

Here we are at the end of 2021 !!!

In January we made club history by having the first ever internet meeting. We learned a lot !

We had an in person club meeting for the first time in months at the American Legion and had out of state members [called snowbirds !!] on Google Meets. So nice to see everyone even though we were all wearing masks and were social distancing. We still managed to deliver flowers for HyVee in February, Always a fun thing to do. Everybody loves to get flowers !! In February we also had our meeting at the American Legion and still learned a lot about video meetings !! Sue Rudd volunteered to be the secretary which left the club still needing a Vice President and Social Director. New member Keith Huebner took on the challenge of Vice President getting a few speeding tickets to get to the meeting on time. Mrs. Huebner has an opinion on Keith's driving habits !! Keith also suggested the Elks Club for meetings. That worked well and saved the club a few dollars.

The car show was slimmed down a bit this year but all went smoothly and it was a much fun as always. Wayne Martin supplied the DJ music that let Malinda Finley and Kathy Adams dance their way to great 50/50 sales. Autographed photos of Malinda and Kathy may be for sale NOT !! Encore performances are already requested for next year !!

We had Larry and Deb Armbrecht plan a cruise to Costa's in Fairbanks with a stop at the local country store where men's belts got a lot of attention ! Janice Bowers planed a trip to Kulas in Walker, Harold and Evonne Wurst planned a cruise to Circle C Saloon in LaMotte. We never had to miss a meal !!! We didn't miss getting ice cream when the occasion called for it either.

Tracy Rudd was getting ready to get going with the homecomings. We ended up with 14 this year. Not bad considering that Covid was still a concern. Carolyn and James McAuliffe had a special passanger in the U of I parade !! A real hawk. Not sure that's ever been done before !! John Schindler didn't care because he had Miss Iowa as his passanger !!

Michael Finley ordered hand held radios for all that wanted one so we could talk car to car while on a cruise. We now know to charge them just before you to use them to get the battery up to a full charge.

New member Angie Duckworth jumped in to be our new Social Director.

After some meetings at the American Legion and the Elks Club we are back at Pat McGraths.

Here it is December and we have survived the post Covid year with a lot of fun things done this year.

The best part is

WE GET TO HAVE A CHRISTMAS PARTY !!

Enjoy !!! Malinda