

# B&B NEWSLETTER

#### November 2020 VOLUME 54 ISSUE 4

## CLUB INFORMATION MEETINGS DATES:

All Club meetings held at Circle B Rec Center in Cedarburg

BOARD of DIRECTORS Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020 @ 6:00pm

NEXT CLUB MEETING Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020 @ 7:30pm

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#### **MY RAMBLINGS**

As we come into the month where our season of snowmobiling "officially starts", we are still greeted with bare and soft ground. Yet as we are all aware with Wisconsin weather, just wait as it will change when you least expect it. I have heard many forecasts for our winter, yet I know that I can't hold any to be true as anything goes for our state! We just need to finish marking trails and then bring on the deep freeze!

Just a quick note that we will keep moving forward with our Board and Club Meetings as we have so far this fall. We will leave it up to you, our Club members, as to how you want to handle being at our Club meetings or not. There is much uncertainty with our current crisis (corona), so we will rely on you to make the decision that best serves your health, to stop in or not at our meetings. All we can do is ride (pun!) this out as best as possible! By the way, snowmobiling is an ideal way to keep your "social distance" from each other.

More following so don't stop reading just yet! So until next month, stay healthy, enjoy the snow/outdoors and if you have time, help us wrap up our trail installation!

#### **THANK YOUs**

A hearty thanks goes out to Hibber and Chris for covering our tab for the pizzas from Circle B we enjoyed after our Club Meeting in November. This helps us out considering our current financial state; we are in the black, yet lower than we have been since buying our Tucker.

Please keep in mind if you attend our Club meetings, please donate at least \$2/person to help cover the food and beverages we provide. This helps us cover the bar bill and food each month! Thank you for your help and thanks again to Hibber and Chris for their continued support of our Club!

#### **GUEST SPEAKERS**

We have asked looking to do a snowmobile safety refresher course at our December's Club meeting. December is the ideal month to go over these items as snowmobiling is just around the corner. Also, we are working on a presentation of the Polaris Trail app and how it works (especially for those not riding Polaris sleds), plus the Grooming Tracking GPS app that is tied into SNARS. This latter app is pretty sweet as it shows you where our (or any other groomer has groomed, as long as they have the GPS in their groomer) has groomed yet has a four (4) or five (5) hour delay. You need the delay otherwise you'll have groomer chasers, which bites as you'll catch our groomer as it is a lot slower than your sled!!

Stop in and get a refresher and learn about two (2) apps that help us snowmobilers!

#### LANDOWNERS

We have included your landowner gift this month which is a gift card to a local grocery store. This is part of our thank you for giving us permission to cross your land with our snowmobile trail last season. Without landowners like you, we would not have our awesome trail system throughout Ozaukee and Washington Counties; the use of your land helps keep our 26,000 + miles of snowmobile trails connected through our fine state of Wisconsin. Thanks again for working with us and granting us permission each season!

Also, if you have not returned the self-addressed stamped with our landowner info form, please do so by December 15<sup>th</sup>. We need this to update our Club's mailing list as well as the AWSC membership list as we list you as a Club member. At this time, we have roughly 46 forms, which is roughly half of our landowners. Please help us out and mail this back to us.

#### **CLUB MEMBERS**

We would like to get all renewals in by the end of December. This will give us adaquate time to get them into the AWSC in time for you to get your discounted trail passes. As we all know, December means snow somewhere in Wisconsin! Just so all know, those not renewing by the end of December will be removed from our mailing list. Thank you in advance for your continued support!

#### **FOOD at CLUB MEETINGS**

Once again, we are still dealing with the corona virus so we will continue to purchase food for our Club Meetings from Circle B. Please continue to donate at least \$2 per member to help offset our food and beverage bill to help off-set the cost of the food and beverages our Club provides at our Meetings. We have been blessed to have now two members and two landowners step up and cover our pizzas the last three months leaving us to just cover our beverages. Thank you in advance for helping to support us and our food and drink at our monthly Meetings!

#### **MEETING DATES FOR NEXT SEASON:**

(subject to change)

#### December 2020

Club & Board Meetings
Ozaukee Cty Assoc.

Washington Cty. Assoc.

Thursday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>
Monday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>
Wednesday, Dec 16<sup>th</sup>

#### January 2021

Club & Board Meetings
Ozaukee Cty Assoc.

Washington Cty. Assoc.

Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup>
Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup>
Wednesday, Jan. 27<sup>th</sup>

#### February 2021

Club & Board Meetings
Ozaukee Cty Assoc.

Washington Cty. Assoc.

Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup>
Monday, February 8<sup>th</sup>
Wednesday, Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>

#### March 2021

Club & Board Meetings
Ozaukee Cty Assoc.

Washington Cty. Assoc.

Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>
Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup>
Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup>

#### April 2021

Club & Board Meetings
Ozaukee Cty Assoc.

Washington Cty. Assoc.

Thursday, April 8<sup>th</sup>
Monday, April 12<sup>th</sup>
If Needed 4/31/21

#### TRAIL WORK

Matt and crew were out working last weekend and got most of the old Cedar Creek section marked. They have a stretch from Western to Bridge to complete. His crew also marked the trails to Kwik Trip (I keep wanting to type PDQ!!).

Once the ground freezes, we need to go from Granville to Lizbeth and brush as there are a few trees and many branches down, yet they are in water at this time. Then we will tackle the section west of Circle B as we have worked a way thru the industrial park.

As for Randy's section, we have to move a portion of trail along Sherman due to the developer of the old Jim Wiechert farm. We need to see if we are able to move the trail from the south side of Sherman to the north side. As for the rest, there is a few areas that need to be marked.

So if you are available, we are working the following Saturdays in order to wrap up:

### Saturday, December 5 Saturday, December 12

We meet at the Kison Farm (located at 929 Elm Road, Cedarburg, WI) at 7:30am and work until roughly noon. Thanks in advance for your help!

#### **SNO-PHONES**

Please call daily (between December 15<sup>th</sup> and March 15<sup>th</sup>) and often once we have at least 6 - 8" of snow and 32 degrees and colder:

Dodge County 920-386-3705

Fond du Lac County: 920-929-6840
Ozaukee County: 262-284-8259
Sheboygan County: www.nkmsnow.com
Washington County: 262-334-6061

#### FOR SALE

If you have anything snowmobile related that you need to sell, please send it to me (garagemahal@charter) or call/text me (414-702-6188) and I'll post it here in our newsletter for our snowmobile community.