

# Union Thresherman, Incorporated

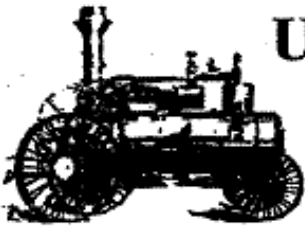
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## June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 General Membership Meeting @ 8 PM in the Saloon

- Meeting called to order by President Gary Knuth at 8:12 PM
- Secretary's Report – Motion to accept by Buddy F., Hoss G. seconded, motion carried.
- Treasurer's Report – Motion to accept by Merlin B., Jeff S. seconded, motion carried.
- **Correspondence**
  - Thank you from Rudy Drozd and Noah Bratt for receiving our Manawa scholarships.
  - Gary Thanked everyone who helped at the school tour.
- **Old Business**
  - Worknights have started and we have a to-do list going around of projects needing to be done.
  - Spring Pull – Work list is going around, need cooks and bartenders
  - Amanda will pass around Thresheree work list; it is about 32% filled... Need people to bartend in the Saloon.
- **New Business**
  - Poster/flyers are here. Please take some and pass out.
  - Scholarships – Manawa: Rudy Drozd & Noah Bratt
    - New London: Beth Willner
    - Hortonville: Brady Mashlan
  - Project list is going around
  - Rodeo parade – bring some tractors and a sign through – need helpers
  - Feature shirts are here. Jim C. did a very nice job on the design. Small-Large are \$18, X-sizing are \$22. Sherry said they should have feature hats at the next meeting.
  - Kelly said that tractor safety class is starting in June and said we should maybe start considering sponsoring kids to attend this class since we are a tractor-based club. We could do an internal scholarship.
    - We will look into it a little more and bring back to next meeting.
  - Steam school – we sponsor two club members to attend. If interested, it is September 23-25, see Gary for an application.
  - Randy has been working on our scales and said drivers have a hard time reading our current read outs. They need to lean over the fender in order to see and it's just a matter of time before an incident happens on the scale with our guys between there. He would like to see two bigger readouts be installed, but would cost \$1,600 per scale. We can keep our current scales or take out.
    - Dan C. asked who was complaining, he thinks they are fine. It is a safety issue that we want to prevent.
    - Mike L. made the motion to purchase two scale readouts, Troy S. seconded, motion carried.
  - Mark C. said that we approved to build two sign trailers at \$750 each. Costs have gone up and are now \$1,250 each to build. Would like to know if we still want them, or he can use them for other things if we decide not to proceed.
    - Joe G. made the motion to add the extra money to build the trailers, Mike L. seconded, motion carried.



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- New Members: Isaiah Schuelke
- Next Meeting is July 7<sup>th</sup> @ 8 PM in the Saloon.
- Bob Schumacher had something to say.
  - Wants to know why he isn't doing the feature meal and if there is a specific reason.
    - We decided to go with one of our sponsors at \$5 per plate. We were told that it was too much of a hassle for you to keep doing that and run your trailer.
  - Brought up the food vendor agreement and didn't agree with some things.
    - Vendors aren't allowed to use cooler space. He's used Diane's cooler for the past few years now to store his product.
      - We are running out of cooler space for our product.
    - Upset that he cannot come to the UTC for change.
      - Randy said that we cannot keep giving out our change because we have been running low ourselves. You need to come prepared.
    - Bob said they came in as friends and feel that the food vendor agreement is directed at them
      - The food vendor agreement went to all food vendors and are all being treated equally.
    - Jackie stated that their security deposit was cashed and the agreement did not say that it would be cashed. It says it would be returned after the event. They did not plan for it to come out when we cashed it.
      - Randy said that his contact information was right above where they sign the agreement. If they had questions, they should have called him. They went and called others, but Randy.
    - Jake said this is the first year that we implemented this agreement and as it shows, we will need to look at it. Jake went on to say that we appreciate everything they have done for the club, but we are treating everyone equally.
- Hoss G. made the motion to Adjourn, Avery E. seconded, motion carried to adjourn at 8:54 PM

Recording Secretary: Jacob Elsner – *Jacob R. Elsner*

