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October 2019 Snow News & Minutes

Presidents Corner

Our Second meeting of the year will actually be held on Saturday October 5th at 9:00 am Ron & Kim's Lee Lake Tavern. How many caught my errors in last month's newsletter. I apologize for that and will try to do a better job proof reading. After last month's meeting the work has started in getting our trails ready. Again October 5th will be another work weekend.

Now that we have the important announcement is out of the way I want to say welcome fall weather with the anticipation of a great snowmobile season. More than ever this year there is much work to be done to get the trails ready for the season. No one can deny that we had a very rainy summer and really bad storms in our area. Well with all the rain, wind and severe storms, there are a lot of trees down on our trail system, and also comes a lot of growth, which means a lot of brushing and cleaning of the trails. This year we also have the challenge of having a lot of standing water in the swamps, which means we will not be able to work on those trails until they freeze over. Much to be done I hope we can get all the trails open. So I encourage all the members including new ones to help us this year. Review the meeting schedule in this newsletter.

Working on our trails can be fun, and we have a great bunch of men and women who come out to help, but we need more help. So please try an attend one of our meetings.

Roy Lawrenz President

Meeting Events Schedule

October 5, 2019 Club Meeting / Work Weekend Ron & Kim's Lee Lake Tavern 9291 Lee Lake Rd Pound, WI Time 9:00 am

November 2, 2019 Club Meeting / Work Weekend Location: Article 15 Bar & Grill 10840 Wescott Lake Rd Pound, WI Time: 9:00 am

December 7, 2019 Club Meeting / Work Weekend Location: Walker's Kraken Shake Bar & Grill 9449 County Rd G Kelly Lake, WI Time: 9:00 am

January 4, 2020 Club Meeting / Club Ride Location: G-3 Up North N4111 County Rd S Pound, WI 54161 Time: 9:00 am

2019 Special Event Club Overnight Ride Super Bowl Weekend February 1nd & 2rd, 2020

February 8, 2020

Meeting Events Schedule Continued

Club Meeting / Club Ride Location: Brad's Walter's II White Potato Lake - Time 9:00 am

March 7, 2020 Club Meeting Location: Klondike Salon 8104 County B Pound, WI

<u>April 3, 2020 Special Event</u> Landowner Appreciation Dinner Holiday Inn, Kelly Lake, WI

<u>April 4, 2020</u> Club Meeting - Work Weekend Location: Club Storage Building, Lee Lake, WI. – Time 9:00 am

Membership Renewal

As of this newsletter we have 54 members who have renewed their membership and 3 new members who joined our club. For those members who have not renewed their membership I again have included a renewal envelope. This will be the last time I will be sending renewal envelopes to the members who have not renewed their membership. You can really help me out by sending your renewal membership early.

Thanks for your support of our club.

Roy Lawrenz Membership Chairman

September 14, 2019 meeting minutes

The meeting was called to order by club president Roy Lawrenz at the club storage building at 9:00am. 9 members were present.

Secretary's report—A motion to approve the report was made by Gary Trader, second by Chuck Panure. Motion Approved.

Treasurer's report—Income, expenses and current account balances were discussed. Motion to approve report was made by Brad VanHoof, second by Gary Trader. Motion approved

Old Business / No old business to discuss

New Business

Roy reported on the AWSC directors' meetings. Membership dues are increasing to \$12 (previously \$10). There are currently 39,000 participants in the AWSC organization.

Discussion on Suring Trail—We will not be able to get approval of landowners for the trail to go south of Suring. Roy has been working to create a trail west to the pipeline to avoid Suring. He has met with one of the main landowners and was making progress, but landowner has ceased contact so approval for this season is unlikely. It is likely the trail will stay the same as it was last season. Roy reminded everyone about trail passes. There is a

quick link on AWSC website to order. Your membership number can be found on your magazine label.

Insurance—Preliminary paperwork has been received. Roy has identified some discrepancies between the club's database and the information on the insurance policies. He provided the trail bosses a copy of a spreadsheet with these discrepancies highlighted. The trail bosses should research to correct/verify landowners/addresses and send corrections to Roy. Rubicon, an organization that helps communities which have been hit by natural disasters may be able to help with trail work. Roy and Tom will work with other area clubs to facilitate Rubicon's involvement with cleaning up our trail system.

Roy provided the following notes from Tom Stadler who was unable to attend meeting—

All trail work to clean up storm damage needs to be reported on the worksheets—not to SNARS. We will be working with the county to apply for grant money for clean up related to the summer storms. Areas needing attention: Z to 64 north and south. Kelly lake/Lee lake areas need brushing. Tom reports he is willing to stay on as vice president.

First Order of Business:

Discussion of current trail conditions continued after Tom's report. Many areas need work. Many areas are very wet.

Brief discussion about possibly updating lake markers on Kelly, Round, Lee and Ross lakes. Steve Garrow reported a company in Oshkosh manufactures markers that would be an improvement over the bucket type we currently use. He will do some research and report back to the members.

Club Officers: Roy Lawrenz stated he will be president for one more year. Chuck Panure indicated he would also stay on as treasurer. Cheryl was not in attendance at the meeting, but it is hoped she is willing to continue as secretary. Roy will contact Cheryl to confirm. A motion was made by Gary Trader to continue with the same officers as last year (Roy, Tom, Chuck and Cheryl). Second by Jane Garrow. Motion approved.

from_____ Jerry