

Northern Indiana Historical Power Assoc.
Sunset Hill County Park, Valparaiso IN
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www.nihpa.org



Dear NIHPA Members,

Spring 2010

Thank you for your interest in the Northern Indiana Historical Power Association. General membership meetings are held the last Wednesday of each month from March through October. Directors' meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month throughout the entire year, and the general membership is welcome to attend. Each member and spouse is encouraged to vote at the annual election of officers held the last Wednesday in October. All meetings will be held in the at Sunset Hill Farm County Park.

NIHPA is always in need of **member participation** in various areas. If you are interested in a particular work activity, or serving on a committee (below), please contact any Officer or Director. Please consider sending articles, reports, or pictures to be included on the NIHPA website. You may also use the website if you are looking to sell or buy farm-related items. E-mail your information to nihpamembership@yahoo.com or mail to PO Box 2803, Chesterton, IN 46304.

In an effort to keep expenses down, please provide us with your **email address**, so we can email newsletters, reminders, and updated club information. As always, your best source of information is to attend the membership meetings.

Find more club information, check the website: www.nihpa.org or contact me at nihpamembership@yahoo.com or 219-465-1109. We look forward to your participation and input for the coming year.

Deb Armstrong
NIHPA Membership

Important Upcoming Dates in 2010:

Tractor Pull and Swap Meet: Saturday, July 17th, 2010

34th Annual Fall Harvest Festival and Antique Equipment Show:

September 24, 25 and 26, Featuring All Brand Crawler Type Tractors,
David Bradley Equipment, and Fairbanks Engines

2010 Membership Meetings (all begin at 7:30pm):

April 28, May 26, June 30, July 28, August 25, September 29, and October 27.

2010 Directors' Meetings (all begin at 7:30pm, all members welcome to attend):

April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, and October 13.

Officers:

President: Jerry Y. Wise
Secretary: Clinton Rigg

Vice President: Mark Payne
Treasurer: Phyllis Wise

Directors:

2009-2010 Directors: Sheldon Miller, Clinton Rigg, Mark Payne, Nancy Howton, Fred Armstrong

2010-2011 Directors: Drew Armstrong, Deb Armstrong, Jerry O. Wise, Jack Kashak, Nick Misch

2010 Harvest Festival Flea Market & Crafts

Nancy Howton 219-464-7777

Committees:**General:**

Building Maintenance
Crops & Fields
Donations
Equipment Purchase / Repairs
Exhibit B
Fuel
Insurance
Membership
Park Board Communications
Public Relations (website, newsletters)
Car/Truck/Motorcycle Club Liason
Winter Dinner
Work Days

Tractor Pull

Gate / Parking
Garbage
Swap Meet
Food Vendors
Security / Safety
Event

Fall Show

Tractors
Large Tractors
Garden Tractors
Stationary Engines (small / large)
Campground
Education Day
Entertainment
Exhibits
Demonstrations
Threshing
Saw Mill
Shingle Mill
Sorghum
Dyno
Flea Market
Food Vendors
Gate / Parking
Garbage
Grounds Restoration
NIHPA Booth
Security / Safety
Advertising / Signs
Event Insurance
Kiddie Tractor Pull
Pork Chop Dinner
Setup / Teardown