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# NEAR NORTH TRAIL RIDERS

ATHELSTANE, WI

Meetings are held at Athelstane Town Hall County Rd A&C 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday each month @ 9:00 am Except July Meeting Held on 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday @ 9:00

EVENTS: October 8, 2022 Annual Brat Fry FireLane Bar county Rd C

Next Meetings: October 8. & November 12th

## AWSC MEMBERSHIP CARDS

As I reported in your July newsletter that your AWSC membership number always is the same from year to year. I have been receiving some cards in the mail and for all new members I will send them to you. If other members want their cards I can also send them. You can email me at marand [sandy1@gmail.com](mailto:sandy1@gmail.com) and let me know if you want you're new card.

## Membership Drawing

As is done at the monthly meeting there is a membership drawing which means a number is picked from the coffee can and if it's your number and you had attended the last months meeting that means you can receive a check in the amount of the number of people who had attended that meeting. This Saturday Vice President Kelly picked the number 4 which was Andy Malecki. He would have receive a check for \$10.00 but told the treasurer to keep it. Thank you Andy.

## Trail Report

Trail Boss Dennis Hermes reported that the trails are being graded as needed. And with last night's rain I am sure there are new water puddles for those riders who like a muddy ride.

## Groomer Report – Shed Report

Groomer Boss Justin Hirschmann reported that all equipment is in good running condition. He also reported that the Cell Phone Booster has now been installed at the club shed and is working just fine. In the past cell phone service at the shed was very bad and there are times the Trail Boss or the Groomer Boss may be working at the shed and may need something or the need to call someone. So now with the booster that problem has been resolved.

### **Annual Brat Fry – October 8th**

The Annual Brat Fry is coming up next month on October 8<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 to 4:00 at the FireLane Bar on County Rd C. As some of you may know the FireLane has been closed due to a fire this summer. Committee chair Jill Hirschmann reported that she has talked to the owner and the Brat Fry will still be held in the back yard as we usually have done in past years. There will be an outside bar available. The club will also hold a meat raffle and other raffles that will begin at 1:00 pm. Along with brats and hamburgers secretary Sandy's Chili will be sold and also her scrumptious Chocolate Chip cookies and perhaps some M&M cookies as well. Jill also said that donations and volunteers are welcome, appreciated and needed to make this once again a successful event for the club.

Well that's it and another meeting for this month. Sure don't know where the time is going. Seems just like yesterday I was getting the August newsletter out to you and here its September. And of course plans are now underway for the annual Brat Fry in October At the FireLane Bar on County Rd C. That will be held come rain or shine and snow which has occurred in past years. Tents will be set up in any case whatever the weather maybe. Also have heard that the coming winter is to be very snowy and for the clubs snowmobile members that's great news I am sure but we will wait in anticipation to see what the winter of 2022 & 2023 will be like and then next spring we can say "Wow was that ever a terrific winter and I really put the miles on my sled". As for me I will take the snow because when the snow storms are all done it's easy to push the snow out of the way but when we get that so called Artic Air we just have to put our long underwear on and deal with it.

And that's it once again from me to you this month. And don't forget to get your new Membership in for 2022-2023. If you do not get it in after the October meeting you will no longer receive the newsletter with some old business and some new business and a bit of monkey business too.

### **Here is something to make you smile or then again fall down with laughter**

I've decided I'm not getting old.

I'm just 25 plus shipping and handling.