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NORTH CENTRAL
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ANTIQUA STEAM & GAS
ENGINE CLUB, INC.



**THANK
YOU**

What an awesome show! A heartfelt thanks to all those who made out 51st annual Steam and Gas Engine show a success! It is the many outstanding volunteers, who give of their time and talents, that make our show amazing! Thank you!

Membership meeting schedule

October 5th, 2024 - annual meeting
March 16th, 2025 – membership meeting
**No meetings in November, December,
January, or February.**

Save the dates!

***The 52nd annual show Steam and Gas
Engine Show is
August 22, 23, & 24, 2025.***

***Our first Outdoor Power Sports show
will be held May 16th & 17th, 2025.***

Looking ahead to next year, our feature will be International Harvester! Please submit pictures to a board member, the PO Box or on Facebook. The deadline for pictures is November 1st.



Show raffle winners

Susan Robels – Quilt
Bonnie Bargender – Autumn Table Runner
Becca Winslow – Flag Table Runner

Wednesday workdays

Our club owns the Steam show grounds and as anyone who owns property knows, there is always something to do! One way we maintain our grounds is Wednesday workdays. If you are interesting in helping out, contact Tom Martin @ 715-574-1020.

Scholarship news

Do you know a High school senior who is a member, child, or grandchild of a member? Let them know about the Club scholarship opportunity. If interested in applying, please contact Fay Neiman @ 715-615-0405.

Look at our Website & Facebook pages for club updates! Click on the Facebook icon on our webpage and you will go straight to our page! Contact Cheryl Kunze @ 715-937-5455 to share any updates with your Club family.



From the President

Hello fellow steam club members!

What a show, from the sunny, dry weather to the outstanding showing of Case equipment, including the Case Heritage Foundation and Northland Case Collectors. Our club members and exhibitors showed some really nice displays, and we cannot forget the model steam engine display provided by David Hadley and family, who traveled here from the state of Oregon. A huge thank you to all!

We will hold elections at our Oct meeting and banquet. There are three director spots that expire at the end of this year. Be sure to contact myself or a board member to get on the ballot and help to shape the future of our show. Your board of directors will be working on a new event for 2025, an Outdoor Power Equipment Show. More information is in the membership updates. See you at the banquet! Greg.



Membership updates

Another successful show is on the books! Once again our membership has outdone themselves in putting on a memorable weekend. Our visitors are always treated to the best we have to offer, including great food, live music, and wonderful demonstrations that help us to live out the mission of the club. It is only because of the tireless efforts of the 100's of volunteers that we are able to put on the show every year. THANK YOU to all of you! Whether you gave an hour, a day, the whole week or you serve the club throughout the year, we could not do it without each and every person who gives of their time and talents. Also, a shout out to the numerous nonprofit groups that help us out, and our vendors and exhibitors. Thank you to all they do to help us succeed.

The annual meeting is October 5th, 2024. We will be voting for new directors at 2:00. Remember, this is your club and your vote counts! A reminder to those who RSVP'd – the banquet is at 4:00.

As previously discussed, the board is looking to add a few events to our show grounds to help with the financial viability of the club and to raise more awareness about our annual Steam Show. It is still amazing to hear there are people who have never heard of or been to our show! With that in mind, we are excited to announce our first Outdoor Power Equipment Show will be held May 16th & 17th, 2025! This project is being coordinated by Chad Kayhart, with hopes to make it an annual event. In order for the power sports show to be successful, Chad is going to need help. Please reach out to him at 715-223-5263 and ask him how you can help.

As much as we all love to come out and demonstrate our skills, show off our tractors and engines, eat and drink and have fun with friends far and near, it is important that we remember that our club has a mission. Our mission statement reads, "*To preserve our rural heritage and educate future generations through education and live demonstrations.*" Our show does a fantastic job of showing our visitors what life was like in the "olden days". From field demos to the sawmill and blacksmiths shop, quilting and weaving stations where people can try their hand at the craft, to the schoolhouse with its original desks and books, the show highlights our rural heritage. Are there other ways we can continue to live out the mission? If you have ideas, please share them with our board members.

The annual meeting and banquet is October 5th. Meeting is at 2:00 with banquet to follow at 4:00pm in the Barn. Hope to see everyone there!

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