

GAMTRA FEBRUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER

Wintertime greetings old iron (and just plain old) folks! Hope everyone had a safe & happy holiday season. We recently had our first hard freeze of the season. Hope you remembered to drain those engines & tractors that you don't put antifreeze in. If you didn't, they drained themselves. Just got a little crack to repair come spring. The days are getting longer now, a sure sign that winter will soon be losing its grip. Have fun & be safe!

February 17: The Great Outhouse Race on Snow at the Sapphire Valley Ski Resort in Sapphire, NC.

February 21-24: Florida Flywheelers Show in Ft Meade, Fla.

February 29: Pioneer Park Days in Zolfo Springs, Fla. (believe this is cancelled)

March 9: Bair-ly Pulling Tractor Pull in St George, SC.

It's not too early to start planning for our swap meet at the park on Saturday, March 23. Clear out some of your stuff & sell or swap it for someone else's stuff! Hopefully we'll have some fliers to hand out to friends at the meeting.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, February 1 at the Citizens Resource Center in Dallas @ 6:00, another 'bring your own supper' meeting. Attendance has been down for the past couple months, even I didn't make it to the January meeting, but hopefully things will pick up with the days getting longer and a little more friendly to getting out of the house. Come on & join us!

Again, y'all help me out on the local engine/tractor shows, cruise ins and other interesting happenings in the area. Also, if you've got anything you'd like printed in the newsletter, looking for a part or got something to sell, need to update an address or just need some advice on women or any of the other oddities of life, give me (Reggie) a call at 704-263-2980. Keep trying till you get me.

Walking into the bar, Grady said to the bartender, "Pour me a stiff one, I just had another argument with the little woman." "Oh yeah?" said Max, "And how did this one end?" Mike replied "When it was over, she came to me on her hands and knees." "Really," said the bartender, "Now that's a switch! What did she say?" "She said come out from under that bed, you bloody coward."

Thought for the day from Rev. Stone. Marriage is the triumph of imagination over intelligence.