

Newsletter #103

NEATTA NEWS



Winter 2019-2020



Merriest Greetings of the Season!

And warm wishes for a Happy New Year! Oh, my, how the year has flown by! We began in February at a new location, the Acushnet Grange Hall, and soon after with new leadership and high hopes for a better year. We reviewed and revised our By-Laws to reflect our changing circumstances. Our membership began to grow as we sharpened the focus of our mission statement. We rejoined EDGE & TA and became Branch #256, coming full circle, and back to our roots, much like we were at the start of NEATTA in 2006.

As a club, we attended many parades and shows this past year, but none that we could call our own. In 2020, our very own Show & Swap Meet is being planned for some time in May at the Rochester Fair Grounds. Stay tuned for more information!

Our next meeting will be on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>February 22nd</u>, at noon, at the <u>Acushnet Grange Hall</u>. We will be looking for nominations for Officers and two open positions on the Board of Directors.

New membership forms for 2020 will be available on the website soon and printed forms will go out to all members in early February so that you can renew at the February meeting. We are asking for renewals to be submitted to our membership secretary, 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.

Our Supper in November was a fun event! It was nice to socialize, and the food was delicious! Thanks to Ann Soares and Lynda Ellis for organizing this event and to eveyone who helped. We hope to have similar supper events in 2020. Thanks also to eveyone who donated to the raffle and the toy drive. The toys that were collected at the dinner will be donated to the toy drive at the Rehoboth Police Dept.



In closing, please remember past and present members who are not in good health and remember to thank God for all of your Blessings. Merry Christmas!



As always, check with our web page for any updates www.neatta.org, check the EDGE & TA website and learn the safety rules www.edgeta.com, and check out our Facebook Page too.

A funny for you,... smart dog!

there than you can shake a stick at!"

Warning! Adult content! I bleeped out the bad word so I wouldn't be put on Santa's naughty list, but I got a good laugh out of it anyway! Hope you do too!

Chester and Earl are going hunting. Chester says to Earl, "I'll send my dog out to see if there are any ducks out in the pond. If there aren't any ducks out there, I'm not going hunting." So he sends the dog out to the pond. The dog comes back and barks twice. Chester says, "Well I'm not going to go out. He only saw two ducks out there." Earl says, "You're going to take the dog's barks for the truth?" Earl doesn't believe it, so he goes to look for himself. When he gets back he says, "I don't believe it where did you get that dog? There really are only two ducks out there!" Chester says, "Well, I got him from the breeder up the road. If you want, you can get one from him, too." So Earl goes to the breeder and says he wants a dog like the one his friend Chester has. The breeder obliges and Earl brings the dog home, tells it to go out and look for ducks. Minutes later the dog returns with a stick in it's mouth and starts humping Earl's leg. Outraged, Earl takes the dog back to the breeder and says, "This dog is a fraud. I want my money back!" The breeder asks Earl what the dog did. So Earl tells him that when he sent the dog out to look for ducks, it came back with a stick in its mouth and started humping his leg. The breeder says, "Earl, all he was trying to tell you was that there are more "bleeping" ducks out

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