cubs and Bears. He enjoyed crossword puzzles and reading books on history.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, JoAnn; children, Sarah (Rick) Detjens of Blair, Nebraska, and Paul Macomber of Coralville, Iowa; grandchildren, Grace and Zachary of Blair; sister, Ella (Dennis) Johns of League City, Texas; brother, Charles William (Nancy) Macomber of Cascade; brother-in-law, Don (Tracy) Patty of Raleigh, North Carolina; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; in-laws, Carroll and Opal Patty; and dear friend, Steve Saur.

Robert was a member of the Iowa Chapter 5 and brother to Bill Macomber, please keep them in your prayers at this difficult time.



Newsletter:

I want to thank you for all of the information sent in for this newsletter.

If anyone has any articles or photos for the newsletter and website, please send them to:

IH Collectors – Chapter #5
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FOR SALE:

1945 Farmall A

Serial #134336 Looks Original

Body Show Painted

Wayne Koos 515-298-2735

FOR SALE: Licensed International Harvester & Farmall Scrapbook Papers!

Contact: Pam Olson – Iowa Subtle Imagery www.iowasubtleimagery.com

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Rob Eldred:

I am Rob Eldred, I've lived in Newton my whole life where I help on the family farm and I recently took over our custom baling operation as well. I work at Jeldwen doors in Grinnell where I am a CNC Operator. I have a 1949 Farmall M that I am in process of restoring.

Rod Richardson:

Rod lives in Tama, IA with his wife Cindy. They have two children Denice, who lives in Mechanicville, and Calvin who lives in Tama. He runs his own farming operation for more than 20 years and also restores and repairs old equipment. He has been a member of the club since 2012 and enjoys collecting toy farm equipment He has a passion for farming and IH equipment. He wants to see the club grow and make it a great organization.



Gene Putz:



Gene has been a member of Chapter 5 since 2000 and has attended most of the state shows and Red Power Roundups since then. I live in Lacona and have worked for 23 years at the Hy-Vee truck shop in Chariton. I currently do about 100 acres of hay every year for myself and neighbors and a few acres of row crops using almost all IH equipment. Some of my implements include 816, 1290 mower conditioners, 20 hay trailer, 1 corn picker and an 80 combine. I learned to drive on a 404 utility raking hay that my grandpa Miller bought new and how to work on tractors from my dad Bernard that worked for IH dealers in Lacona and Indianola before opening his own shop. If elected I will work to continue to promote Chapter 5 and the great IH legacy.

FOR SALE:

Manufactured water jug fender bracket \$38 each plus \$6 shipping

Contact: Bill Anderson
1158 O Ave.
Traer, IA 50675

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ADVERTISING:

FOR SALE: Older IH and IHC Memorabilia. Specializing in wrenches and toolboxes from the 1970's

Contact: Bill Anderson
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2020 Voting Ballot

Vote for 3 candidates!

Rod Richardson

Gene Putz

Rob Eldred

Write In _____

IHC Chapter #5 2020 Board of Directors

For the January 2020 election of Directors there are 3 candidates for 3 seats.

You have two ways of voting:

MAIL:

Cut out the ballot above and mail by January 15th to:

Aaron Wade
745 – 310th Ave.
Grinnell, IA 50112

OR

Winter Meeting:

Cut out the ballot above and bring it to the Winter Meeting at Toledo on January 18th, 2020

Remember you must bring this ballot as there will be no ballots at the meeting!

Bios for each candidate are included in this January 2020 newsletter.

IHC Newsletter
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