

2021 Board Members:

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Dear Potential New Member:

The Nowthen Historical Power Association (aka: NHPA), looks forward to sharing the experience of the Nowthen Threshing Show with you. There is much to see and do and we hope that you will enjoy working with the organization and its members. NHPA holds monthly General Membership meetings and monthly Board meetings. The schedule is as follows:

| Type of Meeting | When | Time | Location |
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| General Membership | Third Thursday of Each Month. No meetings in December, January and February | 7:00 p.m. | Nowthen Threshing Show Grounds |
| Board Meeting | Second Wednesday of Each Month | 6:00 p.m. | Dehn's Country Manor |

NOTE: The only exceptions to the above schedule is our annual banquet and General Membership Meeting which is held on the third Saturday in March. This General Membership Meeting is when annual elections are held. Additional details on positions up for the election are available in the newsletter. Only paid members can participate in the voting process. Check the NHPA hotline or the website for the exact location of each meeting. All of July meetings meet at the show grounds, and our show weekend, which is the third weekend in August has no general membership meeting.

The Nowthen Historical Power Association provides the membership a means for immediate updates, just call the NHPA Hotline at (952-253-5774) where you can call to find out upcoming dates for meetings and other events happening with the Association. You can also leave a message if you have a question, issue, concern, etc. There is also our website at www.nowthenthreshing.com, in which all information, dates and other NHPA happenings are posted. Follow us on Facebook to get up to the minute news. NHPA members also receives newsletters during the year. Keeping NHPA updated with your e-mail address is also an excellent way to get additional information.

NHPA is a working organization. The association organizes, plans, and runs the Nowthen Threshing Show each year. This takes involvement from all of our members to put on an event of this size. New members are strongly encouraged to become involved and be willing to volunteer your time to prepare for our show. By attending our General Membership meetings, you can find out what is being planned for the show and learn where your help is needed most. If you are unable to attend our meetings, please feel free to call any of the Board members and someone would be happy to help you identify your interests and strengths so that you may become involved in one of our committees or projects.

You will receive a membership card and new member packet, after your membership application and dues have been received.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me or any of the members of the NHPA and we will be happy to help you.

Sincerely, Mary Wittenberg Secretary

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