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Don't Get SCAMMED!!

I realize this may be as far away from anything tractor related, but it does affect all of us.

Normally I would not bring up this subject if it was not for an email I received this weekend. I received an email from Cain Hiner. To give you a little background, I, Dan Helm work in the IT department for KCoe Isom. Formally, Kennedy and Coe. My job is to support the computers that the firm uses. And to make sure that the machines are secure and to make sure the users of those computers avoid viruses and being scammed.

So back to the email I received from Cain Hiner, our club president. Getting an email was the first red flag. Cain has always texted me in the past. I can't ever remember him sending me an email. The note was simple, "Are you busy today? Let me know" and it was signed "Kind Regards", Cain Hiner. The second red flag, Kind Regards. If you know Cain, this would not be the way he would have signed his email.

I should have deleted the email, but I was curious. I responded that I was home and just hanging out with the grandkids. About 30 minutes later, I

received a reply from "Cain". "Can you purchase 6—\$100 iTunes gift cards, scratch off the code and send me the codes. I would appreciate it and will get you paid back the first of next week. Again with the "Kind Regards" Cain Hiner. As you can tell, this was a scam. I was able to take the email apart to see who was sending the email and confirmed it was not Cain.

I wanted to take this time to remind all of you that scammers are preying on people every day. Many scams are much more believable than this email was.

Remember these rules...

- If you question the email or phone call, delete it or hang up. If it looks like it came from someone you know, call them, verify.
- Never give anyone who calls you, your credit card number, Social security number or any personal information including your drivers license number
- Shred all documents that have personal information before dumping them into the trash.

It's a tough job to protect your identity, but if you can remember these rules, you will have a fighting chance.



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First two Orscheln
Shows in the books



Member Needed



Kansas Tractor Drive—Good Weather

With the weekends during the month of April filled with scatter rains, gloomy skies, frigid temperatures and even a layer of snow, we didn't know what the first Saturday of May would bring. I can't speak for everyone, but I kept one eye on the local news weather reports and the other on the sky.

Normally, we have a rain date set in case the weather does not cooperate, but this year, the postponement of the Salina Orscheln Farm and Home tractor show reschedule their show from April to the second Saturday in May. The third week was the Glen Elder Tractor Cruise and the 4th Saturday was the rescheduled Ellsworth show.

But the Tractor gods were with us and Saturday arrived, along with clear skies and warm temperatures.

The starting point this year was at the Central Kansas Flywheels Museum. Tractors and drivers started to arrive early. The coffee was on and the first case of donuts were almost gone. Amy

was taking entry fees and getting release forms signed. President Cain Hiner and Jim Becker greeted drivers as they pull their tractors on trailers through the open gates at the museum. One of the notable new tractors this year was a CockShut Diesel, newly restored. It was very well done, a beauty from nose to the hitch. The starter was weak or the battery was under charged, but a tug from an older Cockshut and Cockshut diesel quickly came to life.

Jerry May followed the Saline County Sherriff out of the gate and headed west. 30 tractors were in this drive and it started pretty slow. We were to head over hills and curves toward Brookville road. I made it within a half mile of our first stop when My 48 Farmall H decided it had enough and shut down. I stayed with my tractor while Kenny Fuller gave, my son, Chris a ride back to his place to get some parts and tools. He was back in about 20 minutes. We took the rotor, condenser and

removed the wires connecting them. Tested all the parts, put it back together with the same parts and the old H fired right up. Now to catch up with the rest of the tractors.

We ate lunch at the park in Brookville. Water was supplied by the club. Prizes were awarded for the oldest, youngest, who drove the furthest and the oldest tractor.

Jim Becker asked if anyone would be interested in a fall drive for slower tractors. The minimum speed would be 5 mile per hour. It doesn't appear there is much interest as only a couple of hands went up.

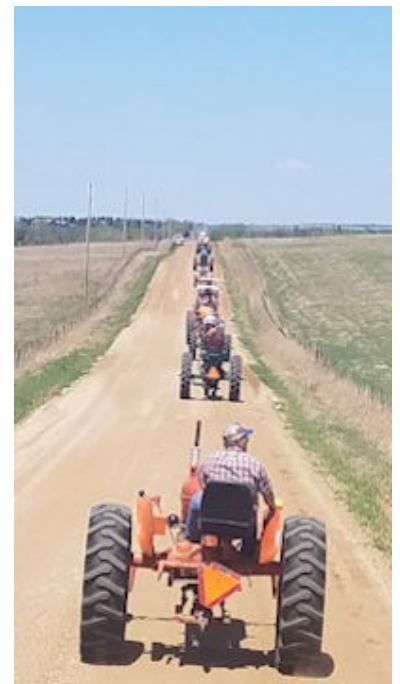
We left Brookville at 1 and we headed east. We took a different route back to Salina. Just less of a mile on old 40 east, we turn left onto a rural dirt road and we were on our way back to the Flywheels.

We took a break midway back and everyone needed a drink of cold

water. The temperature had climb well into the 80's.

There was enough breeze to keep the skin cool but not protected from being sun burned. Apparently we had enough rain that dust on the roads was not bad.

I wish I had the room to list all of the drivers that drove this year. And to those that followed along and spoke how next year their tractor will be ready for the next tractor drive. Hope to see everyone and a few more next year. First Saturday in May.



April Showers. Snow, Ice and Postpone shows

The month of April gave us a mix of weather. Bright, sunny, warm days, with a mix of cold, rain and snow. But it seem that the incumbent weather was delivered on the weekend and nice days were during the week. Salina Tech vehicle extravaganza was canceled because of rain. Orscheln Farm and Home in Salina, postpone due to cold temperatures and rain. Orscheln Farm and Home in Ellsworth postpone due to Snow! So, for the month of April, when the old tractors are ready to get out of the shed to display their summer coats had to wait.

The Salina Tech show is going to have to wait until next year. This had to be a big disappointment for them as this is the second year in a row that weather has turned away cars, trucks, tractors and crowds.

The Orscheln shows were rescheduled for May, which would be ok, except it was going to be make May a busy month for tractor shows. Special thanks to Ken Giersch for getting the notices posted in plenty of time for everyone to know the status of the shows in April.



We have Scholarship Money available. No Cost To Apply!

Another school year has ended and another is just a few weeks away. The Kansas Tractor Club has \$1000 to award to someone for college or technical school this fall.

We will be accepting applications for this fall up to July 15th, with the winner to be announced on or before September 15th.

The scholarship application is available on the KansasTractorClub.com web site. Just click on the scholarship tab and click on the Scholarship application. Fill it out and email it. Everything is filled out for you, you can fill the application online

or print it out and mail it.

If you don't have Adobe Reader, you can obtain a free download from Adobe.com or you can send me an email, requesting a paper application. The Kansas Tractor Club has given away \$2000 so far and we want to give you a check for your school next.



We have room for more members. Help the club grow!!!

We are still looking for new members. You can help. When you are done with this newsletter, pass it on. If you received it by

email, forward your email to anyone in your address book that you think might enjoy this information and ask them to become a member. The cost is only

20 dollars a year. Members received discounts from many great merchants including Orscheln Farm and Home (tractor related parts) meals from Bayards Restau-

rant, and other great places. Direct new members to Kansastractor-club.com



Salina and Ellsworth Orscheln Show

The Salina Orscheln Farm and Home Tractor show use to be the Saturday before Fathers Day in June was moved this year to the second Saturday in April, but it was rained out and moved to the second Saturday in May. And we still had 22 entries. 19 antique tractors, 2 garden tractors and a pedal tractor.

The Salina show seems to pull a few more tractors than other Orscheln Farm and Home shows. Many of the attendee can ride their tractor from the shed to the parking lot.

Each person with an entry registers their tractor with Orscheln and applies their number on or in front of their tractor. Visitors to Orscheln are asked to pick their favorite tractor, write down the number and dump it in a bucket. At 2:00 pm, Marla, manager of Orscheln's invites all participants into the store for the award ceremony. In Salina they give away door prizes. And there is enough prizes that they will get through the list 2 or 3 times before they give everything away. The final drawing is for the Favorite tractor which



was very sharp looking Ford tractor on display from Cain Hiner's collection. This was Cains first win in Salina.

Ellsworth show is two weeks later. 7 Tractors and their owners made the trip to Ellsworth. Including a pretty sharp 53 Chevy Pickup. This show Cain brought his B. F Avery. Which took first place. You can win multiple shows as long as it is a different tractor. The winner will be listed as one of the finalist with other winners from across the Midwest to be featured in the 2019 Orscheln Farm and Home calendar. Good luck to Cain.

I had a nice picture of the Ford, but for the Avery, I went through all my pictures of the day and this was the only one that I got. The Avery will be on display again this year. Check the Calendar for the next Orscheln Farm and Home tractor. There is one coming to your favorite Orscheln. Thank them for their support of antique Tractors.



4 Month Calendar

June

6/9	Orscheln Farm and Home, Hutchinson, KS. Tractor Show. Judging and Prizes.	10 am -2 pm
6/16	TSC Tractor Show in Pratt KS	10 am - 2 pm
6/16	Washunga Days Parade Concil Grove KS	10 am
6/23	Orscheln Farm and Home, McPherson, KS. Tractor Show. Judging and Prizes	9 am - 3 pm
6/30	Orschlen Farm and Home Pratt KS Tactor Show Judging and Prizes	9 am - 3 pm
6/29	Plow Day & Tractor Show Dale DeLong Farm 1420 Road 210, Emporia, Ks	9 am
6/30	Lebo Car & Tractor Show Lebo KS	9 am

July

7/1	Lebo Antique Tractor Pull Lebo KS	1 pm
7/4	Hutchinson Parade	1 pm
7/7	Olpe Down Home Parade	3 pm
7/7	Paul Chaffery Vintage Show at Mount Hope KS	All Day
7/14	Orschlen Farm and Home Tractor Show Junction City KS	9 am - 3 pm
7/20- 7/22	Meriden 42nd Annual Threshing Days	All Day
7/27	Marion County Fair Tractor Pull	7 pm
7/28	Nickerson Klear Day Parade and Pull	10 am
7/31	Chase County Fair - Cottonwood Falls	6 pm

August

8/3-8/5	Goessell Country Threshing Days	All Day
8/7	Tri Rivers Fair Parade - Line up at 6 pm	7 pm
	Leonardville,KS Hullabaloo Antique Tractor and Machinery Show	10 am
8/25	Youder Day's Parade and Pull	10 am

September

9/1	Dale DeLong Pull Dale DeLong Farm 1420 Road 210, Emporia, Ks	1 pm
9/8-9/9	Ottawa Power of the Past	All Day
9/7 - 9/9	Power of the Past Ottawa KS	10 am
9/15	Orscheln Farm and Home Tractor Show Concordia KS	9 am - 3 pm
9/19 - 9/23	<u>100th International Plowing Match and Expo</u> Walton, Onterio	All Day
9/22	Street Fair Parade Salina Line up 9 am Show of tractors on Iron st.	10
9/22	Inman Santa Fe Day's Parade	10 am
9/29	Assaira Fall Festival Assaria KS / Car and Tractor Show	9 - 3

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