



SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB

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CONGRATULATIONS TO DANNY JACKSON OF WICCOPEE FOR WINNING THE SKIDOO SNOWMOBILE THAT WAS RAFFLED OFF AT THE CHRISTMAS PARTY. THE PARTY WAS A BIG SUCCESS AT COPPER-FIELD'S RESTAURANT. GLAD TO SEE MANY COULD ATTEND.

WE HAD OUR 7TH MEETING OF THE YEAR ON JANUARY 8TH. 20 + MEMBERS CAME OUT TO JOIN US. IT IS NICE TO SEE MORE AND MORE MEMBERS PARTICIPATING. SNOW HAS COME AND SNOW HAS GONE, HOPE MOST WERE ABLE TO RIDE. ONE OF THE TOPICS DISCUSSED AT THE MEETING WAS THE **YEAR END DINNER WHICH IS SET FOR SOMETIME IN APRIL. ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR A PLACE TO HAVE IT IS ALWAYS WELCOME.**

Lake Taghkanic: The groomer is now up and running. Thanks to the help of some club members, we were able to get the sled running good. A hitch was also installed so that the groomer could be attached. All is now in working order and ready for more snow. **Also** at Lake Taghkanic , the winter festival is scheduled for February 16th. The club is looking for some volunteers to help Moe with a small display of machines and gear for the day. **Come on out and enjoy the day.**

Don't forget about the **club ride** in Big Moose on February 22 thru 24 . All are welcome to join us. Dinner at the Wayback Inn on Saturday night. Make sure you have reservations for lodging.

Communication safety system: Steve has purchased a small number of these lights for club members. If anyone is interested in buying a system for themselves please call Steve Bechtold at 845-226-6564. Call while supplies last.

More about **Lake Taghkanic** !! It's here for all of us to use. Come and check out all the trails, new and old. It is a nice day trip for anyone who does not want to travel far or for a long weekend. Must have at least 6 to 8 inches of snow to ride. Call the parks department for an update on snow conditions at 518-851-3631.

Please check out our website at **WWW.SNOWRATS.COM** for the most up to date info on all of our events.

Meetings are the first Tuesday of each month from September thru April at the Fishkill Bowling Alley.