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CLUB INFORMATION

MEETINGS DATES:

*All Club meetings held at
Circle B Rec Center
in Cedarburg*

BOARD of DIRECTORS

Thursday April 11, 2013
@ 6:15pm

NEXT CLUB MEETING

Thursday, April 11, 2013
@ 7:30pm

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APRIL IS HISTORY MONTH

Since April is host to our last Club Meeting of the year, why not end our season with some of our history. Rudy Zarling, currently one of our landowners as well as one of the original Club members, will be joining us that Thursday evening to fill us in on some of the history of our Club.

Since he has been part of our Club from the beginning (and was good friends with Tom Kacmarcik – Tom founded our Club), Rudy will be able to give us the basis of why our Club was started and how we operated back in the day. Remember, our Club was started in August of 1966 and was incorporated in January 1967, so there is a lot of history that occurred in the forty-six seasons that we have been in existence.

Also, we will have our Club's scrap books and photo albums along for all to view while Rudy is filling us in on our history. We did have one photo album at March's Club meeting that covered the latter part of the '80s. After viewing that album, one has to wonder why does anyone bring a camera into the pool area....

So plan on stopping in and joining us for a historical evening that should answer some of those questions that only a few remaining members could answer. We'll also have something to eat as well. Not sure what we will have, yet Chris and Patty have always come up with good eats.

As I am wrapping this up, spring is in the air and the temperature is starting to climb. Time to store our sleds and get ready for our summer activities. Until next time, keep your track on the snow and ride safely.

ANOTHER DONATION

Last month, a motion was made at our Club meeting to purchase a gas powered pole saw. Having this saw for brushing our trails would be an awesome addition to our equipment; plus, we discuss getting one each fall when we are out in the woods trying to reach the branches ten feet above the trail. And we know that the usefulness of such a tool would greatly pay for itself in a short amount of time.

Following the meeting, we were approached by one of our members and he said he would stop by Egelhoff's in Mequon and purchase one to donate to our Club. So with this, a hearty thanks goes out to Mark & Lisa Helm for their generous donation of this brand new Stihl Pole Saw. You have made brushing our trails easier with your awesome donation. Thanks again, Mark & Lisa!! We appreciate it.

MORE HISTORY

One of our landowners, Dawn Hartwig, saw this article and thought it would be something to share with the rest of our Club. She gave it to one of our Board Members and then it was passed on to me. I seem to remember seeing this somewhere as well, but I cannot place it. As you read it, you may recognize it as well. Here it is....

A Typical Snowmobiler

- A person who is too old for a sled, but young enough to remember the fun it used to be.
- A person who prays for snow, but grumbles while shoveling the walk.
- A person who waits for the cold weather so he can dress up to stay warm.
- A person who will completely overhaul a snowmobile out in the middle of nowhere, but will call AAA when his car won't start in a heated garage.
- A person who rides the lumps and bumps of a field with enjoyment, but complains about little chuck holes in the street.
- A person who says he bought the machine for the kids, but complains when he can't get a baby sitter so he can go riding.
- A person who can't get Old Bessy in the garage at night, because there isn't room unless he slides the snowmobile out.
- A person who will drive a warm car a block to the grocery store for his favorite steak and ride a cold snowmobile ten miles for a burnt wiener.
- A person who will get caught on the highway without a spare tire in his car, but will have enough spare parts in his snowmobile to build another machine.
- A person who is glad to see June set in, because he knows it is only six months until winter again.

GROOMER

Now that winter is official over, we have gone thru the Tucker and changed all the fluids in preparation for summer storage. Also, the new front springs have been installed and we're ready to groom next winter.

Thanks to Bob and Bobby Thomas along with

Randy Kison for working on the Tucker this spring (and thanks to anyone else for helping us with this task). Also, thanks to Mark Helm for fabricating new shackles for mounting the new springs on the Tucker.

Also, thanks goes out to all for helping out with grooming this past winter. It was an interesting season, yet we do live in Wisconsin. Thanks again to all for your help grooming our trails.

NOMINATIONS & VOTING

This past March, we nominated three Club members for our Board of Directors. Right now, we have Mike Brown, Patty Kison and Steve "Peewee" Fischer as our three nominees. Stop in at our April Club meeting; we will open up nominations for any last minute entrees and then we will vote for three of them to join us on our Board of Directors. See you there!!

TRAIL REMOVAL

Our plan is to remove our trail markers on Saturday, April 6 and to finish on Saturday, April 13. Given the warmer weather and if it doesn't rain too much, we should be able to pull most of our trails. We will meet at the Kison Farm at 7:30am on both Saturdays. Stop out and help us pull trails.

Note: If you have time and want to pull trails beforehand, please give Randy a call on his cell phone for further instructions. Thanks.

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