

U.P. Steam and Gas Engine Association

NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2020

President: Jim Yoder (2020/2021) **Vice President:** Bob Willis (2019/2020)
Secretary: Jon Paul LaFave (2020/2021) **Treasurer:** Joseph Cilc (2019/2020)

Directors: Skip DuFour (2020/2021); Rod Salyer (2020/2021); Les Elder (2019/2020); Anne Chapman (2019/2020); Susie Beauchamp (2020/2021); **Alternate Director:** Mark Elder (2019/2020); **Board Appointments:** Flea Market Chair, Susie Beauchamp and Anne Chapman; Parade Chair, Larry Anderson; VVC Chair, Jon Paul LaFave; SOS Liaison, Wendy Gibson

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www.upsteamandgasengine.org

~ LOOKING FORWARD TO 2020 ~

Here we are with another year in front of us. In years past, the U.P. Steam and Gas Engine Association has made progress in many areas. As we move forward, there is still a lot of work to be done to make the improvements on our buildings, fine tune our operations so events run smoothly, plan for the future of the Village, and encourage our membership to participate in whatever ways they can to help make our Association as strong as possible. At the end of this Newsletter you will see a Membership Application. If you know of anyone, whether family or friends, who is interested in preserving history and having a good time doing it, please pass the application on to them. Together we can do more!!

~ 45th ANNUAL SHOW FEATURING INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER ~

Work on this year's show is continuing with packet materials and updating maps. Please consider being a part of the planning by attending the meetings and volunteering to be a part of the 45th Annual Show!!

A report of progress from the Safety Committee will be posted in the February issue of the Newsletter. The Safety Policy will be posted in the Newsletter once approved.

~ CHAPEL NEWS ~

Contact Ann Salyer at annsana@aol.com for any questions pertaining to the Chapel. Watch future Newsletters for upcoming postings for the Chapel events and services.

~ SOS UPDATE ~

The winner of this year's quilt raffle was Sharon Maki of Watton. She purchased the winning ticket at the Honor Flight. Her husband was one of the many Veterans on this flight. Congratulations, Sharon!! Work is continuing on the 2020 quilt to be raffled off at the next Christmas in the Village. Watch for future picture!

~ THANK YOU CARDS TO SISTERS OF STEAM ~

From U.P. Honor Flight - Thank you for your generous donation to the U.P. Honor Flight. We appreciate your support to take all our Veterans to DC to view the memorials erected in their honor. Thank you.

From State Representative Beau M. LaFave- It has come to my attention that you have recently gifted the U.P. Honor Flight a generous donation. Your generosity is inspiring. Thanks to you, our veterans can have the opportunity to visit our nation's capital and explore the war memorials dedicated to them. If there is anything you need from my office, please do not hesitate to reach out. Sincerely, Beau Matthew LaFave, State Representative, 108th House District.

~ MEETING SCHEDULE ~

No Board Meeting or VVC Meeting in January unless necessary. Notification will be sent out if one is scheduled.

Wednesday, February 5, 2020

Membership Meeting @ M-TEC Building, Room 2020, at 6:30 P.M.

Thursday, February 20, 2020

SOS (Sisters of Steam) Meeting @ Harbor Towers (110 S. 5th Street) at 11:30 a.m. Will be working on quilt. Bring bag lunch. SOS Meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of each month.

Wednesday, February 26, 2020

VVC Meeting @ Antique Village Community Building at 5:30 p.m. VVC Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of each month.

Board of Directors Meeting @ Antique Village Community Building at 6:30 p.m. Board Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of each month.

~ MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS ~

Please contact Susie Beauchamp if you still need to renew membership. Also, new Lifetime Membership Cards are available. Please contact Susie if you have any questions regarding memberships.

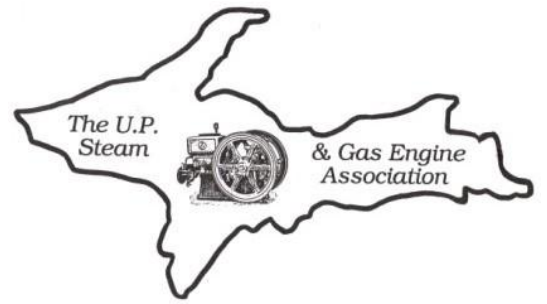
~ REMINDERS TO MEMBERSHIP ~

All requests for demonstrations, speaking and vending in the Village proper must go through the VVC for review. The Board makes all final decisions. The VVC job description is available upon request. **VVC (Village Shop/Visiting Vendor Review Committee) Members:** Jon Paul LaFave, jplafave@hotmail.com; Joanne Dufour, joanndufour@charter.net; Anne Chapman; Beth Cox, bcglass@up.net; Donna Thurston, thebrook2009@hotmail.com; Sue Stanley.

If you have any information that you would like to share with the Club, please send it to Wendy at wlgibson2010@gmail.com or call me at 906-251-0119 and I will get in in the Newsletter. The deadline to submit to the Newsletter will be the 12th of each month.

Membership Application

By submitting this form, I agree to support the Association by paying my dues and by assisting to the best of my ability.



- New Membership Renewing Membership
- Single Membership (\$15 annual dues) Family Membership (\$20 annual dues)
- Lifetime Membership (No annual dues, donation appreciated)
Must be at least 70 years of age and been a member for 10 consecutive years to be eligible

Method of Payment: Cash Check made payable to the U.P. Steam and Gas Engine Association

Date of Application _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (_____) _____ Email _____

Please indicate the areas in which you would consider volunteering a few hours of your time:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fair Week | <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Show | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas in the Village |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cook Shack | <input type="checkbox"/> Show Set Up | <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising & Promotion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Store | <input type="checkbox"/> Show Clean Up | <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Museum |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Cream Shop | <input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography & Video |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Museum Office | <input type="checkbox"/> Cook Shack | <input type="checkbox"/> Village Landscaping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Saw Mill | <input type="checkbox"/> Cut Off Saw | <input type="checkbox"/> Village Maintenance |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibitor Registration | <input type="checkbox"/> Website & Social Media |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Flea Market | <input type="checkbox"/> Work Bees |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Gate | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> General Store | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Cream Shop | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Memberships | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Museum Office | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Pie Sales | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Saw Mill | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Shingle Mill & Rock Crusher | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Threshing & Bailing | |

Please return this application with payment to the Membership Secretary

You may also mail application and payment to:
Memberships
The U.P. Steam & Gas Engine Association
P. O. Box 954
Escanaba, MI 49829