

This meeting was our annual Christmas party. The party was held on January 17 at the Wilton Center town hall. Given that the weather was –COLD- did not seem to prevent member turnout. There were 42 member, family and friends in attendance. The meeting started off with the pledge of allegiance followed by a prayer from John Cronin. A few announcements, followed by a report on the Peotone FFA toy show. The Club sold approximately 300 raffle tickets on the pedal tractors.

The display of food provided by members was impressive. A special thanks goes to Carol and Wayne Hossback, Donna and Jay Roesel, and Jean and Charles Kestel for providing turkeys and hams. THANK YOU! No one went away hungry.

The party capped off with a silent auction of many donated items. The results of the aution provided \$240 to the club treasury. Many thanks to Connie Schuler fir handling the party arrangements and auction.

Looking forward, the club is in need of volunteers to assist with ticket sales at the upcoming toy shows. Contact Brad if you can help. Also plan to attend our next meeting, February 11th at the Manhattan Bank to support the club in the coming year. Please remember the upcoming CIH plant tour on March 3rd. There is still space available. We will need to have 40 people to cover expenses.

Again, a large thank you to all who attended to make for a great party!

Alan

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Connie's Corn Casserole

- 1 can cream corn
- 1 can whole corn with liquid
- 1 small container sour cream
- 1 jiffy corn muffin mix
- 1 tbsp sugar
- ½ stick butter melted
- 1 egg

Mix ingredients then bake at 350 for 45 minutes to 1 hour until lightly browned