



Tri-County Two-Cylinder Club of Michigan

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Hello to you all!

The Christmas party was fun, fun, fun. Santa stopped by and most of the children enjoyed that. Maybe next year Brad's little girl will give Santa a chance... he's a pretty good guy I hear. (hee hee) There were MANY FABULOUS auction items thanks to the donations of our members. Nice stuff I must say!

Next year's party is already being planned... Dec 10, 2011! It is marked on your 2011 Club Calendar... you do have one don't you? If not, you can pick one up for only \$6 at the next meeting! The Brabants did a great job on it, as usual!

Hoping 2011 is a great year for all of you... health and happiness to all!

Ron



NOTE: DJ Moritt created a website with the pictures from the Club Show. Here is the website address:

<http://tricountytwo cyl.shutterfly.com/>

You should be able to save the pictures directly from the site. If anyone needs any pictures in particular from the website but can't seem to get them, let me know, and I will help you contact DJ. He said he would be glad to pass the pictures along.

MEETING SCHEDULE

- ⇒ **General Club Meetings** are held on the fourth SATURDAY of every month. They are generally held at the Washtenaw Fairgrounds, but are sometimes held in locations where great tractor information can be shared. Potluck meetings are a favorite, too! Mark your calendars now! See you there!
- **The January General Meeting will be THIS SATURDAY at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 3003 Hannan Rd., Wayne, MI 48184.**
- January Meeting Topic: What IS it? (bring something to stump everyone!) and Share-A-Story... PLUS we will have desserts brought to us by Eileen, Sonny, Judy, Paul, Candi, Ron, and Ashlee... THANKS!
- **Director's Meetings** are held on the first Thursday of every month. Everyone is welcome. These meetings are where much of the club plans are made. If you have a suggestion, comment, etc. please contact your county's director or come to the meeting. Your input is **ALWAYS** welcome!
- **The FEBRUARY Director's Meeting will be Thursday, February 3rd at 7:00 p.m. ... Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds... BLDG A.**

Club Calendar for 2011

The 2011 Club Calendars are ready for purchase. Pick one up at the next meeting or event! The cost is \$6.

Club Meetings for 2011...

January	Show & Tell Meeting... and "What IS it?" with DESSERTS!!!
February	Founder's Day Potluck Dinner and Meeting
March 19th	Leckler's Open House and our meeting afterward

Please remember that these are tentative plans and subject to change. Check the latest newsletter or the CLUB WEBSITE for exact dates and locations!

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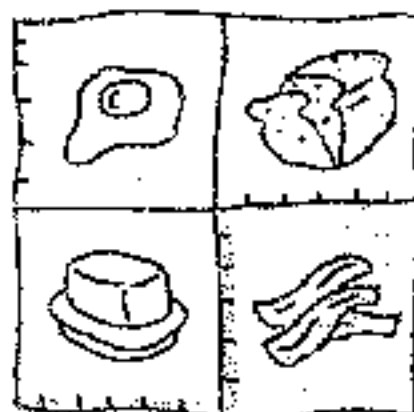
- * Cultivator and plow for a Farmall Cub Tractor. Always kept inside. Call **Fred Kleinow** 734-587-3348.
- * 1950 AR, new rubber, many new parts. \$5,000 or best. Contact **Bob Sears** at 734-697-8415.
- * Hay wagon for sale. **Bob Sears** 734-597-8415.
- * 1971 John Deere 4320 Turbo Charged Diesel tractor with a rollbar, syncro transmission, front fenders, and 3 pt. hitch with quick hitch. Rear tires are 18.4 x 38. This tractor is restored, with about 300 hours after re-build. Contact **Jim** 734-777-5735.
- * LADIES If you sew... 6 J.D. Bar B.Q Apron Panels \$2.50 each ... 21 Double Pillow Panels \$2.00 per pillow ... 2 1/2 yards of J.D. Material \$4.00 ... Call **Candi** 734-417-7758 or email c92y86@provide.net
- * Past Green Magazine \$1.00 each ... Call **Candi** 734-417-7758 or email c92y86@provide.net
- * 1955 John Deere 40 Standard, 3 pt. hitch, great running tractor, tires 80%, older restoration. Price \$4,250 or best offer. Contact **Sam** at 734-483-7599.
- * 1944 John Deere B... rebuilt motor, good tires, runs well. \$1800. Contact **Ron** @ 734-326-0446.
- * 1949 John Deere A for sale! New aluminum pistons 90 over. Runs well. \$1800. Call **Ron Love** at 734-326-0446 for more information.
- * "PARTING OUT" an A, B, G, 630, 70, 720, MT, H, 720D, 730G... Call **Nate Girbach** at 734-260-9312 for more info.!
- * 2 John Deere 2-14 mechanical lift plows, ready to go. \$400.00 choice. Call **Nate Girbach** at 734-260-9312 for more info.!
- * Farmall/ International Wheel weights, half weights and wholes. \$30/each on halves, and \$55/each on wholes. Call **Nate Girbach** at 734-260-9312 for more info.!
- * 1952 Allis Chalmers Tractor with belly mower and a bucket. 4 cylinder engine. No 3 pt. hitch. \$2500. Please call **George Davinich** at 734-395-4613 for more details!
- * John Deere 3-14 trailer plow hydraulic lift needs a little work. \$400... Call **Nate** at 734-260-9312!
- * 1950 Model B, nice paint, newer tires, runs good, just converted to 12-Volts with correct generator to look original. \$2500 Call **Nate Girbach** at 734-260-9312 for more info.!

NOTE: If your FOR SALE item sells, please call (734-942-9162) or email (cif215@aol.com) me to let me know! Thanks, Cari

Cari's Cinnamon Cheesecake

Ingredients:

- 2 pkgs. crescent rolls (Pillsbury recommended... try the crescent dough sheets - easier!)
- 2 - 8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese (softened on counter 2 hrs)
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 stick butter
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 3 tsp. cinnamon



Instructions:

Either set out cream cheese early to soften or micro for 2 min. at 30% power.

In a 9x13 ungreased pan, spread (unroll) one pkg. of rolls on the bottom. Press seams together.

Mix soft cream cheese, 1 cup sugar, 1 tsp. vanilla with mixer. Spread over rolls.

Take second pkg. of crescent rolls and unroll onto wax or parchment paper. Press the seams together and stretch out just a bit. Eye it up so it is the shape and size of the cake pan. Place it on top of the cream cheese mixture so all is covered. Press edges to be sure all is covered.

Melt the butter stick and pour it all over the top, covering all the edges.

Mix 1/2 cup sugar with 3 tsp. of cinnamon (I often mix this at the start). Sprinkle mixture over melted butter.

Bake at 350* for 30 minutes (it won't look done when it comes out). Don't go more than 30 min! Chill several hours before serving in small pieces.

NOTE: Clip and store this recipe!

The Salvation Army Red Kettle Drive - 2010

The Tri-County Two Cylinder Club rang the bells for The Salvation Army's Christmas kettle drive on December 3rd at Macy's and Von Maur stores inside the Briarwood Shopping Center, Ann Arbor.

The following members participated in the kettle drive. Ringing at the Macy's location were Bruce and Judy Park, Paul and Joyce Emerson, Rona Hintz and August Wallman, Bill and Phoebe Judson, and Fred and Mary Price. Ringing at the Von Maur location were Barbara and Sam Brabant, Candice Youstey, Greg and Sharon Haener, Marcia McCray and Dennis Barksdale, and Josh Smith and Jody Cannon.

The amount collected this year was down from last year. We collected \$272.16 at the Von Muer location and \$259.74 from the Macy's location for a total of \$531.90. Last year's total was \$855.39.

Each of us received a blessing by helping others and knows every cent will be used to help someone in need. Need knows no season. Support those organizations dedicated to helping those less fortunate.

Thanks to all who gave their time for this worthy cause.

Submitted by Sam Brabant

WANTED:

- 1 Recipes you'd like to share. Please send to Cari at clf215@aol.com.
- 2 News you want in the newsletter... please have it to Cari by the 10th of each month.

Thanks!

Our condolences to the family of Art Schaldenbrand, who passed away Jan 4th, 2011. Also, Toby Winterholier lost his brother Richard back in December. Our deepest sympathies to you, Toby.

Families Adopted - 2010

Another special Christmas for some families because of your Club's Adopt-a-family effort. The Club shoppers this year were Jim & Kolleen Laming of Monroe County, Bruce and Judy Park of Washtenaw County, Jody Cannon of Wayne County and Rona Hintz for the out-county areas. The shoppers selected names of people needing assistance. The food items collected at the Christmas party were divided between the counties and given to the families. Clothing items and toys were bought for each family.

Club members who brought in 5 non-perishable food items and /or gave \$5 toward this effort received a ticket for a chance to win a gift basket. The Club contributed \$600 along with \$497 donated by individuals for a total of \$1,097. The amount of non-perishable food items collected was 265 pounds.

Many thanks to all who contributed so generously and to those who gave of their time to make this happen.

The Adopt-A-Family Committee

Did you know...

- ... The "Adopt-A-Family" bucket is passed around at every General Club Meeting. We "Adopt" a family during the holidays as our way of giving back to the community. Please consider dropping a few dollars and spare change in the bucket!
- ... that the club store has items that would make great gifts? Contact JOSH SMITH if you have questions about store merchandise (734-427-8975).
- ... that the club has a video library? For rentals, or to loan your own videos out, please contact Judy Park at 734-457-2591.
- ... ALL NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS ARE NEEDED BY THE 10th OF THE MONTH. Please email Cari ... clf215@aol.com with your NEWS!!!
- ... that you are allowed to copy and hand out this newsletter to anyone who might be interested in our club? It's great to spread the word!
- ... that the Tri-County Two-Cylinder Club of Michigan has one of THE BEST tractor club websites around! All of the information in this newsletter can be found there!

<http://semichtwocylclub.org/>

It's that time! Renew your membership today!
Bring this form to the MARCH General Meeting or the APRIL Director's Meeting, or mail it to Barb Brabant!

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2011

NAME(S): _____ MEMBERSHIP NO. _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
CONTACT INFORMATION:
HOME () _____ WORK () _____ CELL () _____
E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____
OPTIONAL: OCCUPATION _____ EMPLOYER _____

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE DESCRIPTION:

- NEW MEMBER \$25
- RENEWING MEMBER \$25
- SENIOR MEMBER \$15 (70 years or older)

FAMILY MEMBERS: SPOUSE _____
SONS (in household) _____
DAUGHTERS (in household) _____

NOTE: Yearly Tri-County 2-Cylinder Club Calendars are available for \$6.00 each. If you want us to mail a calendar to you, please include an additional \$3.00 for postage. Thank you.

Please make checks payable to: **TRI-COUNTY TWO CYLINDER CLUB**
Give or Mail to: **BARBARA BRABANT**
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