

Bagley & Brazeau

Joyriders Snowmobile Club

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October 2009 Snow News & Minutes

Presidents Corner

Wow, we are off to a great start this year. We already have 53 members who have renewed their membership this year and 4 new members who have joined are club. I would like to say a big thank you to all the members who continue to support our club with your membership. To those members who have not renewed your membership a renewal membership envelope is included in this mailing.

Already this year your club has been hard at work. We just completed a project opening up a new trail which takes us off of Marl Lake Road from Lee Lake Road to South Marl Lake Road. This is a big improvement to our trail system and any time we can move a trail off of a road it makes are trail system that much safer. A big thank to all the members who worked on this project.

As indicated in the last newsletter Debbie Baumberger has resigned her position as Secretary / Treasurer. I am pleased to inform you that Kelly Kramer has volunteered to become our Treasurer, she will be voted in at our next meeting. We still have the position of Secretary to fill. All interested parties in this position please attend our next meeting.

An update on the Ad Hoc Committee that I volunteered to become a member of evaluating the needs of the Brazeau Township regarding a new Rescue Squad/Fire Department Building. This past weekend the committee has been distributing a survey regarding this issue to get impute from the community. If you did not get your survey contact me, and I will send it to you.

Yours truly,

Roy Lawrenz

Think Snow for another Great Year

Meeting Schedule 09-10 Season

Second Club Meeting of the Year November 7th, 2009 Lee Lake Tavern Time 9:00 am

At this meeting we will be holding the election of officers. We are looking for a candidate to become our club Secretary. Duties would be to take the minutes at the meeting and e-mail them to Roy Lawrenz so they can be included in the monthly club newsletter. If you have any questions about this position please contact Roy at 920-897-2499. We have a lot of exciting projects to complete this fall to make our trail system even better. Last year was a very good year for our club; let's make this one even better.

December 5, 2009 Club Meeting
Wescott Lake Tavern
Wescott Lake, WI
9:00 am

January 9, 2009 Club Meeting
Viz's Kelly Lake Bar
Kelly Lake, WI
9:00 am

February 6, 2010 Club Meeting
Snazz & Janes Klondike Bar
Klondike, WI
10:00 am

February 6, 2010
Walkers Bay Supper Club
5238 N. Parkway Rd
Pound, WI
Annual Dinner Ride Event
6:00 pm Coctails

March 13, 2010 Club Meeting
Wouters Front II LLC
White Potato Lake, WI
10:00 am

April 3, 2010 Club Meeting
Club Snowmobile Building
Lee Lake, WI
9:00 am

October 3, 2009 Minutes

Meeting was called to order by President Roy Lawrenz at 9:10 at the club storage shed.

First Order of Business

Secretary's Report

A motion to accept the Secretary's report minutes as printed in the monthly newsletter was made by Tom Stadler, seconded by Andy Baker. Motion approved.

Second Order of Business

Treasurer's Report

A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as given by Acting Treasurer Roy Lawrenz was made by Jerry Frey and second by Tom Stadler. Motion approved.

Third Order of Business

Old Business

Trail reports

Bert Wiedemeier brought to the clubs attention that the trail north of Klondike on the McDonald's land may need rerouting. If the trail does need to be moved this will be a major project developing a new trail through the woods. He will report back to the club at the next meeting are options.

Landowner Liability Insurance

Roy Lawrenz explained to the membership how the landowner liability insurance policy works and what documents are required from the landowners.

Trail Map Ads

The map ad project is complete.

Reroute –Goldhorn Road

Update on a trail reroute-goldhorn road, Mark & Tom are going to try and resolve the problem today by talking to the landowner that we need to cross.

Forth Order of Business

New Business

New Marl Lake Trail

Tom Stadler told the group that we are moving the trail off of Marl Lake Road to the first row of pine trees on the west side of the road heading north. This will be easier on the groomer as he was damaging his equipment when grooming this area.

New Trail Poles & Signs

New poles for our signs have been made by Tom. Tom Stadler reported that new trail marking signs have been ordered from the state and should be in by the end of October. Jerry Frey volunteered to pick up the new signs from the County in Oconto and put them into the storage building.

New Plot Books

Tom Stadler brought up the fact that it has been several years since we bought current landowner plot books. Tom Stadler made a motion to purchase 4 books one for each trail boss, second by Tony Gmand. Motion approved. Jerry will purchase the books when he picks up the signs.

The guys that picked up all the signs from last season also asked that when marking trails that the signs are put well out of the groomers way so they can turn corners without tearing them down.

Brushing of Trails / Speed Limit

Tom Stadler reported we need to work on brushing 201 Cooley Lake, Deer Lake Rd, Butler Springs Rd and Marl Lake Rd. Tom Stadler also reported we need to make sure that Udell Rd is posted as 25 mph. The Township has made that a Speed Limit Law and some snowmobilers last year were fined.

Plexiglas Map Signs

Andy Baker volunteered to make Plexiglas map signs to be posted for people to see exactly where they are. We will have 6 new signs on our trail system this year.

Groomer News

Mark bought a new used groomer for Bert with less mileage and in better condition. He sold the old one to a club in New York.

Roy Lawrenz brought up that we need to get younger people involved in our club and snowmobiling. The AWSC is doing a good job in promoting snowmobiling for young people and are offering some excellent programs for them to get involved, including a youth snowmobile ride state wide.

State Funding

Each year the state audits all clubs on their requests for state funding. The state found some errors in our reports as it relates to our work sheets. When filling out your work sheets and you account for vehicle use only report the time it is driven, and that includes your time using a chain saw or any other activity, etc. The state assumes that you cannot be driving your car and operating a chain saw at the same time.

Storage Building Lease

Roy Lawrenz brought to the attention of the club that the lease on our storage building is up for renewal. A motion was made by Jerry Frey to renew our lease, second by Tom Stadler. Motion approved.

AWSC Club Raffle Tickets

Roy Lawrenz informed the club that each year the AWSC runs a Club Raffle to raise funds for the AWSC. They get manufactures to offer some very nice prizes. He requested we again support the AWSC by purchasing 10 Club Raffle Tickets. A motion was made by Tom Stadler and second by Tony Gmand. Motion approved.

Election of Officers

Roy recommended and the club agreed to put off the election of officers till the next meeting so that candidates could find out what is involved with the responsibilities of each office.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 11:15 am by Jerry Frey and second by Tony Gnan.
Motion Approved