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NEAR NORTH TRAIL RIDERS

ATHELSTANE, WI

Meetings are held at Athelstane Town Hall County Rd A&C 2nd
Saturday each month @ 9:00. Except July the 3rd Saturday @ 9:00
Next Meetings – September 9th & October 14th
Annual Brat Fry & Chili October 14th Firelane Bar & Grill

Memberships

Just a reminder if you have not renewed your membership for the fiscal year of 2023-2024 the club has to receive it by the October meeting or you will no longer get this awesome newsletter every month.

Member Attendance Drawing

Two numbers drawn at Saturday's meeting numbers 9 Treasurer Tina Barnes who does not participate in the drawing as she is an officer of the club. But the winning number was 1 Groomer Boss Justin Hirschmann. He declined the \$10.00. The number of people who attended the June meeting.

Trail, Equipment and Shed Report

Trails still remain being graded as needed and all is good with the club shed. A small hydraulic leak with the tractor which will be repaired but is still useable for trail work.

Map Meetings

Club Rep Vice President Kelly Barnes attended a map meeting on July 17th. All the ads are in. There will be a new printer which will be more cost effective for the 2023-2024 maps. This year on the maps there will be 3 zones. Zone 1 is the Marinette County Line to Highway C. Zone 2 is County C to Highway 64 and Zone 3 is Highway 64 South. The International Snow Conference will be held on June 13th - June 15th for 2024 which will be held in Green Bay. Members at the meeting on Saturday accepted a motion to donate \$100.00 to the International Snowmobile conference. The park & ride has been approved by the county and the Alliance. It will now go to the state meeting on August 31st for approval. Club Rep Andy Malecki will attend that meeting representing the club.

Corn Roast Report

The corn roast that was held at Sally & JC's Northwood's Bar on Benson Lake Rd on August 5th it as a huge success for the club. The organizers want to thank the clubs hosts, The Northwood's and all the volunteers who worked all day setting up and taking down. To everyone who cooked the food to the people who served it and also who sold raffle tickets and the adding and collecting of the money when people bought food. Also for the many raffles and baskets that were donated by area businesses and club members. And a huge Thank you to the Athelstane Fire Dept. who loaned the club the tents and tables for this club event.

Well that's about it for this month. The days are getting shorter and the sun is setting about 8:00 PM. But I am sure we are still in for some sunny and warm days ahead of us. The next club event coming up will be the Brat Fry and Chili on October 14th at The Firelane on County Rd C. and as they say you can bet your bottom dollar I will remind you of that club event in your future newsletters and other stuff about the Near North Trail Riders. So until then have a terrific month when I will return and tell you of some old stuff and some new stuff too.

Don't You Think?

A perfect summers day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the Birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken.