

## North Louisiana Vintage Tractor Club

EDGE & TA Branch 179

Meeting January 7, 2016

- President Barry Howard called the meeting to order.
  - Welcomed visitors Skeet and Roselea Cooper from the Boeuf River club.
  - Jack Crain was discharged from the hospital December 5th and is back home.
  - Bob Steelman is back home and doing good.
- Reverend David Matlock opened the meeting with prayer.
- Secretary report read and passed.
- Treasurer report read and passed. Just a reminder our 2016 club dues are due.
- EDGETA News Letter:
  - Barry mentioned several articles in the newsletter. One article stated some chapters of EDGETA are having difficult times reaching the minimum quota of 20 members to qualify for insurance. For the year 2015 our club had 70 paid members.
  - Another article by Clyde Brummett, our chapter South Central Regional Director who attended our event in Ruston, said this year the South Central Regional Show will be held in Pocahontas, Arkansas on May 14.
  - And as a reminder, if our club attends a show or function that is not an EDGETA show, EDGETA insurance does not cover us. The insurance of the show sponsors must cover participants.
  - Be safe for 2016.
- Past Events:
  - The Colfax Veterans Parade held in December was said to be very “touching” by those who participated. Had 7 tractors in the parade.
  - Winnfield Christmas Parade had 2 tractors and a Model A in it.
  - Montgomery Christmas Parade had 8 tractors.
- Upcoming Events:
  - Our club has been asked to display tractors at the grand opening of the Tractor Supply Store in Winnfield this coming Saturday.
  - March 19<sup>th</sup> Jena Spring Pull.

- There will be a plow day this year. Skeet Cooper is working in getting this set up. More details later.
- Dan Little won the split the pot drawing.
- Will be ordering caps for our club soon. Start thinking about a new design for the caps and we will discuss at our February meeting.
- Next meeting February 4, 2016. We will meet back at our regular meeting place, formerly CBO' restaurant in Winnfield.
- 18 people in attendance.