

The meeting of the NDABA met Sept 24, 2012 at 11AM in Carrington.

Ed called the meeting to order. Those attending were Ed Barnhardt, Duane Geir, Kent Meidinger, Jeff Pfau, Jerry Hohertz, Clyde and Bonnie Nelson, Tom and Lana Ose.

The secretary's report was read and approved. The treasurer's report was passed out and approved. Profit so far in 2011 is \$2904.94.

District reports: Some shops reported being busy while others had work to do but no back log.

Magazine report: Clyde will continue with the magazine but continues to stress to please get articles to him. He needs your help.

Convention 2012 in Minot: Eddie is wanting your input for ideas for speakers at the convention. Please e-mail him if you have a good idea.

Districts 6, 11, and 12 are needing representation on the board.

Web site: If you have a web site and want to be linked to the NDABA contact either Eddie or Clyde and they will get it set up. They are very pleased with the young man that has been doing the work on the site of our organization.

New Business: Kent will communicate with NDSCS and Eddie will contact BJC to get names for scholarships by Feb 15, 2012. These scholarships will be presented at the convention. Instructors at these schools will be invited to the next meeting.

Vice president, secretary, and district rep positions will be open. Please consider volunteering to fill one of these positions.

One area that the association needs to work on is to encourage young people to go into the autobody trade. Techs are needed all over the state.