



# B&B NEWSLETTER

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## CLUB INFORMATION

### MEETINGS DATES:

All Club meetings held at  
Circle B Rec Center  
in Cedarburg

### BOARD of DIRECTORS

Thursday, March 13, 2014

@ 6:15pm @ Circle B

### NEXT CLUB MEETING

Thursday, March 13, 2014

@ 7:30pm @ Circle B

### CLUB OFFICERS

President: Dan Burback

Vice President: Matt Geszvain

Secretary: Mike Brown

Treasurer: Patty Kison

### BOARD MEMBERS

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Tim Einwalter

Deanna Einwalter

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## Out on a DOO and In on a CAT....

Well, our final month of our riding season is here and it seems to be here too soon. There is still quite a few feet of frost in the ground as well as an awesome base to our trails. Snow is still predicted and we could still snowmobile thru the middle of March, given the conditions to keep our trails open are met. It would be great to keep snowmobiling thru March like we did a few years ago. The only drawback is those out there (non-snowmobilers) complaining they have seen too much snow or it is still too cold outside. I hear that too often and when I tell them that I love the snow and welcome more of it, they either state "you wouldn't you" or "it figures". Now if it is a stranger, this gets even better when I interject in their conversation that I love the snow and we need more. Then they look at me like I'm cross eyed or have something growing out of my beard. March must bring that out in people, yet they continue to take up residence here in our beautiful state of Wisconsin...go figure.

On another note, on the weekend of February 14 & 15, Matt Geszvain was able to get our Tucker and drag from Cedarburg up to Waubedonia Park in Fredonia for the Schnee Katzen's Weenie Roast and back in time for the Winterfest Parade thru downtown Cedarburg. The purpose of going to Waubedonia Park

was for a group photo as seen at right...to get a majority of the grooming equipment that is used to maintain the trails in Ozaukee County together for a picture to put in the Ozaukee Press.

Unfortunately, the Oz. Press put in the wrong picture; it only had two of

the three groomers in it. And I'll leave you guessing which Tucker is missing; this shot above is the one that should have made the paper. Thanks to Matt and all those involved getting our Tucker in both areas; thanks to Wally Thill for inviting us up to the Weenie Roast and thanks to Frank Even for getting us in the Winterfest Parade (we haven't been in the parade for over 20 years).

At this point, I'm done writing due to Mother Nature calling...I need to go shovel some snow. Read on for more Club info. So, until next month, keep your track on the snow and remember, "United We Trail, Divided We Fail"...



## THANK YOUs

We would like to thank Wally Thill for stopping by in February to fill us in on the current events within the AWSC. Due to his position and connections, he is well informed on who and what is going on. At the AWSC Convention in late March, we have made Wally and Mary Ann our delegates for voting on our Club's behalf. Without this, we would not have a say within the AWSC and Wally knows and shares our views. Thanks, Wally, for all that you do!!

Also at February's Club meeting, we had a "Chili Dump" where some of our members brought ingredients that, when combined, made us chili. Some also brought dessert as well as other items to eat as well. So we would like to thank the following for helping to feed our Club members: Ruth Heller, Deanna Einwalter and Chris Habich. Thanks again for your contribution to our meal last month.

## CAP/STEP PROGRAM

We have gotten updates from Wally on the current state of this item within our legislature and assembly. We will inform you at the Club meeting on what this holds for us as Club members.

## NOMINATIONS

During March's Club meeting, we will open up the floor to nominations to our Board of Directors. Each summer on August 31<sup>st</sup>, three Board members terms end. So because of this (it is written in our by-laws in case you wanted to know) we hold nominations each March and we either re-nominate the current and/or nominate another Club Member. Come April, we vote on no more than three. Remember, be there or get nominated!!!

## TRAILS

Our trails have a real good base and given we get additional snow accumulations, we may be able to groom as well as snowmobile. Please call the snow phones before riding to make sure the trails are open. If you do see any issues on the trails, please give Randy a call on his cell to inform him.

On a sad note, we are planning to remove our trail markers between late March and early April, given the frost has left the ground by then. Tentative dates are Saturdays, March 29 and Saturday, April 5. As you know in Wisconsin, we are weather dependent for these two dates to work out. Otherwise, if you have time and would like to help out other than on these two dates, please feel free to do so. All we ask is you

let us know what you have pulled so we are able to concentrate on the rest. Thanks for your help!

## SNO-FARIs

Tim and Deanna Einwalter enjoyed their Sno-Fari to Boulder Junction over the first weekend in March with roughly a dozen Club members and friends. There will be more on this in April's newsletter as well as a group shot. Stay tuned....

## SNO-PHONES (last time till next season)

Please call the Sno-Phones daily and especially before you ride. Remember, the DNR as well as the Sheriff's Department go by the message on the sno-phones; if the trails are closed, please stay off them until the message is changed stating they are open. Listed below the local county Sno-Phones (with most of us having cell phones, please put these numbers into your contact list; you'll always be able to find out if the trails are open):

**DODGE COUNTY 920-386-3705**

**FOND DU LAC COUNTY 920-929-6840**

**OZAUKEE COUNTY 262-284-8259**

**SHEBOYGAN COUNTY 920-892-7455**

**WASHINGTON COUNTY 262-334-6061**

## UPCOMING DATES FOR WINTER

### MARCH 2014

Fridays, March 7 & 14	Local Trail Rides
Saturdays, March 1 & 8	(Given Trails are Open)
Thursday, March 13	Board & Club Meetings
Saturday, March 15	Trails officially Close (If conditions are still good, they may stay open...)
Saturday, March 29	Trail Removal
Saturday, April 5	Trail Removal

## FOR SALE

1967 Evinrude 14 hp, wide track with cleats, electric & manual start. has been stored in the garage under canvas covers. No cuts in seat and track is in great shape. Kept off the ground. Excellent compression. Asking \$650 but open to a reasonable offer. Call Don.