

Feb 6, 2015 PICCADILLY RESTAURANT

PRESENT:

Jesse & Brenda Abernathy Jimmy & Kim Ruffin Bill & Faye Little Roy & Betty Wink
Dennis Wink James Little Dan & Carol Little David & Kathy Allen Ken & Susan Clow
Barry Howard David Matlock Wayne James John McGraw

Dennis Wink called the meeting to order with prayer.

Minutes from Jan 2, 2015 meeting were approved –

Treasurer Report had balance of \$1916.23 as of January 31, 2015

Prayers offered for Lela Kinney, Kathryn Wink, Edgar & Nisha Wink Family, Dennis Wink's brother's wife

Prayer of praise for Roy Wink who has 3 more radiations and 2 doctors gave him very good reports

Welcome to new members David and Kathy Allen from Oak Grove, potential new member John McGray from West Monroe and visitors from North La Vintage Club Barry Howard, David Matlock and Wayne James.

OLD BUSINESS

- DUES – Need to send in dues as soon as possible. Insurance requires 20 names to be registered. If you haven't already done so please mail to Brenda Abernathy, 189 Braswell Rd Oak Grove La 71263. It is \$25 for 1 insurance and \$10 for each insurance to pull over that.
- SWEET POTATO PULL – Oak Grove – Saturday March 28th – We need to get a sink in concession stand. David Allen stated he had a single sink with a cabinet we could have. Tire on sled must be fixed and ready for this date.
- COMBINATION LOCKS – Jimmy Ruffin bought 6 locks that can all be set for same combination. It was stated we should use the last four numbers on the trailer license plate for the code.
- HENDERSON PULL – April 17-18 – Several members are going to go ahead and stay for Saturday night in order to attend the National Meeting on Saturday night.

NEW BUSINESS

- JENA PULL – Saturday March 21st
- PARADE for Sweet Potato Pull March 28th – After attending the Festival meeting Chester Abernathy would like for our club to enter a float in order to support this Festival. Suggestions were to pull our enclosed trailer that has all our Club information on it with one of our older tractors. Chester offered to do this as parade is usually during our Pull and most of our members are busy with duties pertaining to the Pull
- FISKE UNION PULL – JUNE 13th was date set for this Pull at our home site on Wink Rd
- MAY 2nd – Tractor Ride in Verda, LA
- RUSTON REGIONAL SHOW AND PULL – August 21 & 22 –
 - GAMES – suggested that we have games early afternoon on Friday 21st (tractor roll, slow tractor, etc.)
 - REGIONAL MEETING – will have a meeting and supper on Friday night
 - We need to bring any kind of antique farm equipment and/or tractors for display
 - Voted to give \$500 for advertisement, if needed
 - KIDDIE PULL – we need a tractor and sled for this – Suggested that Lingos have allowed us to use theirs and maybe Skeet from LaSalle Club would bring his
 - SKILLET TOSS – need to order this so we can have one to use
 - TROPHYS – Club voted to order trophies for this pull for 1st and 2nd place. Brenda will get with Roselea to order ones like they use at Jena Fall Fest
 - T-SHIRTS – Voted to order 100 T shirts in sizes L, XL & 2XL. All one color of gray with pocket on each shirt. Brenda trying to get a design for this. North La Vintage Club stated they could probably only sell 25 for their club. We would like to wear these on Saturday of the Pull
 - FFA students – if they show a FFA membership card they will allowed to get in for free

Meeting was adjourned

**NEXT MEETING IS MARCH 6th at 7:00 PM at Piccadilly
Restaurant**