Bagley & Brazeau

Joyriders Snowmobile Club

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November 2021 Snow News & Minutes

Presidents Corner

I am old I guess; I can remember the day we purchased our first groomer. That was a huge step for our snowmobile club and a very exciting day.

Do You Remember Our First Groomer?



We sure have come a long way

Well, we have come a long way since that day. We then were able to enter into an agreement where we leased the groomers Kutcha Farms. This worked out very well for our club for many years. But it was time for us and Tom Kutcha that we go in a different direction. With the help of Tom, the membership voted to purchase both groomers from Tom. An agreed price was established which was good for both parties and a payment program which allows us to manage our cash flow based on the income generated through state funding.

Toms on behalf of our club we want to thank you for all the years of support and service you provided for our club. For us it was a real pleasure working with you and your family. <u>Now Here Is a Picture Of</u> <u>One of the Two Groomer we</u> <u>Purchased and what it looks</u> <u>like going down our trail</u>



Our Club sure has come a long

Roy Lawrenz President

Meeting Events Schedule

Due to the new Delta Virous your club officers decided it would be in the best interest of the membership to schedule your club meetings on a month-to-month basis. In your monthly newsletter we will post the location of our next meeting location.

Second Membership Meeting of the Year

November 6, 2021 Location Article 15 Bar & Grill 10840 Wescott Lake Rd, Pound, WI The Meeting will start at 9:00 in the morning

Hope to see you at the meeting.

A Special Thank you to a very Special Groomer Driver Bert Wiedemeier

On behalf of the Bagley & Brazeau Joyriders Snowmobile Club I want to say a special thank you to Bert Wiedemeier for his many years being our groomer driver who is retiring this year. Our drivers when they hit the trails can spend from 4 to 12 hours grooming our trails and to all the groomer drivers, we thank you for your service.

Membership Report from Our New Membership Chairman

Adam Krause your Membership Chairman reported that we have 114 members that have renewed their membership and 17 new members giving us a total for the year of 131. We still have 26 members who have not renewed their membership. If you have any questions regarding your membership to the AWSC, you can contact me at 920-841-9010 or e-mail me at adamokrause@gmail.com. Your renewal to the AWSC will be put into their system once a week in batches. That saves the club some money. Your e-mail is also important because now we have the option of having, your AWSC membership card e-mailed to you directly.

Members For Sale Corner

For our members we offer the opportunity to place an ad for snowmobile related items they might want to sell

For Sale:

Triton two place snowmobile trailer

Enclosed 102" wide 126" long

Asking \$2,750 or best offer

Call Gary at 414-588-6993

BB Joyriders Club Member Minutes

October 2, 2021

The meeting was called to order by club president Roy Lawrenz at Lee Lake Tavern at 9:00 a.m. Eighteen members were present. Thank you, Lee Lake Tavern, for hosting the meeting!

First Order of Business: Agenda – A motion to approve the agenda was made by Jerry Frey and second by Tom Yingling. Motion approved

Second Order of Business: Secretary Report/Minutes

- It was noted that Adam Krause email address was listed incorrectly in the October 2021 newsletter. It was also noted that the discussion about the need to get another groomer driver was left out of the September 2021 meeting minutes. A motion to approve the minutes with those changes was made by Bob Paasch and second by Adam Krause. Motion approved

Third Order of Business: Treasurer Report - Income and expenses were discussed. A motion to approve the report was made by Adam Krause and second by Bob Peters. Motion approved

Fourth Order of Business: New Business

4-1. Reroute of trail on Lee Lake Road - there was lots of discussion about the request to re-route the trail around Lee Lake Road. A possible route was identified that would take riders off the road, which is always a club priority. The landowner will have to be contacted for permission. The Trail Boss/Manager will check with the landowner and provide an update at the next meeting. There was also a discussion on the need to fix the access to Kelly Lake as this is a priority.

4-2. Trail to Coleman Swamp improvement - discussion on the need to build a ramp on the Coleman Swamp trail. There was discussion of using swamp mats and electrical poles from the electric work going on by Kelly Lake.

4-3. Replacement for Jerry Frey as Trail Manager -Mark Radtke has agreed to take over as Trail Manager

4-4. Update on purchasing our groomers - There was much discussion on the pros/cons of purchasing the groomers including possible options, price and terms of agreement. A motion was made by Adam Krause to purchase the two John Deere tractors with Marcel Drags and all parts for the equipment for \$140,000 with specific payment terms. Motion was second by Peter Hyps. Motion approved.

Brad VanHoff called the groomer owner during the meeting to make the offer. The groomer owner agreed with the offer but asked for interest. There was discussion on the request for interest or offering additional money as a down payment. Club members agreed to offer additional money as a down payment with specific payment terms. Brad VanHoff called the groomer owner who agreed to the offer. Terms of the purchase agreement will be drawn up and a Board of Directors meeting will be held to review and finalize the agreement before it is presented to the groomer owner.

Fifth Order of Business: New Business

5-1. Membership Report - Status of 77 member renewals, 76 members pending renewal. Four members donated additional funds as a donation to the club. The club thanks these members for their support and generosity.

Adam Krause indicated that at time of renewal, when the club members information is entered, an email is automatically generated to notify the member of the renewal.

5-2. Oconto County Snowmobile Alliance Meeting: Nov 3 Waters Edge Anderson Lake - the Alliance is asking for the name(s) of who will be attending this meeting. Adam Krause reported he plans to attend the meeting.

5-3. Distribution of Landowner List, updates needed for insurance changes - the insurance premium has been paid. The landowner list needs to be updated so updates can be provided to the insurance company and insurance certificates can be printed and mailed to landowners. Insurance premium covers landowners, liability and building contents.

5-4. Trail Reports - trail work can be started at any time, there is lots of brushing that is needed. The November meeting will be a work weekend.

Sixth Order of Business: Additional items added to the agenda/discussion

6-1. Old Trailer - It was noted that the old club trailer was sold for \$1500.00

6-2. Landowner Forms - New forms are not yet available, use existing

6-3. Insurance for new trailer - insurance will be purchased for the new trailer

6-4. Landowner list - Roy asked that someone take over as keeper of the landowner list. Adam Krause said he would consider taking on this responsibility

6-5. Club Information - There was discussion on the need to create a location/Drive where all of the club information can be stored. All Board members would be provided access.

Adjournment - a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Tom Yingling and second by Jerry Frey. Meeting adjourned