

3/5/2020 – March Meeting

- Meeting called to order by President Gary Knuth
- Thank you letters: Manawa Food Pantry, Thrivent Team – Schuelke Benefit
- Secretary's Report - Read and Approved
- Treasurer's Report - Read and Approved
- **Old Business**
 - Jackets – Jake said jackets are ordered, some are in, others are backordered. If you would like to order a jacket, see Jake.
 - Steam Engines in Michigan – Andy said there isn't a rush to get them out. Would like to form a group to work on them this spring.
 - School Field Trip – May 15th – Will need volunteers - Manawa 5th & 6th Grade
 - Food Stand – Need to get measurements and get to the county for permits
 - Jake Schiedermayer donated walk-in freezer
- **New Business**
 - Please pay your membership dues to Randy
 - Shuttles – Lend them out to Lunch on the Farm June 27th ?
 - Need to put our name on them
 - Insurance – Lunch on the farm has Insurance
 - Hoss made the motion to lend them out, Andy 2nd
 - Dan said the flags need replacing as well
 - Name Tags – See LuAnne if you need one
 - Scholarship forms for OUTSIDE of Manawa School District – See Gary
 - Meeting Minutes on the Website – Motion and 2nd to post on the website as UNAPPROVED.
 - Chainsaw contest? - Is there interest to bring back for Sunday? – Yes
 - Valerie brought up the Safety concerns would need to be addressed
 - Andy said maybe garden tractor pulls for Sunday event?
 - Mark Phillips would lead the contest, would need an assistant – Brian Z?
 - Get a sponsor for the contest?
 - Time would need to be pushed back
 - Motion and 2nd to bring Chainsaw contest back
 - Dave Sarna from the Snodeo presented the UTC with a \$1,500 check and thanked all the helpers
 - George S donated \$2,000 toward the steam engine project
 - Nick brought up the Schmidt Bessette Cancer Benefit – Motion and 2nd to donate \$200
 - Willie is having a tractor pull meeting March 28th at 1PM at his shop
 - Andy needs items for the feature barn – let him know if you have anything
 - Randy brought up that Jim has a band interested in being the Opener for Friday night
 - \$800 for two hours – Too steep, motion and 2nd to offer \$500
 - John R – Do we have a plan if our wheat doesn't turn out? Plants oats? Dan Wentworth might have some as well – have to ask
 - New Members – Ethan Schiedermayer
 - Motion to Adjourn – 8:39PM

Recording Secretary: Jacob Elsner - _____