

Hayloft News

2022 August Update



36th Annual Show

Menno Pioneer Heritage Association
September 24th & 25th 2022

Summer Update

We welcome you to this year's Menno Pioneer Power Show. Due to COVID-19 pandemic we ask that you follow current CDC guidelines. By visiting the Menno Pioneer Power Show, you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure of COVID-19.

Projects of the Year

Recently the concrete was poured for the NEW Picnic Shelter!



The Carter Log Cabin has a new roof. Thank you to Dave Mensch's dedication to this project. Dave spent

many days working on this project. Dave also helped fix storm damage to other building. Several doors were blown in and needed replacing.

Upcoming work days

Friday September 16th starting at 10:00 am

Saturday September 17th starting at 8:00 am

Work day Projects

- Remove stored items from the buildings and place them
- Clean up grounds as needed

Check list for Exhibitors, Vendors, and Volunteers

- **Thank you for helping make this show possible!**
- Call ahead if you have special needs
- Enter through the main gate
- After you have unloaded please Park your pickup/trailer in designated areas south of the Church and the north end of the main parking area and place other vehicles in the general parking area
- Please DO NOT leave vehicles and equipment in the fire or driving lanes. It is important to keep these open for emergency vehicles.
- Think when parking to avoid boxing anyone in.
- DO NOT PARK ON THE GROUNDS-USE THE PARKING LOTS KEEP THE GROUNDS LOOKING HISTORIC
- All operators need a valid driver's license.
- After you have set up and parked please register and pick up your BBQ tickets
- BE SAFE and have fun!

Note to campers

- Dry camping only
- Designated camp area is south of the creek
- Please do not block the view of the Church with your camper!
- Please do not block the South Gate
- Stay close to your neighbors ...space is limited

General Notes

- **All pets must be leashed at all times**
 - Please clean up after your pets
 - Owners with pets not leashed or acting aggressive will be asked to remove them from the grounds
- New Recreational Vehicle Policy. Please see Registration for more information and a Permit.
 - Do not operate golf carts, ATV's or UTV's during show hours unless you are handicapped or have limited mobility.

Tractor Pull and Mini Rod Pull

- Pullers please use south gate and park all trailers south of the church. DO NOT park in the general parking

Projects Continued

- Clean and check over Barrel Train
- Trim and mow as needed
- Set up mini golf
- Paint where needed
- Put up PA System
- And more just ask!

New Trees

- A number of new trees have been planted around the grounds. Please watch out for our new trees!



Featured Events

- **Children Activities** – Activities for toddlers to teenagers including: A Barrel Train, Ferris Wheel, Bouncy House, Mini Golf, Money Sand Pile, Petting Zoo, Bean Bags, and other activities. As in other years there will be an all-day wrist band sold each day for unlimited access to all Children’s Rides and Activities.
- **Toy Show and Live Music**
Located in the hayloft of the Big Red Barn. Stop and see toy tractors, other collectables, and enjoy the live music
- **Parade** – Both Saturday and Sunday find a nice spot to sit and watch the proud drivers show off their tractors. Some in original condition, some meticulously restored.
- **Flea Market** – Are you looking for antiques, collectibles, handmade jewelry, crafts, jellies/jams, wood toys, and more this is where to find it. There are both indoor and outdoor vendors so be sure to see them all.
- **Pioneer Farming** – Located on the north end of the grounds. You will find Corn Shelling & Shredding, Hay demonstration, Saw mill operation, Steam Threshing, Steam Engine plowing, Baker Fan, and more.
- **Women’s Activities** – Ladies step up and show us your strength! Sign up and compete in the Ladies nail driving contest sponsored by the Menno Lumber Company. Do not forget to stop by the women’s building, there is a different display each year.
- **Car Show** – Located between the craft building and gas engine building. Not large but usually very interesting.



- **Tractor Pull and Mini Rod Pull** – South of the Barn same as year’s past tractor the antique tractor pull and mini rod pull will start at 3:00 pm on Saturday and Pickup and Exhibitor Tractor Pull on Sunday at 2:30.
- **Raffles** – The raffle is a major fundraiser for the MPHA. Tickets cost \$1.00 per ticket or \$5.00 for six tickets. Prizes include \$100.00 cash, \$50 cash, a past feature toy tractor, and two lifetime memberships, (transferable, if you are already a member.

New Marble Collection Display

Schedule of Events

Saturday, September 24th:

8:00 a.m.	Registration
9:00 a.m.	Flea Market & Toy Show Open Equipment Operators Safety Mtg.
10:30 a.m.-Noon	Corn Shelling & Shredding, Hay Demonstrations, Steam Threshing, Steam Engine Plowing; Sawmill, Worthington Start-up
11:00 p.m.	Children’s games open (Watch for early opening)
12:00	Antique Tractor and Car Parade
2:30 p.m.	Money Pile for Children
2:30-3:30 p.m.	Corn Shelling & Shredding, Hay Demonstrations, Steam Threshing, Steam Engine Plowing; Sawmill, Worthington Start-up
3:00 p.m.	Antique Tractor & Mini Rod Pull
At Dark	Steam Engine Spark Show Weather permitting

Sunday, September 25th:

7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.	Pancake Breakfast/Lunch Sponsored by Menno Community Club
8:30 a.m.	Exhibitors/Workers Church Service
9 a.m.	Flea Market & Toy Show Open
11:00 p.m.	Children’s games open (Watch for early opening)
11:30 a.m.-2 :30 p.m.	Corn Shelling & Shredding, Hay Demonstrations, Steam Threshing, Steam Engine Plowing; Sawmill
1:00 p.m.	Worthington Start-Up Ladies Nail-Driving Contest- Sponsored by Menno Lumber Co.
1:15	Children’s Pedal Pull
1:45 p.m.	Bale Throwing Contest
3:00 p.m.	Antique Car & Tractor Parade
Following Parade	Freedom Raffle and 50/50 Drawing
Following Parade	Pickup and Exhibitor Tractor Pull

All Times approximate ... and subject to change ... see specific areas for exact times.