

MO SCREAMIN EAGLES CASE CLUB

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Dear Screamin Eagles,

The March meeting was held at Paul Dubbert's. About 35 members gathered to view Paul's tractors then we had a delicious dinner. Thanks so much, Paul and Pam, for a great afternoon and evening.

Don Hartz presided over the meeting. Thanks were given to those that worked at the farm show in Kansas City and to Dan Bockhold for developing our web page. Members were reminded that we had committed our club to be at the Greenville, IL show July 28-30. That is about 40 miles east of St. Louis. They will be featuring Case and we will be the hosting Case club. Bring your tractors and have a fun weekend. They have a main pavilion to put our displays in and the Case tractors will be near by. Mike Holder announced that the International Club asked about using our building during the Red Power Roundup in 2008. Discussion was held on what we should charge for use of the building. It was decided that we would allow them to use it but our sign must stay on the outside of the building and we would need to be paid for using it. Mike also announced that the Boonville club is ready to think about getting water closer to our building but they are running short of funds. The club voted to pay for the pipe from the engine building to our building. The club would also need to get an outside faucet and do the roughing in for a bathroom and kitchen sink. Discussion was also held and the club voted to try to put in about 15 more feet of concrete inside the building.

The last order of business was the announcement from Don Hartz that he was resigning as President due to taking a new position with Case Corporation that will require much more of his time. The club elected Alois Hoffman to replace Don as President. Thanks Don for doing a great job!

Allen Schulte from Old Monroe, MO has donated a VAI Case tractor with a loader to the club. We appreciate the donation! Thanks so much.

The April meeting will be a work day (before it gets hot) at our building at Woolridge, MO on **Sunday, April 30** at 1:00. Plan to join the fun of working on putting up insulation and metal, clean up, and deciding on where the water line should run.

DATES: ½ Day Tractor Cruise at Independence, MO Saturday, May 6 at 10:00AM. Contact Ray Miller if interested. 816-257-2220

Adrian Tractor Show June 23-25. They are featuring Case and Int'l.

American Farm Heritage Museum Show, Greenville, IL July 28-30

Club **dues** were due by the end of March. This will be your last letter if you have not paid your dues of \$10.00. Dues can be mailed to Mike Holder at 805 Ogden, Sturgeon, MO 65284.

Sincerely,

Jim and Mary Peeper, Secretaries

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Greetings Screamin' Eagle People by President Alois Hoffmann

As your new President, I want to thank all of the founding, charter, and current members who have devoted their time and efforts to make this club a very successful organization.

Thanks to Don Hartz for serving as our President for the past few years and we wish him success in his new position with the Case Corporation. Our priorities for the club will remain the same, making improvements to the club building at Boonville, having meetings at different locations at times during the year. As always, members will be encouraged to attend shows around the state and country featuring Case machinery.

Now for the lighter side of things. As most of you already know, I am also secretary for Southern Illinois Chapter 32 International Harvester collectors and I also write the stories for their newsletter. Usually I put in some humorous comments, so occasionally you may get a paragraph like this in your newsletter. Let's look into the residency requirements for being president of Missouri Screamin' Eagles. Jim Peeper, our first President is a native of Oklahoma. Don Hartz, is originally from northern Illinois. At least they are now residents of Missouri. I'm from southern Illinois and still live here. Well, I guess the 2 months I spend at basic training at Fort Leonard Wood in 1965 helped me meet my residency requirement. Political correctness must not be one of our strong points.

Back to some intelligence. Our current membership stands around 112 families. So were do all the members come from. Twenty six members come from out of state. Boone County, MO leads with 14 members. Shelby, Monroe, and Cooper counties have 4 members each. The remaining members reside in various counties around the state.

Watch for the newsletter and check the excellent website that Dan has started for the club. Send your ads to the Grease Rag. We will keep you informed of upcoming events.

Thanks you, Alois Hoffmann