



ARIZONA FLYWHEELERS

4th Quarter NEWSLETTER 2017



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

We are in the holiday season and now is the time for us to reflect on our blessings and be thankful that we live in this great country. Hope you all had a great Thanksgiving and will have a Merry Christmas with Family and Friends.

On behalf of the members of the club we would like to thank Jim Mager for his many years of service as president. Thank you Jim

Jim Radley volunteered to fill the vice president position. Thanks Jim and thanks to Barry and Joan for continuing on as members of the board.

Gary Covert

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President Mager has retired



CLUB MERCHANDISE

BADGES	\$9.50
HATS	\$10.00
TEE SHIRTS	\$20.00
XL	\$22.00

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August 2nd, Meeting

- Meeting called to order at 6:55am by President Mager. Minutes were read and approved.
- The finance report was given with resultant balance of \$7954.91 with major outlay for insurance.
- Vice President Covert went to the Beat the Heat in Flagstaff. He stated there were 6 engines, 15 tractors and a low attendance.
- There were no illness reports and it was commented the Gene De Camp is doing alright.
- Steve Fiedler said our people mover could be used at Slide Rock event and that they would provide the required insurance. It is believed that the people mover could fit on one of our trailers.
- Watson Lake event will take place August 5th weekend.
- Steve Fiedler further stated that he will need help with the kiddie tractor pull as he will be involved with driving the people mover.
- Henry Miller will have an Auction in Parks on September 9th. A motion was made and approved for a possible engine purchase for the March show. The purchase must be less than \$600 and that it is running condition.
- It was requested that we have our officer election in November as President Mager and Vice President Covert will be absent in October.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35am.

September 7th, Meeting

- With the Absence of President Mager and Vice President Covert, Secretary Barry Adico chaired the meeting. Minutes were taken by Joan Miller.
- Meeting called to order at 7am. Minutes were read and approved.
- Finance report from Joan Miller. As of August 1st we have a balance of \$7652.13.
- There were no ill members reported.
- Coy Streetman passed on a message from Baylen Mineer who is now attending school in Tucson. Baylen thanked the Flywheelers for everything he learned by being a member and said it was a big factor in his life.
- There was a brief discussion as to whether Jim and Gary would be present at the October meeting. Joan and Carol Miller will not be at the October meeting since they will be in Canada.
- There was no old business to be followed up on.

Meeting adjourned at 7:05am

Annual Club Dues

Membership dues are payable by January 1st. Make checks payable to the Arizona Flywheelers, P.O.Box 2012 Cottonwood, AZ 86326.

October 4th, Meeting



- Called to order at 7 AM by President Mager. Incorrect copy of minutes was provided resulting in minutes not being read
- Finance report was given with resultant balance of \$7599.60. A donation was made to the Parkinson foundation in the name of Rosalie Adico.
- There was a letter from the State Parks regarding our people mover and lack of insurance liability. We had already voted not to use the mover as a result.
- Window stickers were discussed ; Richard Lahti advised we are unable to obtain stickers locally with a clear back ground. Richard further stated that he found a site on line stickers for \$.94 per 100 without a logo. He also found we could purchase ones with our logo and clear back ground for \$1.86 per 100 and is waiting for a sample to be sent. He will advise at our next meeting.
- Fall festival at the fairgrounds is October 28 at 9 AM. Our lunch will be from KFC.
- There is a Buckeye show on October 7th.
- President told of his Indiana trip.
- Joe Nightingale is working on our raffle engine and says it will be ready for the show.
- Don Meakin said his donated engine was running when he donated it. A thank you card will be sent.
- There was no purchase at the Henry Miller auction for a raffle engine.
- We will have our elections at the next meeting as VP Covert will be back. Steve Fiedler announced again the Slide Rock even on October 21.

Meeting adjourned at 7:18 AM

Buckeye Mineral Show

Several members attended the Buckeye Mineral Show at the invitation of Tom Trainor and several other members of the Phoenix club. It was a hot day for Jack and Troy, but the locals found it a comfortable October event. A real treat was the small cotton-gin brought to this small show by Bill and his demonstration was one of the best we have ever seen. A few newly acquired engines were on display by Tom Trainer, Bill Trainor, and Buster Brown. A lot of time talking under the protection of a canopy and a nice lunch from the BBQ vendor that we have seen at other valley events, yum.

Jack Castimore

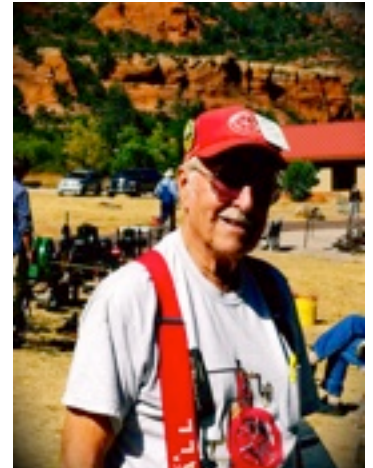
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Slide Rock State Park Apple Festival

As the sun came over the rocks, it began to warm up, and the jackets came off for a nice day at the annual Apple Festival. Antique engines small and large arrived along with a few tractors. The folks gathered to tell stories and talk about the engines that they had and those they wish they had bought years ago. The visitors arrived for both the fall festival and the slide rock swimming activities. It was a delightful way to spend a warm Saturday. Gary, Gene, and Leo arrived with Large engines, two new purchases this year. And our new member arrived with two Maytag engines, which allowed Bob Peacock to assist him getting them started. And for the AZ Flywheelers there was free ice cream at the local store as a thank you for our attendance at this annual event.

Jack Castimore



Slide Rock State Park Apple Festival continued



Verde Valley Fairground Fall Festival

Several of our members displayed engines at the Verde Valley Fairgrounds Fall Festival Oct 28th. Paul Joens handled the tractor pulling and as usual put on a good show. The weather was great. The club bought Fried chicken and the fixings for all the members in attendance. A good time by all was enjoyed. Gary Covert





New Member

Dan Bradford Parks, AZ

Event Calendar

- 63rd Annual Cottonwood Christmas Parade, December 2nd featuring tractors, floats, bands, old cars, marching groups and, of course, Santa Claus. Start at the Verde Valley Fairgrounds at 10am.
- Annual Christmas Dinner, Sunday December 10th 6:00 pm at Randall's in Cottonwood. The cost is \$10. per person; dinner choices are Turkey or Ham. Please specify your preferences of entree when mailing your reply no later than November 24th. For those who wish to donate to the Old Town Mission; cash, non perishable food, or needed supplies. A box will be set up to collect the items. (A value of \$10. Please) For those who wish to participate we will have gift exchange (value \$10.). Please mark gift for man or woman.
- Early Days Gas Engine & Tractor Association Branch 206 - Southwest Forgotten Iron 9th Annual Show and Swap Meet January 19th, 20th & 21st, 2018. Directions: Take I-8 east from Yuma 29 miles to exit 30 (Wellton). Turn north, follow signs east of Wellton to Hwy 80 to the Wellton-Mohawk Irrigation/Drainage District show grounds 30570 East Wellton-Mohawk Drive Wellton, AZ. Contact Daryll Lipp 602 568 8155 or Robert Campbell 928 503 1256 for more info.

- AEDGETA Tractor & Engine show Sahuaro Ranch Park February 10th & 11th, 2018. Glendale, AZ Contact Len Lawson 602-7621951 [http:// www.aedgeta.org/](http://www.aedgeta.org/)
- AEDGETA Tractor & Engine show Apache Junction March 10th & 11th, 2018 Apache Junction, AZ Contact Len Lawson 602-7621951
- Arizona Flywheelers Annual Engine & Tractor Show. March 16th & 17th, 2018 - 9am to 4pm. Verde Valley Fairgrounds, Cottonwood, AZ Contact Gary Covert 928 639 1453 or Jim Radley 928 899 5688
- [http:// www.aedgeta.org/](http://www.aedgeta.org/) • California Antique Farm Equipment Show April 20th - 22nd. AgriCenter Showgrounds Tulare, CA www.antiquefarmshow.org

Classifieds

- For Sale - 1950 John Deere MT Single front wheel, great condition, sold new by Arizona Machinery. \$2800 Call Steve 928 300 0855 cell
- For Sale 1952 John Deere AR, nice condition, starts easy. \$3,800 1944 John Deere B, very nice, PTO, 12 volt lights, no dents, excellent tires, & flywheel start. \$2,500. Contact David Fohr 928 476 3623 or E-mail--fohrfolks@hotmail.com
- Ford 7N - plow - grader, 1953 Ford Jubilee - bucket -front disc - gannon & plow, 1957 Cat D4. Call for prices. Contact Art Lynch 928 567 0700
- For sale; Hercules 2 cylinder, on cart. Rebuilt starter 7 & radiator - \$750.00 Fairbanks Morse 2 hp Z, mag, on cart - \$650.00 John Deere LUC, mag, on cart - \$750.00 Cushman Cub project, no mag, new rings, buzz coil, head gasket, valves ground, gas tank & check valves cleaned, no cart - \$250.00 Fairbanks Morse Z, runs no cart - \$475. Contact Bob Peacock 928 646 6749.
- Engines for sale, 3 to 50 HP 10-5 to 48, rare to common, English to USA for info Call Don Anderson 926 776-4330
- For Sale John Deere 720 gas R/C; S#7218262; 3 PT orig top-link wheel weights spine-out rims PS fenders new R/M new paint \$7500. John Deere 620 gas R/C; S#6211586; 3 PT orig top-link R/M new tires, new paint, PS \$6500. Contact Don Graham 928-639-0531

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Secretary Barry Adico	928 634 4490

Please visit our website - www.arizonaflywheelers.com

Meeting Schedule

January 3rd, 2018
February 7th, 2018
March 7th, 2018
April 4th, 2018
May 2nd, 2018

If you have attended or participated in a show and would like to see an article about it in the newsletter? Please submit it to the editor - Rich Lahti 1101 S.10th Street Cottonwood, AZ 86326 or rlahti@gmail.com

The Arizona Flywheelers breakfast meeting is held at 7 am on the first Wednesday of every month at Denny's Restaurant in Cottonwood, AZ

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Dues are 15.00 dollars per year. Badges are \$9.50 each, Hats are \$10.00 and Tee shirts are \$20.00 XL \$22.00. Order from Arizona Flywheelers, P.O.Box 2012 Cottonwood, AZ 86326. Make checks payable to Arizona Flywheelers. Thank you