

CORRECTED NEWSLETTER

This Friday February 26 is set up for the collector's show.

WE WILL MEET AT 0730 ON FEBRUARY 26 AT THE *NEW* STORAGE CONTAINER LOCATED JUST EAST OF THE VFW ROAD AND MARY INTERSECTION AT TOWNS & SONS ENTERPRISE. WE WILL LOAD THE TABLES THEN TAKE THEM TO THE EXHIBITION BUILDING AND SET THEM UP. IF WE HAVE PLENTY OF HELP THIS IS A RAPID AND GENERALLY PAINLESS EVENT. IF ONLY A FEW SHOW UP IT IS LONG AND DRAWN OUT AND THE FEW GET VERY TIRED AND SORE. AFTER SETUP WE CAN LEAVE OR STICK AROUND TO CONVERSE. AT 1300, WE WILL OPEN TO THE VENDORS AND IF YOU HELP THE VENDORS UNLOAD, YOU WILL GET TO SEE THE DEALS FIRST. AFTER ALL THE VENDORS ARE IN, RONNIE WILL PUT ON A FEED FOR ALL THE VENDORS AND HELPERS IF YOU HELPED SETUP YOU EAT AND DRINK FOR FREE. ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, WE CAN ALWAYS USE HELP AT THE DOOR FOR ADMISSION, FIREARM CHECK IN, AND FIREARM CHECK OUT. WE ALSO HAVE SECURITY ALL WEEKEND LONG. WE WANT HELP FOR THE SHOW BUT MAKE SURE YOU TAKE TIME TO ENJOY THE SHOW. ON SUNDAY NIGHT AFTER CLEAN UP WE WILL DRAW FOR BEEF BUNDLES TO SAY THANK YOU FOR YOUR WORK. ALSO IF YOU WORK OR BRING CARROTS, CELERY, COOKIES, PIES, OR CAKES, FOR CONCESSIONS YOU GET IN FOR FREE THAT DAY.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CALL CLINT AT 620-276-1406.

At the February 2016 meeting we approve installing a new electric gate for the range when it's finished you will drive up to it put in a code and it will open for you and close behind you after you enter. When you go to leave it will automatically open when you approach the gate. The need for this gate is there were more and more instances of the gate being left open. The cost for the gate was \$6234.50 installed.

We also approved \$45,000 to enclose the picnic shelter, replace the roof, put in 2 walk through doors, 2 overhead doors, cement the floor and put 4 foot aprons all the way around the building. The building will have dual use it will be to store the tractor and skid steer in and also as an indoor shelter when needed.

We are getting bids to raise the berms up that have shrunk over the years.

The outhouses are being sided and roofed with steel.

We will have the website back up to date soon.