



August General Membership Meeting

August 14th, 2025, at 8:00 p.m.

Unionville Saloon

- The meeting was called to order by President Gary Knuth at 8:01 p.m.
- Secretary's Report – Motion to accept by Tammy M., seconded by Gloria Y., motion carried.
- Treasurer's Report – Motion to accept by Dan C., seconded by Al T., motion carried.
- **Correspondence**
 - Observed a moment of silence for Kieth Welch.
- **Old Business**
 - 16 calendars left for sale.
 - Steam School is Sept 26-28, see Gary K. if interested. We sponsor two club members.
 - Mary R. asked how the mobility scooters went over. The Thresheree was low, Farm Tech Days was good, and the Car show was good.
 - Now that the word is out, it will continue to build. The need is there.
- **New Business**
 - The board decided to purchase the Allis Chalmers tractor that we use on the grounds. Curt Samson decided to sell it, and we have many uses for it.
 - If you have any comments on the Thresheree or Car Show, write them down and we will collect them.
 - Diane W. thanked everyone for their hard work and participation.
 - Gary K. thanked everyone for their help during both shows.
 - UTC Eliminator – the board brought it up about possibly selling it again as it is taking up space and people have inquired about buying it.
 - Dan C – if we're not going to use it, sell it.
 - Takes up storage and agtronics will become obsolete.
 - Kent has the electronics stored at his shed.
 - Dan C. made the motion to sell the eliminator, seconded by Phil G. Vote by show of hands, majority ruled in favor of selling the eliminator.
 - Joe G. gave an update on the carousel building.
 - The build will take place June 11-21, 2026.
 - You do need to be a Guild member to participate. They can offer a 6-month trial membership.
 - Will post on social media and website with more specifics.
 - Many details are in the works behind lodging, meals, grants, and equipment.
 - Will need to acquire a building permit.
 - Might be the first project in Wisconsin with people traveling from around the world to participate.
 - Brian Z said that we are both non-profits making this happen as economically as possible.
 - There are a few crews that deserve a big thanks for their efforts this year:
 - Jerry Timm and crew for the building projects.
 - Willie R. for running an efficient pull.



- Joe and Zane for the water tower project.
- John Riesenbergh for taking care of the crops and getting his tractors here in short notice.
- Heidi K. with the volunteer list.
- All the members that helped at Farm Tech Days.
- Michelle V. sold mugs in the general store in honor of Katelyn and made their money back. The remaining mugs can go to the club.
- Kent C. will redo the new benches this winter.
- **New Members**
 - None
- Gary wished Jacob a happy birthday!
- Motion to adjourn by Gloria Y., seconded by Phil G., motion carried at 8:33 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jacob R. Elsner

Secretary
Union Thresherman, Inc.

