MCI Newsletter











WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Its hard to believe that winters almost over. Just little over three weeks and we will have the first day of spring. I hope all of you fellow Massey Collectors were able to finish the projects you had planned for the winter. I always have plans finish several and I'm blessed if I can get one accomplished. That sort of tells us that the older we get the slower we go. I did get a Massey Ski Whiz restored in time to go to Poncelots for the Whiz in. A great time was had by all who attended in spite of the extreme cold weather. I really missed a lot of Massey fun by not attending the last nine years. I don't believe anyone could match Joe"s table of memrobelia and Jo Jo"s homemade chilli and rolls. Included are several pictures from the Whiz In. I did get a chance to teach my grandchildren to drive the Ski Whiz when we returned home from Minnesota. They both had a great time until Kenzie hit a tree head on. Just a few tears, bruised lip & gum but they are both ready for more snow. There is some pictures of yours truly on the Ski Whiz plus the grandkids. I may be almost 70 but still have some kid left in me. I am looking forward to restoring a couple more of my Ski Whiz"s for next year. I want to remind everyone of the MCA spring meeting in Hermatige PA. on March 14th and 15th. Our MCI spring meeting will be held in Jerseyville II. on March 22nd. We will be meeting at Hickory Grove restaurant 1 mile south of Jerseyville on Rt 67 on the west side of the road. Plan on eating at 11:30. After our meeting is over I will give a tour of my business and some of my collection if you would like. hope to see you at the spring meeting. I am looking forward to this seasons show.

Until next time,

Charlie Gerson







Your MCI Officers



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UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>2014</u>

June 6-7 July 18-20 July 31, Aug. 1-2	Massey Days 20 - Dale Lawrance MCI State Show Massey Expo of North America	St. James, MO Charleston, IL Rushville, IN
<u>2015</u>		
June 11-13	Massey Days 21 - Mike Popp	Baraboo, WI
<u>2016</u>		
June	Massey Days 22 - John Bush	Shelbyville, IN

2014 MCI BALLOT				
Please write in your vote for the person you feel will best fit the job. Please only write in one candidate for each position.				
President:	🗌 Charlie Gerson	Treasurer:		
Vice President:	Ron Yanos			
		-		
Please mail your ballot to Don Madlem • 350 Decker Springs Road • Charleston, IL 61920				

We have come of age. Come celebrate the 21st MASSEY DAY!



Dale and Marianne Lawrence's Farm St. James, MO 65559 June 6 - 7, 2014

... Early Arrivals Welcome, Thursday, June 5th



ACTIVITIES

- Browsing among old stuff
- Stories about old stuff
- Lies about old stuff
- Recognition for Best Liar
- Some attendees may be "old stuff"
- Boat Races
- Blindfold Driving
- Entertainment

Lunch: concessions available both days Friday Complimentary Supper for All Saturday Night Banquet & Auction



As you can see, we have a little cleaning up to do around here. When we are done, there will be plenty of stuff at the auction.

Local Fine Dining available



Elegant Lodging available, down the road a piece



Hotels in Rolla, MO			
Comfort Suites	573-368-4300		
Baymont Inn	573-364-7000		
Super 8	573-426-6688		
Best Western	573-341-2511		
EconoLodge	573-341-3130		
Drury Inn	573-364-4000		
Days Inn	573-341-3700		
Hampton Inn	573-308-1060		

Hatals in Balla MC

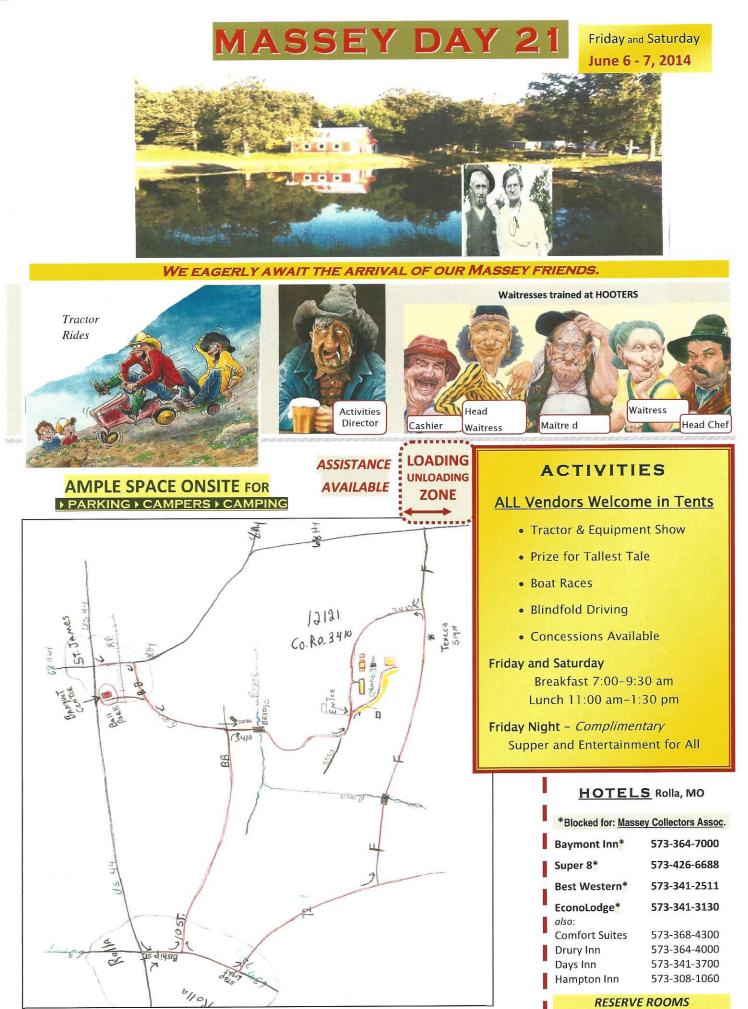
Farm fresh food from fresh fertilizer



Peddler's space available in shed



Stay tuned for further information coming by newsletter, Legacy or www.masseycollectors.com contact: Dale 314-581-0829 - mobile 636-949-3800 - office



AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

MASSEY LOVER'S ANNUAL MASSEY SHOW

July 4th, 5th and 6th, 2014

Setup July 3rd, 2014

BOCO BP Gas Station Orangeville, Ill

"OLD MASSEYS COLLECT THE NICEST PEOPLE"







Massey Harris, Massey Ferguson, Ferguson and Wallis Combines, Implements, Toys, Memorabilia Restored or in Their Work Clothes... All is Welcomed! Exhibitor Get-Together Saturday Night

Come Look, Enjoy and Visit! Make New Friends and Memories Along the Way!

> For more info contact: Larry Nordmeyer (262) 903-1580 or Pat Nordmeyer (608) 966-3070 Formally managed by Harry Bowen

EAST CENTRAL IL ANTIQUE FARM EQUIP. CLUB

INVITES YOU TO OUR 2014 SHOW

COLES COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS CHARLESTON, IL JULY 18, 19, & 20, 2014





~~~ FREE GATE!! ~~~ Visit www.eciafec.org ~~~





**O TRACTOR PARADES O THRESHING DEMOS O** 

O ANTIQUE TRACTOR PULLS O LIVE MUSIC O

O CAR SHOW O FLEA MARKET O KIDS ACTIVITIES O

SUNDAY

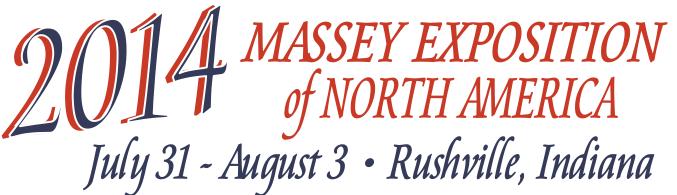
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SERVICES



OLD FASHIONED VISITING & SHARING

Contact Larry Newby, President- (217) 348-8998 or 549-8998 Todd Easton, Treas. toddeaston@terrydalefarms.com or 232-0775 Tractor Pull Jerry Thomas- (217) 345-7858 Car Show Don Nees (217) 345-7898



3 Miles South of Town - Just Off Highway 3 · GPS Address - 3707 S Co Rd 200 W Hosted by

Indiana Massey Collectors Association • Pioneer Engineers Club of Indiana, Inc

In Conjunction with 66th Annual Pioneer Engineers Reunion

Featuring

The Massey Family of Agriculture Equipment (Wallis, Massey-Harris, Ferguson, Massey Ferguson) 4 Day Gate Pass - \$10.00 or \$5 per Day

> (Includes membership & insurance - wrist bands issued at gate) Children Under 12 Are FREE



Entertainment • Threshing Working Line-Shaft Machine Shop Field Event • Corn Shelling Sawmilling • Calliope • Flea Market **Daily Kids Activities & Events Church Services** 4pm Saturday & 9am Sunday

Exhibitor Dinner Provided at Event Thursday & Friday Banquet on Saturday

#### Have Questions or Special Needs?

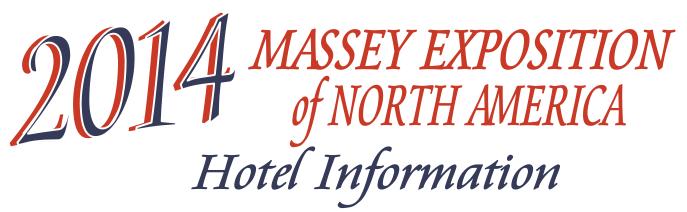
Primitive Camping - Glynn Graham 317.642.9889 glynngraham61@gmail.com Special Massey Vending - Gary Emsweller 317.745.7949 MasseyH@aol.com Memorabilia Tables - Gary Emsweller 317.745.7949 MasseyH@aol.com Exhibitor Dinners - Tom Tague 765.561.2561 tomcarolt@yahoo.com Banquet & Auction Saturday - Vernon Knight 812.864.2289 Misfire41@aol.com

#### 2014 Show Committee

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A block of rooms has been reserved exclusively for our Massey family guests at the only hotel in Rushville. Rooms will not be easy to find as you move forward, so do not hesitate to make your reservations. Special nightly rates are \$85.95. Please ask for rooms under the name "Gary Emsweller." Rooms will be held until July 1, 2014.

#### **Comfort Inn**

320 Conrad Harcourt Way Rushville, Indiana 46173 765-932-2999

Located on the North side of Rushville on Highway 3 Approximately 5.8 miles from the show grounds

## Other Hotels

Greensburg (South of Rushville)

#### Hampton Inn & Suites Greensburg

2075 N Michigan Ave, Greensburg, IN 47240 (812) 663-5000 *17.5 Miles* 

#### Holiday Inn Express Greensburg

915 W Ann Blvd, Greensburg, IN 47240 (812) 663-5500 *16.9 Miles* 

#### **Baymont Inn & Suites Greensburg**

2317 Indiana 3, Greensburg, IN 47240 (812) 663-6055 *17.5 Miles* 

#### **Quality Inn & Suites**

2211 Indiana 3, Greensburg, IN 47240 (812) 663-9998 *17.5 Miles* 





Shelbyville (West of Rushville)

#### Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Shelbyville

38 W Rampart Rd, Shelbyville, IN 46176 (317) 398-0800 24.8 Miles

#### **Quality Inn & Suites**

111 Lee Blvd, Shelbyville, IN 46176 (317) 392-2299 21.5 Miles

#### Hampton Inn Shelbyville

59 E Rampart Rd, Shelbyville, IN 46176 (317) 398-9100 *24.8 Miles* 

#### **Comfort Inn**

36 W Rampart Rd, Shelbyville, IN 46176 (317) 398-8044 *24.8 Miles* 

**Super 8 Shelbyville** 20 W Rampart Rd, Shelbyville, IN 46176 (317) 392-6239 24.8 Miles

*Primitive Camping is Available on Show Grounds* Contact *Glynn Graham* 317.642.9889 *glynngraham61@gmail.com* for pricing and reservations.









# The Annual Massey Exposition of North America Banquet & Benefit Auction

Saturday August 2, 2014 Rush County Fairgrounds • Root Building 1299 N. Sexton Street, Rushville, IN 46173 6:00 pm

The Meal Will Include

Fried Chicken, Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes and White Gravy, Green Beans, Corn, Tossed Salad, Dessert and Ice Tea or Water

Cost is \$20 per person and is payable with your reservation to IMCA

Reservations need to be submitted by July 12, 2014

Vernon Knight 5276 W State Rd 42 Brazil, IN 47834-7273

Phone 812-864-2289 Email misfire41@aol.com

The Annual MENA Benefit Auction helps to offset the costs associated with the National Show. Donations, Contributions and Liberal Bidding are very MUCH APPRECIATED.

Fill out the information below and send it along with payment to the address above.

| State                       | Zip                                      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------|
|                             | ST COLLECTORS ASSPOC                     |
|                             | NUE M-H)                                 |
| Number of Meals @ \$20 = \$ | Total Included                           |
|                             | State<br><br>Number of Meals @ \$20 = \$ |

### <u>CLASSIFIED:</u>

Massey Harris 2 Bottom Row Tip Plow, Good Condition but missing coulters. Call Charles Russell - Phone: 618-2384302

## TREASURERS REPORT AS OF 12/31/2014

| INCOME                                                           |            | TOTAL             | EXPENCES                                                    |                  | TOTAL      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------|
| MCI/MCA DUES                                                     |            |                   | MCA DUES                                                    |                  |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 01/03/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$710.00         |            |
| 01/15/13 deposit dues                                            | \$485.00   |                   | 01/30/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$425.00         |            |
| 02/08/13 deposit dues                                            | \$325.00   |                   | 02/27/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$350.00         |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 03/25/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$150.00         |            |
| 02/28/13 deposit dues \$420.00<br>04/26/13 deposit dues \$250.00 |            |                   | 04/25/13 M C A dues                                         | \$25.00          |            |
|                                                                  | \$280.00   |                   | 04/25/13 M C A dues \$25.00<br>05/01/13 M.C.A. dues \$25.00 |                  |            |
| 06/10/13 deposit dues                                            |            |                   |                                                             |                  |            |
| 07/15/13 Deposit dues                                            | \$90.00    |                   | 05/27/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$125.00         |            |
| 12/10/13 deposit dues                                            | \$215.00   |                   | 06/10/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$100.00         |            |
| 12/27/13 deposit dues                                            | \$120.00   |                   | 06/26/13 M C A dues                                         | \$50.00          |            |
| Tota                                                             |            | \$2.185.00        | 08/26/13 M.C.A. dues                                        | \$50.00<br>Total | \$2.010.0  |
| 1014                                                             | I          | <b>φ</b> 2,105.00 |                                                             | TOTAL            | \$2,010.0  |
| MEALS INCOME                                                     |            |                   | MERCHANDISE                                                 |                  |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 03/23/13 Don M.bags/merch                                   | \$483.58         |            |
| Tota                                                             | I          | \$0.00            | 06/10/13 Don M merc,44.84 post.34.50                        |                  |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 06/18/13 Don M Shirts&hats                                  | \$1,562.86       |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   |                                                             | Total            | \$2,125.7  |
|                                                                  |            |                   |                                                             |                  |            |
| MERCHANDISE                                                      |            |                   | NEWSLETTER                                                  |                  |            |
| 06/10/13 Deposit shirts& caps                                    | \$771.00   |                   | 02/07/13 Paap printing newletter                            | \$389.00         |            |
| 07/15/13 Deposit sales shirts hats                               | \$1,074.00 |                   | 05/06/13 Paap printing newletter                            | \$389.00         |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 08/24/13 Don Madlem Postage N/letter                        |                  |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 08/25/13 Paap printing newletter                            | \$240.00         |            |
| Tota                                                             | I          | \$1,845.00        |                                                             | Total            | \$1,036.3  |
|                                                                  |            |                   | MEALS PAID                                                  |                  |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 07/11/13 Prarieland power banquit                           | \$700.00         |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   |                                                             | 5700.00          | \$700.0    |
| MISC.                                                            |            |                   | MISC.                                                       | Iotal            | φ/00.0     |
| 07/15/13 replace bad check and bank fees                         | \$77.00    |                   | 03/23/13 licence 18 postage 63.70                           | \$81.20          |            |
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| <b>T</b> _4-                                                     |            | 677.00            |                                                             |                  |            |
| Tota                                                             | 1          | \$77.00           | 03/23/13 American Family Ins. Trl.                          | \$65.30          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 03/23/13 Jacks Café Donation                                | \$50.00          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 04/21/13 Melba Kieser flowers                               | \$61.61          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 06/10/13 Charles Gerson tire                                | \$169.64         |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 07/12/13 Deb Armstrong I&I mag ad                           | \$60.00          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 07/10/13 Bad check and bank fees                            | \$77.00          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 08/24/13 tent rent half century                             | \$506.00         |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 08/24/13 Char. Gerson show mat,                             | \$47.70          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   | 12/24/13 Ron Albers printer ink                             | \$28.66          |            |
|                                                                  |            |                   |                                                             | Total            | \$1,207.1  |
| TOTAL INCOME TO DATE                                             |            | \$4,107.00        | TOTAL EXPENCES TO DAT                                       | E                | \$7,079.2  |
| BALANCE IN CHECK BOOK                                            | CO 540 CT  |                   | BEGINNING BALANCE AS OF 01/01/13                            |                  | 60 F40 -   |
|                                                                  | \$3,540.27 |                   |                                                             |                  | \$6,512.5  |
| CASH ON HAND                                                     | \$100.00   |                   | PLUS INCOME                                                 | -                | \$4,107.0  |
| CD #1 VALUE AS OF 1/06/2014                                      | \$6,054.93 |                   | TOTAL                                                       |                  | \$10,619.5 |
| CD #2 VALUE AS OF 1/06/2014                                      | \$5,162.78 |                   | MINUS EXPENCES                                              | _                | \$7,079.2  |
|                                                                  |            |                   | ENDING BALANCE AS OFF 12/31/2014                            |                  | \$3,540.2  |





## DON'T FORGET TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR! MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FOR MASSEY COLLECTORS OF ILLINOIS (MCI)

MASSEY COLLECTORS OF ILLINOIS (MCI) is a chapter of the Massey Collectors Association, a national organization dedicated to the preservation and promotion of the Massey product line for collectors and enthusiest. MCI was formed to advance the hobby in Illinois and neighboring states. It affords its members additional opportunities to gather with fellow enthusiasts. MCI sponsers an annual Spring Gathering and during the summer to promote Illinois show featuring Massey-Harris, Massey-Ferguson and Wallis machinery. A newsletter is published on a quarterly basis. Annual dues for MCI membership are \$30, which also covers your annual membership to MCA. Join MCI/MCA and add good friends to your collection!

\$30 Membership fee includes your MCI & MCA dues. Do not send to MCA, MCI will do it for you.

#### PLEASE DETACH AND SEND TO THE ADDRESS BELOW

| NAME(S)       |                           | DATE                                                                                                      |  |
|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| STREET/PO BOX |                           | _                                                                                                         |  |
| CITY          | STATE                     | _ ZIP                                                                                                     |  |
| PHONE         | EMAIL                     |                                                                                                           |  |
| YEAR          |                           |                                                                                                           |  |
| NEW MEMBER    | in the MCI & MCA me       | d like your name and address listded<br>A membership Directories (uses of<br>re limited to members only). |  |
| RENEWAL       | those directories are lin |                                                                                                           |  |

Please send payment to: Ron Albers Sr. • 19223 St Rt 161 • Carlyle, IL 62231 • 618-594-3384

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#### MASSEY COLLECTORS OF ILLINOIS

Massey Collectors of Illinois (MCI) was founded November 30, 2002 and was established as a chapter of Massey Collectors Association, Inc. (MCA) on March 8, 2003.

#### MCI Board of Directors

The purpose of MCI is to promote the preservation and interest in the historical value of the Massey and Ferguson product lines for collectors and enthusiasts.





Do you have an article or picture to share? Do you have something for sale, or are you looking for a part for a tractor? Then submit it to your MCI newsletter.

Just send your info to:

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