

North Louisiana Vintage Tractor Club  
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Meeting April 3<sup>rd</sup> 2014

- President Barry Howard called the meeting to order.
- The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Matlock.
- Barry asked for the reading of last meetings minutes. Minutes were read and approved.
- Barry called for the treasure report. The report reflected a balance forward of \$10, 475.52. The report was approved.
- We received a check of \$150.00 from the Lambright's Their instructions was to deduct their dues for Edward and Guy Ray and Nancy and put the remainder in the club funds and use where needed. We will mail their new buttons and there 2015 membership card stickers to them. We appreciate their generosity.
- Bill and Dan Little commented on the Jena tractor pull by the LaSalle Tractor Club.
- Noted the Sweet Potato Festival pull is this weekend (5<sup>th</sup>) in Oak Grove.
- Jack Crain and Barry commented on the Tractor Show in El Dorado held March 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- The storage location of our scales was discussed again but no determination was made at this time. We need a storage location more central to our activity area.
- Discussion on the following:
  - The Longville show in Longville, La. Apr. 26<sup>th</sup>
  - Youth Safety training.
  - On Pulling safety rules and drawbar specifics
  - International Harvester show
  - Canton swap meet and tractor show Apr. 11<sup>th</sup>
  
- Received a Thank You letter from St. Jude. Quote "Your loving gift of \$1,000.00 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital means so much to children who are fighting for their lives". Other thankful comments followed the above quote, ending with "Thank you from the bottom of our heart".
- A motion was made by M. Shaw to have the "split the pot drawing" and then adjourn the meeting. Motion was approved.
- The drawing total was \$58.00 and was won by Mrs. Lanell Jordan. It was split 50/50 with \$29.00 for the club fund.
- 21 members signed log in book.