

International Harvester

Collectors Club

New England Chapter 18

Summer Edition 2018- Volume 29



President's Message

Happy Summer Chapter 18 members! I hope this finds you all enjoying the season so far. If you check out our schedule things definitely are getting busy! I want to remind you all about our **10th Annual Power of the Red show coming up August 11th and 12th** at the Cricket Hill Farm in Dublin NH. (Yes it's the same field as always!) As you know we plan for this show all year, it still takes a lot of work to make this a great event. We need all hands on deck. We need as many as possible to make this 10th annual show the best yet! Some of the ways you may be able to help would be hanging the sign out for the show a month in advance, help setting up the field, helping at the gate, helping at the trailer, help setting up for Saturday night bbq, bringing a grill, cooking, clean up after the show etc. Please contact myself or any of the directors for more info or to volunteer! We are going to have our July Directors meeting at the Lamson Farm in Mont Vernon NH again, on Sunday July 15th. Thank you to Mark Walker for organizing this for us! The meeting will start at 10:00am then we will have a BBQ at noon. Any members who would like to attend are more than welcome to join us. This would be a great meeting to attend to see how you might be able to help out in some way with the club. Feel free to bring your tractor too! **If you plan on attending please RSVP to Jim or Michelle Wheeler so that we have a head count for food!** Also, we ask that you bring a side dish or dessert to share! That morning we will need at least two grills (depending on how many attend) and people to help with the picnic tables etc. You may also want to bring a folding chair.

Next I want to make you all aware of some changes that have occurred since the membership meeting back in April. I have notified the Directors that I will be stepping down as the President and as a Director right after the banquet. This was not an easy decision by any means. I have been very involved in this club for many years, as well as another club for 15 years before that. I feel that it's time to lessen the commitments and weekends away from home. I will still be a member. You will still see me at shows from time to time. Michelle has decided to stay on as the Membership Secretary, but will be stepping down as the Newsletter and Website Editor. Also, Steve Lingley has asked that I notify the members that he has decided to step down as a Director after the banquet. Steve has been very active in the club for 20 years. Steve has a young family and other

Meeting Minutes
Membership Meeting at Harold Foskett's in Woodstock Ct April 8, 2018

The meeting was called to order by President, Jim Wheeler at 12:54pm. All of the Directors were present and three advisors were present. Prior to the meeting we all enjoyed hot dogs and hamburgers cooked by our President and Vice President along with other food brought by members. The coffee was supplied by Harold Foskett.

At the start of the meeting Jim asked for a moment of silence in memory of Floyd McPhetres from Randolph VT, a longtime member of Chapter 18. Kim read the minutes of the last membership meeting held at the fall banquet on October 22, 2017. They were accepted by a voice vote. Donna gave out a detailed financial report and gave an oral presentation at the meeting. Her report was accepted by a voice vote. Michelle gave the membership report with 289 members as of today. She mentioned that members who have not been renewed will be sent reminders.

Two directors positions are open for this year. They are Jim Wheeler and Chuck Moore, both said they will run again. They will be elected at the fall banquet. Anyone that is interested to run for director is urged to contact a director.

Michelle sent out to all 286 members the proposed changes to our by-laws requesting a return to her by March 1, 2018. She got 74 returns which is far less than the 2/3rds needed. A suggestion from the floor was made that any future mailings that require a return by stipulated, if not returned will be understood as a yes vote.

Jim talked about our upcoming Power of the Red Show in August. He would like a big push for a large display of IH products. He also said he needs a couple more grills to cook the Saturday meal. Jim said the deadline for the scholarship application is June 1st. We currently have two applications. Michelle said all the information about the scholarship is on our website. Harold Foskett thanked all of the efforts through the years that made Chapter 18 of New England a great success. The 50/50 raffle was again conducted by the famous rooster Walker and was won by Pete Greeley from New York. He donated his winnings back to the Matt Petz scholarship and the Chapter 18 half went to the Ed Darowski fire fund. The total was \$262.00. The next Membership meeting will be the fall banquet in Pepperell on October 21, 2018.

The meeting adjourned at 1:28pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kim C. Spaulding, Secretary of Chapter 18 N.E.

Meeting Minutes
Directors Meeting at Harold Foskett's in Woodstock Ct April 8, 2018

The President Jim Wheeler called the meeting to order immediately after the membership meeting at 1:37pm. The minutes of the last Directors Meeting were read and approved by a voice vote. The meeting was held at the Wheelers on January 14, 2018. Donna and Michelle's reports were the same as previously stated \$5097.90 and the membership number is 289. The discussion on the By-Laws continued. The directors voted unanimously to add the word present after the word members to our proposed by-law change.

Article VII-Section I will read

Amendments to By-Laws shall be voted by a show of hands or voice vote. A two thirds majority vote of the active members present is required for any amendments to the By-Laws.

This will be sent out to the membership in the next newsletter for a vote.

Michelle has gotten prices on plaques to be given out to the exhibitors at the Power of the Red Show, they are \$1.39 each. A motion to buy 200 was presented and approved by a voice vote.

The next Director’s meeting will be at the picnic in Mont Vernon NH on July 15th 2018 at the Lamson Farm.

The meeting adjourned at 2:05pm.

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Kim C. Spaulding, Secretary of Chapter 18 N.E.

Treasurer’s Report
4/8/18

Beginning Balance **\$10,593.43**

DEBITS		CREDITS	
\$200.00	Barn Rent	\$250.00	Show Sponsor
\$325.00	2018 Banquet	\$960.00	Renewals
\$600.16	Print Shop	\$1283.00	Farm-Forest
\$544.00	Insurance		
\$2306.50	Phoenix		
\$1413.93	Print Shop		
\$390.00	Nationals		
\$304.50	Print Shop		
\$48.78	Excise Taxes		
\$23.00	Marshall Sign		
\$368.14	Post Office		
\$58.67	Staples		
\$23.15	O’Reilly		
\$144.00	Pencils		
\$526.40	Print Shop		
\$561.43	Trailer Stock		
\$150.90	Tractor Mac		
Ending Balance	\$5097.90		

For Sale and Wanted Items – see the website for a full listing of previously posted items as well!

FOR SALE

1957 Farmall Cub. It has the complete sickle bar attachment and also has the snowplow blade assembly, it plow to attach to does not have the necessary brackets to attach to the tractor. It does have new tires all around and the period correct headlights, it also has the original dual tail light that is functional. Asking 3000.00. contact Ted tbartlett59@gmail.com

FOR SALE

1937 Farmall F30- Foot brakes, pto brakes, rear tires ok (some weatherchecking) easy ride seat, pto extension, new front tires

1936 Farmall F20 Wide Front- electric start, foot brakes, pto ext, tires 90%, behlen road gear, one of a kind tractor

1948 Farmall MD-new tires, fronts good, Christmas tree hydraulic valve, no belt pulley

1948 Farmall- all new tires

1935 Farmall F12 all new tires

All above stored inside. All have been overhauled and painted with quality paint. Service has been kept up to date.

For more details and prices Contact Bruce Simmons

Call 845-626-2444 or email tractorman1942@gmail.com

FOR SALE

1959 Farmall Cub w/single bottom plow, harrow, snow plow, chains, 2 wheel sturdy cart, and operator's manuals. Asking \$3,500.00 Contact: Barry White, 413-537-4661

WANTED

Sickle Bar, Disc Harrows for Hi Cub. Email Rick Heyniger in Roxbury CT rlheyninger@gmail.com

REMINDER

Membership Dues were due prior to June 1st!

Dues are \$30 (\$15 for the National, \$15 for Chapter #18)

Mail your check payable to **New England IH Collectors Chapter # 18** to our Treasurer today!

Donna Callahan
201 Oak Street
Franklin, MA 02038

IHC NE Chapter 18 2018 Upcoming Show Schedule

July 8 th https://www.facebook.com/pepperellcrankup/	Pepperell Crank Up	Pepperell MA Town Field 10 Hollis Street Pepperell, MA
July 15 th Meeting starts at 10:00am	Directors Meeting and Picnic If you plan to join us please RSVP to Jim Wheeler! We need a headcount for food! Also, please bring something to share for the BBQ	Lamson Farm Mont Vernon NH
July 27 th -July29 th http://www.raittfarmmuseum.org/events/tractor--engine-show/	22nd Eliot Antique Tractor & Engine Show	Raitt Farm 2077 State Road Eliot, ME
Aug 11th & 12th	<u>10th Annual Power of the Red</u> http://ihcne18.com/	Route 101 Dublin, NH
Aug 19 th	Barrington Truck Show	Feather Airport Deering NH
Aug 26 th	Coventry Truck & Tractor Show	2111 Plainfield Pike Johnston, RI 02919
Sept 7 th -9 th	47 th Annual Dublin Engine Meet http://dublinnhgasenginemeet.com/	Route 101 Dublin, NH
Sept 15 th & 16 th	Antique Engine Tractor Show http://www.oldengine.org/members/tvf//	Tobacco Flywheelers 820 Route 154 Haddam, CT
Sept 22 nd and 23 rd	Autumn Round Up	Barker Farm Barker Rd Ludlow Vermont
Sept 29 th	Franklin Farm Fall Festival http://www.franklinfarmri.org/home	Metcalf-Franklin Farm 142 Abbott Run Valley Road Cumberland, RI
Oct 13 th & 14 th	Waters Farm Fall Farm Days & Festival http://watersfarm.com/index.htm	Waters Farm 27 Waters Road Sutton, MA
Oct 21 st at noon	Chapter 18 Fall membership meeting & Banquet	VFW Post 3291 55 Leighton St (Route 113) Pepperell, MA

ATTENTION MEMBERS!!!!

Please see our website at <http://ihcne18.com/> to review the revised by-laws that were recently approved by the Directors. If you do not have internet access, please contact Jim or Michelle Wheeler so that a copy can be mailed to you for review.

Please note you **ONLY** need to return your ballot if you are voting **against** the new by laws. All ballots not returned will be considered a YES vote! Anyone who votes NO would need to have their ballot returned by October 1st.

NO _____

Name _____ Date _____

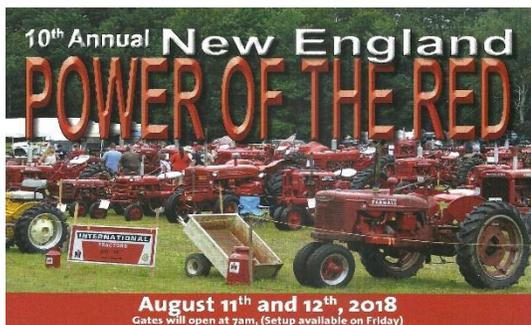
Ballots should be returned the **Jim Wheeler 238 Whitten Road Milford, NH 03055**

Thank you to Harold Blackie for sharing this poem he held on to from long ago!

A fellow stopped by my house the other day,
And said, "Is it true what the neighbors say,
That your garage is all filled, from back to door
And you've got so much junk that you can't see the floor,
And the shed out back has a similar fate,
And your yard's full of red cast iron, clean up to the gate,
And you've got engines and tractors, that really are rusted,
And some of them run, but others are busted?"
Well, I invited him in, so he could look around,
But when he saw it he just stood there and frowned.
Cause he didn't understand this disease that we've got,
That we can't leave them out there, to ruin and rot.
We've got to pick up all the old iron we see,
And some that we find, we take home with glee.
We clean it and paint it, and get it to run,
And all of the time, we think it's such fun.
But sometimes we acquire much more than our needs,
And it lands in the back yard, out there in the weeds.
So if you've got more than you'll ever store,
Get rid of it soon, before the neighbors get sore.
Your heirs will just sell it, they couldn't care less,
About all your treasures, they think it's a mess.
They'll settle the estate that you carefully built,
And get rid of it all, with no trace of guilt.

Author unknown

Michelle L. Wheeler
238 Whitten Road
Milford, NH 03055



Hosted by IH Collectors New England Chapter 18



Show Location

Cricket Hill Farm

1716 Main Street (Route 101)
Dublin, New Hampshire 03044

Vendors are welcome. There will be a \$25 vendors Fee.
Vendors are restricted to IH Products ONLY.

Any and all IH products will be welcome on the field, i.e. Trucks, Tractors,
Scouts, Milking Equipment, and Engines but must have IH logo on it.

2018 Sponsors



Contact: Jim Wheeler



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We need your help!
Spread the word about
our great show!
We also need volunteers
to help before, during and
after the show!
Contact a Director today
if you can help!