

# Bagley & Brazeau

## *Joyriders Snowmobile Club*

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### *February 2018 Snow News & Minutes*

#### **New Event For Our Club**

**Club All Day Ride And  
Followed up With A Club Dinner  
At the Holiday Inn On  
Kelly Lake, WI On  
February 3rd, 2018**

This ride is for everyone to enjoy including members and friends.

We will meet on Lee Lake at 8:30 and depart on our ride at 9:00 sharp in the morning. We will be stopping for lunch and end up back on Lee Lake in plenty of time to clean up and enjoy and excellent meal at the Holiday Inn on Kelly Lake. Dinner will be served at 6:30. The evening meal will be Rome's delicious family style Chicken and Tenderloin Tips for only \$16.00 per person. If someone in your family does not want to ride we encourage you to bring them to the dinner.

In the event we do not have enough snow for the ride we will still be getting together for dinner, share stories about snowmobiling and our club in general.

If you are located north of Lee Lake and still want to ride with the group you can contact Tom Stadler at 920 585-2968 and he will arrange a place where you can meet us.

#### **Just Think Snow**

#### **All Day Ride Reservations**

**We need to know how many People will be participating in the ride and joining us for lunch and dinner at the Holiday Inn. If there is a family member who does not want to ride they can join us for dinner. To make your reservations for the event call Roy Lawrenz at 920-897-2499 or e-mail me at [roylawrenz@msn.com](mailto:roylawrenz@msn.com)**

**How many will be riding:\_\_\_\_\_**

**How many will join us for dinner \_\_\_\_\_**

**We need your Reservations by  
Wednesday January 31st 2018**

#### **Presidents Corner**

I want to say a big thank you to our members who have worked so hard this year in getting the trails ready. There has been some extra projects with fallen trees, etc. that need to be addressed and they really did a great job.

We have been getting a lot of compliments on the quality of our trails. But please respect our landowners by staying on the marked trails. We work each year very hard to communicate with the landowners where they want the trail. I have been getting some complaints that snowmobilers are not staying on the marked trails. This disrespect could lead us to losing that section of trail, so let us all work together.

Roy Lawrenz President

# Receive Your Monthly Newsletter by e-mail

At our last meeting we discussed giving the option to our membership of receiving your monthly newsletter using e-mail. Fifteen members are taking advantage of receiving the newsletter by e-mail. All you have to do to receive your newsletters by e-mail is e-mail me at [roylawrenz@msn.com](mailto:roylawrenz@msn.com) and we work to put you on our e-mail list.

## Membership Report

Year to date 135 members have renewed their membership and 9 new members joined our club for a total of 144. Want to give a special thank you to those members who have renewed their membership and welcome the 9 new member that have joined

## Meeting Events Schedule

### 2018 Special Event

#### February 3, 2018

##### All Day Club Ride

Meet in the middle of Lee Lake at 8:30 in the morning, ride all day, stop for lunch, and dinner at the Holiday Inn Restaurant at 6:30.  
Super Bowl Weekend

#### February 10, 2018

##### Club Meeting

##### Location:

Brad's Walter's II

White Potato Lake - Time 9:00 am

#### March 3, 2018

##### Club Meeting

##### Location:

Red Maple Country Club, Suring, WI.

Time 9:00 am

#### April 6, 2018 Special Event

Landowner Appreciation Dinner

Holiday Inn, Kelly Lake, WI

### April 7, 2018

Club Meeting - Work Weekend

##### Location:

Club Storage Building, Lee Lake, WI. –

Time 9:00 am

## JANUARY 6, 2018 MEMBER MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at G3 Up North Gas Station and Restaurant, N4111 County Rd S, Pound, Wisconsin by President Roy Lawrenz at 9:00 AM. 16 members were present.

### First Order of Business

#### Secretary's Report

A motion was made by Hubert Weidemeier and seconded by Brad Van Hoof to approve the minutes. Motion approved.

### Second Order of Business

#### Treasurer's Report

Chuck Panure submitted the Treasurer's report on club income and expenses. A motion to approve the report was made Adam Krause and seconded by Jerry Frye. Motion approved.

### Third Order of Business

#### New Business

Roy reported that we now have 135 members with 8 new members. This is good news even if down from last year due to those wanting to join because of trail passes.

Town of Brazeau needs a current map because there is now an ordinance that says snowmobilers can run the ditch line if they live close to a trail to access it, but cannot run the ditch line if they cannot access a trail.

## TRAIL REPORTS

Bert Weidemeyer reported on grooming of trails. Most could be groomed except for some parts that were chisel plowed or showed dirt. There is a widow maker by White Potato Lake. A tree that fell down last year broke off 12 to 15 feet in the air

on one end and then fell into the pines on the other side of the tree pushing the pine trees over and branch is wedged between the trees. It needs to be fixed. Burt gave a thanks to Adam and Steve for their hard work on trails. Trails have been panned down but are waiting for more snow to groom again.

Roy reported he talked with Monty at Oconto County and Monty is talking about putting GPS's on the groomers to determine how many hours we are putting on. He would like for us to go with our snowmobiles on a GPS and do the whole trail. He indicated that they are accurate GPS's but you cannot go fast. Roy wants to contact Marinette County regarding the trails we ride there.

Roy received a call from Rick Oshweiller, land west of Town line Road to Lee Lake. He told us he is logging during the week and he is concerned about safety of the snowmobile riders. He wanted additional signing so he created card board signs to put up warning them of logging. Our club will put up signs also. He is happy with the club but is concerned about safety.

Roy and Tom talked about the need to and how to increase the money amount for our contractor as our state funding has been increased per hour because of changes in trail passes.

Tom Stadler asked Brad to discuss agenda on Alliance Meeting he attended. Brad reported that they discussed the status on grooming of trails by all clubs. Also, there is possible funding for pipeline on the ATV trail.

Tom talked with John Brantmeier from Alliance meeting and found out they are interested in how our groomers are designed (pan is

separate from rest of the unit). Tom sent photos of our groomers to him.

Tom reported all trails good. Discussed need of making improvements on the Suring trails in fall. He also suggested making new maps for groomers and home base in case of trouble on the trails so they will know where they are.

Tom reported that GPS on trails would work well. Will try them out later in the season when there is more snow. Bert told the story about three men that he met while out on groomer. They really liked our trails and will return. Good news & encouragement for our groomers. Brad rode on the groomer and

Bert showed him how to work it...We now have a spare driver!

Adam and Steve reported that they cut down a pine tree on Z on Tombstone Trail and cleaned it up. There was a discussion on the manure dirt on Kelly Lake trail...needs to be leveled out, etc.

Tom thanks all the workers and gave a special thanks to Steve, Adam and Brad for extensive work on our trails.

Linda Holtger made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Tom Yingling seconded it. Motion approved.