

NEATTA NEWS

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Early Spring 2020



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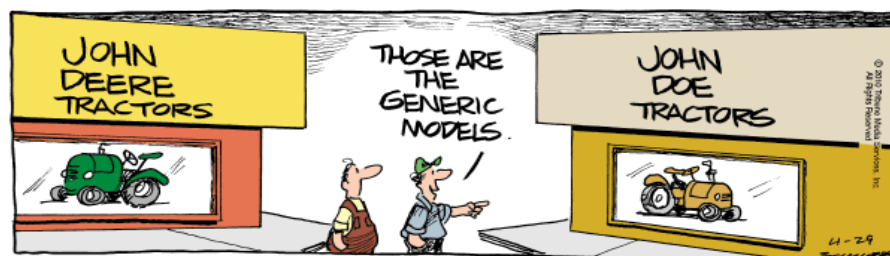


Early Springtime greetings!

Put down the seed catalogues, it's time to get ready for our club's new year! That begins with electing officers and board members for 2020. At our meeting scheduled for Saturday February 22nd, we will be accepting nominations for President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Membership Secretary, Insurance Secretary, Treasurer, and Safety Officer as well as two positions on the Board of Directors. The nominations will remain open up until we vote at our March meeting. Note: you must be a member in good standing to vote at a meeting. You must remain a member in good standing to be elected and serve on the executive board.

By now, everyone should have received a new membership form. If you don't have one, they are available on our website. It is important to get your renewals in to Lynda Ellis, by March 1st because EDGE & TA requires them from NEATTA by March 15th. The dues for 2020 will remain the same at \$25.00 per person. Reminder, in order to participate in NEATTA events, every person must be a member of the Club. Contact Membership secretary Lynda Ellis with any questions mustangsvt63@gmail.com or call her at 774-260-1117. You can bring your completed forms to the February meeting or you can also mail them to Lynda at NEATTA, PO Box 250, Middleboro, MA 02346.

Some upcoming events to consider this year are our own show & swap meet, a plough day, and other events which are not our own that we want to participate in like parades, festivals and fairs. Each event must have a NEATTA sponsor or contact person who is responsible for communication and information between the club and the event coordinators. Some things for sponsors to consider; date, time and place, where do we park our trucks and trailers, where do we line up, are all of our members at the event in compliance with EDGE & TA safety rules, is a certificate of insurance required... A check list and packet is being developed to make it easier for sponsors to oversee an event.



Upcoming events:

February 22nd – Saturday, 12 Noon, NEATTA Membership meeting, Acushnet Grange Hall, 1121 Main Street, Acushnet, MA 02743 – a light lunch donated by members will be served. Please be sure to bring in your renewal forms!!! Nominations for Officers and Board Members will be accepted.


March 8 – Daylight Savings time begins, SPRING FORWARD!

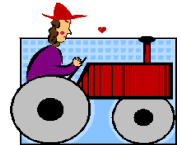


March 15th – Sunday, time TBA, Acushnet Grange Hall, NEATTA Membership meeting, election of Officers and Board Members, more planning for events for the year.

Spring begins on March 21st

April & May events TBA. Currently the Board of Directors is planning our own show and swap meet some time in May.

Hope to see you all at our February meeting! And don't forget about your Sweetie on Valentine's day, February 14th! 



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Some funnies for you, as seen in The American Legion Magazine Feb 2020 issue. Thanks to long time member Greg Abrams!

A PANHANDLER asked a passerby, "How about a quarter, mister?"

"Don't you know panhandling is illegal here?" the man replies.

" I'm not panhandling I'm practicing my hobby."

"And what is that?"

"Coin collecting!"



The difference between the short and long income-tax forms is simple. If you use the short form, the government gets your money. If you use the long form, your accountant gets your money.

And come to think of it...why is the person who invests your money called a broker? Hmmm

Take a look at our updated website www.neatta.org, check the EDGE & TA website and learn the safety rules www.edgeta.com, and check out our Facebook Page too.