

Bagley & Brazeau

Joyriders Snowmobile Club

Web Site www.bbjoyriders.com

January 2011 Snow News & Minutes

Presidents Corner

I want to start out by thanking again this year the entire Trail bosses and their helpers in getting out trail system ready. Your Trail Bosses and club volunteers put in over 345 hours of volunteer time and labor getting the trails ready. That does not include the time spent by trail bosses contacting each landowner for permission to cross their land. It is a huge job and very much appreciated by me and the snowmobilers that use our trails.

Our club can be extremely proud that we have the first AWSC Youth Representative in Oconto County. Michael Radke who is 18 years old and has worked on our trails since he started snowmobiling as a kid has agreed to represent our club and County. Thanks Mike and we support along with the Oconto Alliance.

February is going to be a very busy month for our club, but a lot of fun. On February 5th & 6th is our first ever overnight snowmobile trip. Details of the event are in the flyer in this mailing. On Saturday February 12th is our annual Dinner Ride Event. This is a fun day for all, but also an opportunity to give something back to the community by raising money for our local Rescue Squad, and also is our appreciation dinner for the landowners by making them our guest at this event. See the details in this newsletter and please mark your calendars and attend.

Roy Lawrenz President

Bagley & Brazeau Joyriders Dinner Ride Event

February 12, 2011

Enjoy a day of riding on our Trail System

**Meet at 9:00 am at
Klondike Bar Snazz & Janes
Klondike, WI**

Stop along the trail for group lunch

Dinner & Raffle at

**Park Place
(Formerly Walkers Bay Supper Club)
W11517 W. 18 Road
Pound, WI**

**Cocktails at 6:00 p.m.
Dinner Served at 7:00 p.m.**

Family Style Chicken and More

**Adults \$16.00 Children 5-10 \$8.00
Children under 5 free**

**Reservations and more
information contact**

**Kathy Lawrenz 920-897-2499
Or make your reservations by e-mail
roylawrenz@msn.com**

Proposed ***Snowmobile over*** ***Night Club Ride***

At our last month's meeting further discussion took place regarding the organized two day ride to Rhinelander, WI. It was decided that the ride would take place on February 5th & 6th, 2011.

This could be a lot of fun to enjoy a weekend of snowmobiling and experience riding on new trails in our state. A registration form is included in this mailing for you to sign up for the ride. If we can't ride from here perhaps we can trailer our sleds to Rhinelander and ride there, or have a club Camp Fire Saturday night?

If you and your family want to participate in this weekend ride please fill out the registration form today and get it back to me. Guest is welcome to ride with us so invite your friends.

Roy Lawrenz

For Sale Corner

If you would like to advertise something in our newsletter that is snowmobile related send the information the first of the month too:

Roy Lawrenz
10261 Lee Lake Park Lane
Pound, WI 5416

Or e-mail your request too:

roylawrenz@msn.com

In the past we have had good success in helping our members sell items with our newsletter

Web Site

www.bbjoyriders.com

Have you had a chance to visit your own club website yet? Mike Lambert one of our very creative members built the site for us. On the site you will find very interesting information like trail reports, club history, pictures of club events and more. We are very fortunate to have such a talented member to manage our site. One of the feathers is renewing your membership on our site. More members each year take advantage of this option.

As a matter of fact just this past month 531 people visited our site and they viewed 1,644 pages. Of the 531 visitors 303 were classified as Absolute Unique Visitors. Our website is also international with 4 people visiting the site from Canada, 1 from the Netherlands, 1 from Australia, and 1 from Russia. The biggest amount of hits on the site last month came from the Green Bay area with 134 viewers. Where you one of those people who visited our site last month. If not take the tour and look it over .

Who "Dun" It Trivia? New Addition to Newsletter

This season I know there are some great stories that took place on the trails this year. Share your experiences so they can be put in upcoming newsletters. Send them in when they are fresh on your mind. In the past no names mentioned but on our dinner ride event someone's machine just quit. Tom Stadler came to the rescue and after looking at every possible cause determined that the member just forgot to put gas in it.

Or how about the time I had such a good time removing trail signs in the spring of the year and got the ATV stuck in the swamps two times. Or last year when my son and I removed signs from Klondike to Lee Lake the last thing my wife said to Jonathon, don't get my ATV dirty. It only took an hour and a half to clean it up. What is your story? Share it with us. Send it to Roy Lawrenz 10261 Lee Lake Park Lane Pound, WI, or e-mail to roylawrenz@msn.com

2010-2011 Meeting Schedules

January 8, 2011

Club Meeting

Location:

Wouters II, White Potato Lake, WI

White Potato Lake, WI

Time 9:00 am

February 5, 2011

Proposed Club Weekend Ride

February 12, 2011

Club Meeting

Location:

Klondike Bar, Klondike, WI

Time 9:00 am

February 12, 2011

Dinner Ride Event

Ride After the 9:00 am meeting at

Klondike

Dinner

Walter's Bay Super Club

Cocktails 6:00 pm Dinner 7:00 pm

March 12, 2011

Location:

Black Bear Trail Golf Club, Suring, WI

Time 9:00 am

April 9, 2011

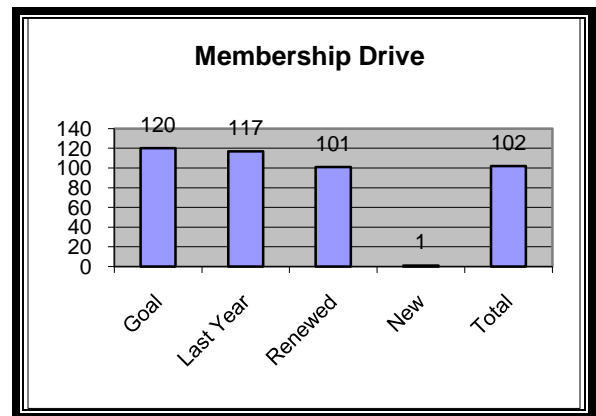
Location / Time 9:00 am

Club Storage Building, Lee Lake, WI



Membership

As you can see on the membership graph below we have 101 members who have renewed their membership to date. We also had one new member join putting our total membership at 102



If you have a friend or relative who likes to snowmobile and does not belong to club please invite them to join our club. Your and there support is appreciated.

Wanted Communication Chairperson

Do you know of anyone in our club that has a flare for writing? It may be you or your son or daughter going to school. Our club does a lot of neat things to be proud of. For one thing we raise money every year for the Rescue Squad. We maintain just less than 100 miles of trail system in Oconto and Marinette Counties.

I believe we also do a really good job working with the landowners and local Townships.

What I am looking for is someone who will tell our store by submitting articles to our local newspapers and the AWSC magazine. I believe the more people we communicate in our community the stronger are club will become. If you know of anyone who may be interested please have them contact Roy at 920-897-2499 and I will be happy to work with them to get them going.

Minutes

DECEMBER 11, 2010

Meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM by President Roy Lawrenz at Wescott Lake Tavern. Thirteen Members were in attendance on a very nasty snow day.

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS

Secretary's Report

A motion to accept the Secretary's report in the minutes was made by Gerry Frey and seconded by Tom Stadler. Motion approved.

SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS

Treasurer's Report

A motion to accept the Treasurer's report as given was made by Gerry Frey and seconded by Gene Duffy. Motion approved.

THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS

OLD BUSINESS

TRAIL REPORTS

Gerry Frey

Reporting his trails are marked; the Jocco Lake swamp was a little soft but should be frozen by now. A few trees may have to be cut down and will have to check with landowner. Andy Baker reporting his trails are finished.

Burt Wiedemeier

Reporting his trails are finished.

Chuck Panure

Reporting his trails are mostly finished.

Tom Stadler

Reporting his trails are signed and brushed. Tom is in the process of making stickers to put on the brown trail signs to show mileage to gas stations. A new trail sign was installed at

the T-intersection in the White Potato Lake area.

Tom Stadler

Thanked our groomer Mark Kuchta, Gerry Frey and all those who made the new trail between Rost and Montana Lakes possible. This will be a great addition to the trail system.

FOURTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

MEMBERSHIPS

We have received 96 memberships for this year. The website is getting several member renewals.

YOUTH SPONSOR

Member Mike Radtke from Kelly Lake has volunteered to become our AWSC Youth Representative for Oconto County.

OCONTO COUNTY ALLIANCE

An economic study will be done by UWM on what impact snowmobiling has to the economy and state.

The STEP program will be reintroduced into the new legislature this year. Oconto County will be putting out a two-sided map and asking that each club make sure the map is accurate.

BRUSH CUTTER

Tom Stadler will be making some slight modifications to the brush cutter. So far it's working great.

A motion to adjourn at 9:50 AM was made by Tom Yingling and seconded by Andy Baker. Motion approved.

Next meeting January 8, 2011 9:00 AM
Wouters II, White Potato Lake.

Submitted by Secretary, Debra Baumberger.

from _____ Jerry