



# B&B NEWSLETTER

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## CLUB INFORMATION

### MEETINGS DATES:

All meetings held at Circle B

Rec Center in Cedarburg

### BOARD of DIRECTORS

Thursday December 8, 2011

@ 6:15pm

### CLUB MEETING

Thursday, December 8, 2011

@ 7:30pm

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## ***MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!! in advance, of course.....***

I can't believe that Christmas is less than three weeks away and the New Year will be here in four weeks. The weather has been a little balmy and unseasonably warm considering it is already late fall. I think I could count on one hand the number of frosts we have had all fall, and before you know it, snow will be here and we'll be snowmobiling.

As we get more into December, the itch to snowmobile grows stronger. I know when I was a teenager, the first dusting of snow would get me pumped up and I'd have my old trusty Bolens Sprint out and racing around the house. Later on, I'd hear about it from my dad cause I tore up the grass going around the house from my first snowmobile adventure for the year. Still, that was back in the day when boggie wheels was my suspension of choice and the steel skis had just steel wearbars on them. You did have to use your weight to slide the sled around the corners and yes, the grass was sacrificed in the process (my excuse was "it does grow back, dad"). Back then, homework was the only thing you really had to do (if any), so there was the itch to play in the snow. Today, since I am responsible for maintaining my snowmobiles as well as the lawn, I'll usually wait until there is a couple of inches on the ground before I take out my snowmobile. Funny how you view things differently as you get older and wiser (as I have been told). Plus, if you have any outdoor lights powered with an extension cord, you need at least ten inches of snow or else the carbides tend to slice and dice the extension cords (yes, I found out the hard way). Life's lessons are usually learned first hand.

Anyway, I have used up my allotted space once again and need to wrap it up. So, till next month, keep your track on the snow and remember, "United We Trail, Divided We Fail".....



**Grafton Christmas Parade** went very well this fall; the picture above was taken by Matt Geszvain as our entry was lining up in the staging area. Thanks to Bob Brunner, his grandson and his grandson's friend for representing us. And thank you to 5 Corners Dodge for loaning us a brand new truck and to Cedar Creek Motor Sports for loaning us a trailer and two brand new Ski-Doo snowmobiles. Thanks again to all for helping out with the parade.

## TRAILS

For those that were in attendance at the parade, you probably noticed that something was missing from our entry. It was decided in the tenth hour that we needed to culmultch our trails (where we crossed plowed fields) rather than have the Tucker and drag in the parade. It wasn't an easy choice, yet given smooth and flat trails versus the parade, the trails won out.

Considering the rains due in on Saturday, we were able to take care of all of our trails on Friday. Thanks goes out to Bob and Bobby Thomas for taking care of this task. And our culmulcher work very well. We were even able to take care of the Snow Drifter's trail that goes from Newburg over to Between the Greens.

Also, we will be attempting to finish marking all of our trails on the first Saturday in December. We will have an update at the Club meeting on December 8. See you then.

## Bridge Work

The bridge just east of Granville and north of Sherman Roads is in need of a new decking as well as additional telephone poles for support. We are planning on tackling this project on the first Saturday in December. We have secured two telephone poles and are picking up the lumber this week. For those helping with trails, watch for an email requesting help. More at the Club meeting on this project.

## MEMBERSHIP DUES – Last Reminder

For those receiving a membership form with your newsletter, we have not received your dues as of November 29<sup>th</sup>. Please fill out the form and drop off your dues at our Club meeting next week or mail them back to the address on the bottom of the form. Otherwise, this will be your last newsletter for this season. If you feel you have paid your dues and still received a membership form, please let us know and we'll check our records.

And a quick thank you to those who have renewed their membership already; we appreciate it.

## Food for December's Club Meeting

For our meeting this month, the Board members will be bring in finger food for us to enjoy after our Club meeting. We'll also have a couple of pizzas from Circle B to add to all the good eats we are providing. Look forward to seeing you there.

## Sno-Fari's

For January, we are planning on going to the Gateway Lodge ( <http://gateway-lodge.com> ) in Land 'O Lakes. The

dates for this Sno-Fari are Friday, January 20 through Sunday, January 22, 2012. Deanna Einwalter is heading up this trip. If you want to join us, please call up to the Gateway Lodge (715-547-3321) to reserve a room with your credit card. Then give Deanna a call (262-227-3227) to let her know that you are going and how many are in your party. Deanna is planning the hospitality party for Saturday night.

For February, we are planning on heading up to the Gwinn, Michigan area on Friday, February 17 through Sunday, February 19, 2012. Chris Bumpke is heading up this trip and has the information on where we will be staying. If you are interested in going, stop in at our Club meeting or give Chris a call at 262-707-9542. Due to the closing of the Red Fox Inn, Chris has researched other places for us to stay.

## 2011-2012 Important Club Dates

Please mark these dates on your calendar and help out where possible. I have also included the dates for next summer's County Fair; please note these when setting up your summer schedule. Thanks.

Saturday, December 3	Trail work
Saturday, December 10	Trail work (if needed)
Thursday, December 8	Board and Club Meeting
Thursday, January 12	Board and Club Meeting
Fri.-Sun., January 20-22	Land O' Lakes Sno-Fari??
Thursday, February 9	Board and Club Meeting
Fri.-Sun., February 17-19	Gwinn Sno-Fari?
Thursday, March 8	Board and Club Meeting
Saturday, March 31	Trail removal
Saturday, April 7	Trail removal
Thursday, April 12	Board and Club Meeting
Sunday, April 15	Deadline to pull trails
Monday, July 30	Set-up for County Fair
Wednesday, August 1	County Fair starts
Sunday, August 5	Tear down at County Fair

## FOR SALE

**1972 Rupp American** 40hp wide track. Roughly 20 hours of run time; asking \$850 or best offer. Please call Don @ 262-782-6213

**2000 Polaris Indy 600 XC** with variable exhaust, low miles, excellent condition. Asking \$2300.

**2002 Polaris Indy XC Edge Chassis 500** with variable exhaust, low miles. Asking \$2300.

**2003 Suzuki Quadsport ATV Z400**; Asking \$1850  
**Caravan Trailer** 8'6" wide by 10' long, steel frame.

Asking \$325. Call Jimmy for the **above four items**  
at H: 262-377-1955 or C: 262-305-6824.