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NEAR NORTH TRAIL RIDERS

ATHELSTANE, WI

Meetings are held at Athelstane Town Hall County Rd AC, Athelstane, WI
Meeting: December 12th 9:00 Athelstane Town Hall
Work Day: December 12th, Club Shed Eagle River Rd After Meeting

Work Day

A work day is planned for December 12th right after the monthly meeting to get the tracks installed on the tractor for winter trail grooming and maintenance. Anyone who is available to help with this job is asked to meet at the club shed on Eagle River Rd. Lunch will be provided by the club.

Member Attendance Drawing

All the numbers were picked from the coffee can due to the fact as I said in last months letter that the member attendance at that meeting was only 7 people. But finally there was a winner of the drawing and that was landowner Fritz Schneider. He was given a check in the amount of \$7.00 dollars.

Equipment and Trail Report

Trail Boss Dennis Hermes reported the trails continue to be graded twice each week. Groomer Boss Justin Hirschmann reported that work needs to be done on the drag once again. It is getting old and it seems that more repair work is needed on it. That will be discussed at a later meeting, and of course that work day is planned after the meeting in December.

Marinette County Alliance & Map Report

Vice President Kelly Barnes reported that Marinette County now has two tourism directors and they have been very proactive and promoting tourism in the county. The AWSC has been

sending back requests from people for the trail pass. People must belong to a club to be able to get the \$10.00 Wisconsin discounted trail pass. All county roads that are open for ATV's & UTV's will be closed from December 1st until May 1st. The new 2020-2021 trail maps are now out at the clubs business owners and at other area businesses. A dollar donation is being asked for the map.

50/50 Raffle @ The FireLane

The clubs business owner. The FireLane Bar & Grill on County Rd C is holding a 50/50 raffle for the month of November and half of the proceeds from the raffle, Dawn and Bob are donating to The Near North Trail Riders.

Gift Cards

The club will be once again this year send a gift card this Christmas to all of the landowners in appreciation and to thank them for permitting the club to access their property for the trail system.

Well that's about it once again from me this month and here we go if the weather guys are right this winter season, get your boots out wax that snow shovel and make sure the snow blower is gassed up and ready to go because they are saying we could get up to 71 inches of snow or more this winter and most of all on the list get that snowmobile ready for that first ride. I will be reporting each Tuesday the clubs trail report and you will be able to find that on the Marinette web site. Marinette County.com. Along with all other club trail reports. And of course Thanksgiving is coming up in a couple of weeks and I am truly hoping families can still celebrate in some manner with this pandemic that does not seem to want to call it quits. And like my mom always said take your vitamins get outside and get some fresh air in your lungs. And she also used to tell me after I had my boots on and my snowsuit mittens, cap and scarf. I always told her, I have to go to the bathroom!!!!

And before I leave for this month I want to take this time to send from the officers and the board this Thanksgiving wish to all of the landowners, snowmobile and ATV members.

*Wishing you the happiness of good friends, the joy of a happy family and the wonder of
This holiday season. Have a memorable Thanksgiving filled with love, cheer and a
Full tummy too,*

*And remember vegetables are a must on Thanksgiving. May I suggest, Carrot
Cake, Zucchini Bread and Pumpkin Pie.*

Happy Thanksgiving Everyone

