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# PULLER NEWS

## 2011 OFFICERS

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Vice President  
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352.636.9898

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352.636.2782

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352.357.6271

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Courtney Canfield 352.408.0938  
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Todd Zellner 863.512.0752

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Rodney Brown 407.886.7739  
Don Zellner 863.660.6624

## COMING EVENTS

**DECEMBER 10 – 8:00 am – Track Work Day**  
For more information call Bill Mugler, Rob Waller or Bo Waller.

**JANUARY 7 – noon – Awards Banquet & Club Meeting**  
NOCIA Building, 4253 Ponkan Rd, Zellwood

First, we'll have potluck lunch.  
Bring your own drinks and a dish to pass.  
Club will provide meat, plates, napkins and utensils.

We'll have a silent auction for a Club fundraiser.  
Donate an item (new or used from the barn) to be sold to the highest bidder.  
Proceeds will go back into club treasury to be used for super pull expenses.

Bill will honor all 2012 points champions with awards.

We'll have an election for 2012 Club Officers and Directors.  
Prepare your nominations.

Set 2012 pull and event dates and renew memberships for 2012.

**JANUARY 13 and 14 – 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Super Pull**

Friday – Gates open at 2pm. Pull begins at 6pm.  
Saturday – Gates open at 11am. Pull begins at 4pm.  
Also on Saturday at noon – 4500lb and 6500lb  
Super Antique "King of the Hill" 6mph, added money  
Call Bobby Elen, 863-683-4108, for more information.

**Merry Christmas**



## Memo from the President

I think we had a good successful year. Thanks to everyone. We have had a lot of help and I appreciate it all. I want to thank Rob Waller and Johnny Assay for overhauling the sled's transmission and Bo Waller for quickly building a new yoke after the original was stolen. Thank you Jeff Gregory and Rob Waller for fixing the garden sled. The track and grounds always looks great. I hope to see everyone at the Awards Banquet, January 7, 2012. I am looking forward to handing out awards. *Bill Mugler*

## Welcome New Pullers

Matt Woods, from Weirsdale, and Johnny Edwards built Matt's 1993 Chevy 1500 for pulling in the 2WD Modified class. We first saw Matt pull in October. By November Matt took home a trophy. Congradulations Matt.

Lawrence and Jan Hayman drove over from Port Orange. Lawrence pulls a 1953 Farmall Super M in the heavier Super Antique and Open Gear classes. Hope you all enjoyed our track and will come back for 2012.



## Job Vacancy

Stan Bainter will give up garbage duty. Thanks Stan for keeping the grounds clean. Let Bill know if you will take the job, we'll have a key to the gate made for you.

### 2011 TOTAL HOOKS

Date	Truck	Tractor	GardenTractor
3/19	10	56	25
4/16	5	48	7
5/21	8	40	14
6/25	7	29	13
9/17	9	52	17
10/22	15	55	30
11/19	12	50	19

## 2011-2012 Pull Schedules for Neighboring Clubs

**Citrus County Fair Association** 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Tractor Pull Jan 27 – 29, 2012, Inverness, [www.citruscountyfair.com](http://www.citruscountyfair.com)

**Bull Pen Pullers** at Citrus County Fairgrounds, Inverness, [www.citruscountyfair.com](http://www.citruscountyfair.com)  
2012 regular pulls are scheduled for April 21, June 23, Aug 18 and Oct 20  
Scales and registration open at 10am; pull begins at 1pm.

**Florida Flywheelers** at Fort Meade, [www.floridaflywheelers.org](http://www.floridaflywheelers.org)  
2012 Regular pulls are scheduled for April 14, May 12, June 9, Sept 8, Oct 13  
Scales and registration open at 10am; pull begins at noon.  
2012 Show dates are scheduled for Jan 18 – 21, Feb 22 – 25 and Nov 6 – 11

**Ocala Truck and Tractor Pull** at Southeastern Livestock Pavilion, Ocala, [www.ocalatractorpull.com](http://www.ocalatractorpull.com)  
5<sup>th</sup> Annual Truck and Tractor Pull, February 3 – 4, 2012  
MD Lokai, DVM @ 352-843-0146

**Paquette's 5th Annual** Historical Farmall Show and FL Chapter 27 State Show  
Leesburg, Florida, March 8 – 10, 2012, 352-267-4448

**Pioneer Florida Museum and Village**, monthly Garden Tractor Pulls  
one mile north of Dade City off Highway 301 North, east on Pioneer Museum Road  
352-567-0262, [www.pioneerfloridamuseum.org](http://www.pioneerfloridamuseum.org)

**FOR SALE**

Oliver 88 V-8  
*RED HEADED STEP CHILD*  
\$3500 no motor, \$5000 with new 454 40 <sup>over</sup>  
Contact Rob Waller @ 352.636.9898

**FOR SALE**

A WINNER  
1951 Case DC Puller  
Farm Stock 4500-5500  
Excellent tin and paint \$2200 OBO  
Contact Bill Tripp @ 772.766.6581

**FOR SALE**

14" CRAFTSMAN BAND SAW  
on wheels, 194 lbs, used once  
\$550 new, will sell for \$250 OBO  
Puller needs a new tire  
Contact Stan Bainter @ 352.483.0770

**FOR SALE**

1989 F250-89 PULL TRUCK  
429 motor, 750 Holly, double pump  
Mallory Dist, wires and coil  
Dana 60 rear and front  
\$2500  
Call Crash @ 407.212.6580

**FOR SALE**

MAGNETIC NUMBERS - \$5.00  
Made to stay put and last long.  
Several colors available.  
For every magnet sold \$2.00 goes back to the club.  
Kirk Mugler has a sample on his Case IH and is taking orders.

**FOR SALE**

*THE ROOSTER*  
1976 Sears Roper Twin Engine Garden Tractor  
A fun tractor \$1600 OBO  
Contact Bill Tripp @ 772.766.6581

**FOR SALE**

75LB MASSEY FERGUSON 165 WHEEL WEIGHTS  
outside diameter is 21 inches, bolt circle is 16.5 inches  
center hole is 11.5 inches, thickness at outer edge is 3 inches  
central area thickness is 3.5 inches  
Sandblasted, primed and painted MF red.  
4 for \$100  
Contact Bob Henderson @ 352.383.0175

**FOR SALE**

CHEVY 454 BIG BLOCK  
Fresh and ready to run, over \$1100 just in head work  
Big cam, aluminum intake, electric water pump, etc  
Only four pulls on it, too heavy for my tractor.  
\$2500 OBO  
Contact Kirk Mugler @ 772.216.4911  
e-mail – kirk.mugler@uniphos.com

## Thank You Sponsors

**Brian's Tractor Service**

4868 W Ponkan Rd  
Apopka, FL 32712  
(407) 889-9185

Data Targeting  
Bainter Family

**Moose Lodge 1615**

17335 US Hwy 27  
Clermont



Civis, LLC  
Gainesville, FL

**Moose Lodge #1903**

Land O'Lakes, FL  
813-996-2871

**Ace Hardware**

The helpful place  
Eustis, Umatilla, Mt Dora, Tavares

**Faryna Grove Care and Harvesting**

Sunsational Citrus  
Fresh Fruit Shipping  
190 Mary St, Umatilla

**Murray Trucking**

Port Orange, FL  
330-385-9502

**White's Site Development**

Sanford, FL 32771  
(407) 302-1549

**MV Paving**

St. Cloud FL 34771  
(407) 891-8882

**A & M Napa Auto Parts**

Complete line of parts and accessories  
for cars, trucks and farm equipment  
180 Bud Ave, Umatilla

**Harris Oil Company**

21901 US Hwy 441 (near Hwy 46 overpass) Mt Dora  
sells 100% Gas – no ethanol  
race gas, diesel and lube oils

**Dr James Young**

Urology Associates Lake County  
801 Northshore Drive  
Eustis, FL 32726  
(352) 357-6786



Altamonte Springs, FL  
407-389-0744

## Bud Murray Scholarship Fund

Established by the Florida Antique Tractor Club and Mrs. Betty Murray  
2011 Scholarship amount is \$1500

The FATC is proud to announce the 2nd Annual Bud Murray Scholarship Fund for our club members and their immediate family currently pursuing a higher education or high school seniors and juniors wishing to pursue a higher education in Agriculture, Ag Engineering, Ag Tech or Animal Husbandry. The Deadline for all entries is December 10, 2011. The Scholarship will be awarded at the 2012 Annual Awards Banquet, January 7th. All interested applicants should complete the enclosed application and submit the following:

Cumulative GPA  
Community service hours  
Organizational affiliations (4H, FFA, etc),  
Accomplishments and awards  
Essay – Give us some background, tell us where you want to be in 10 years and describe the steps you will take to reach your 10 year plan.

Return your completed package to:

The Bud Murray Scholarship Fund  
c/o Dara Bainter  
13449 Oak Bend Dr  
Grand Island, FL 32735

## Bud Murray Scholarship Fund Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

FATC Member Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to FATC Member \_\_\_\_\_

Through our website [www.flpullers.com](http://www.flpullers.com), the Quarter Scale Team of students from the University of Florida found us and came down to Zellwood for our October pull. I heard they were extremely excited over our club's unexpected hospitality. Dave and Sue Garrant met the kids in October and are helping them with their invaluable experience and expertise. Pat Bainter lives in Gainesville and has made it a goal to help the team raise money and Jeff Gregory has found the needed parts to get the tractor built. Sarah Luther, Team Captain, wrote this article currently on the website's front page. The team has created a plan, a budget and time line. They are trying to raise \$7170 and heading to Illinois on May 29, 2012. Should we set aside a little money and buy a sponsorship?

## University of Florida Quarter Scale Tractor Student Design Competition



UF's American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) chapter has formed a team for the upcoming Quarter Scale Tractor Student Design Competition, to be held May 31- June 3, 2012. UF hasn't had a team in several years and they need a lot of help to get started again. The Quarter Scale Tractor Student Design Competition allows students to analyze market factors, document their development and test

efforts, and sell the merits of their product, just like they would as professionals in the engineering industry. They have to purchase a specified set of tires and engine and will compete in four different aspects of the competition: written design report, team presentation, static design judging, and performance-consisting of a tractor pull and maneuverability course. The specific rules, including maximum weight, width, and length, change every year and teams must design and build their tractor according to the current 18 page rulebook. Teams must establish a budget and secure funding for the building cost of each year's tractor. That's where we hope you come in.

Our small team of students is working very hard to make a good showing at the competition next year. However, this is only possible if our team is able to acquire the necessary funds, tools, and materials to build their design. Funds will be used for: Ground Transportation (Fuel and Truck), Steel/ Aluminum, Lodging, Parts, Etc. Sponsors are always welcome to come visit us in Gainesville and see our work in progress.

For more information on the competition visit: <http://www.asabe.org/membership/preprofessionalsstudents/14-scale-comp.aspx> or contact Sarah Luther, UF ASABE Fundraising Treasurer, Quarter Scale Tractor Team Captain, (719)357-1630, [sarahlou91@yahoo.com](mailto:sarahlou91@yahoo.com)

### **BANNER SPACE AVAILABLE**

**Display one trackside banner for one year (Max. size 30"x 96")**

**Your company name announced several times during events  
Sponsor will receive two (2) passes to the Super Pull in January**

**\$100.00 per year**

**The sponsor will provide all signage and promotional giveaways.**

**For more information call Stan Bainter @ 352.483.0770**

**ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE**

Family Membership \$35.00  
Business Membership \$45.00

Paid Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Family: \_\_\_ Business: \_\_\_

## Florida Antique Tractor Club Membership Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

List Family Members: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

List your garden tractor(s), tractor(s) or truck(s) that you and your family members will be pulling at the Zellwood track.

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	#	NAME

Please mail completed form with payment to:

Dara Bainter  
13449 Oak Bend Dr  
Grand Island, FL 32735

*All payments should be made payable to the Florida Antique Tractor Club*