



SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB OCTOBER 2009 NEWSLETTER WWW.SNOWRATS.COM

WITH THIS NEWSLETTER YOU WILL FIND A COPY OF THE *SKI-DOO MILLION DOLLAR CLUB SUPPORT PROGRAM* CERTIFICATE. PLEASE FILL THIS OUT AND RETURN IT TO YOUR LOCAL SKI-DOO DEALER *BEFORE NOVEMBER 15TH*. FOR EVERY CERTIFICATE RETURNED TO SKI-DOO, THEY WILL GIVE OUR CLUB \$10. WE WOULD LIKE TO USE THIS AS A CHARITY OPPORTUNITY. THE SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB WILL DONATE THIS MONEY TO A CHARITY OF OUR CHOICE. THE PINK RIBBON RIDERS COMES TO MIND, BUT THE CLUB WILL HAVE TO VOTE ON IT. SO *PLEASE*, RETURN THESE CERTIFICATES TO ANY SKI-DOO DEALER BEFORE NOV. 15 AND HELP WITH OUR CHARITY DRIVE.

Lake Taghkanic work schedule:

Both the September and October dates rained out. This makes for a lot of work to be done on the last two dates.

We will be meeting at the Daily Planet at 7:30 for breakfast and leaving at 8:15 for the Lake. Start time at the lake will be around 9:00. The dates are:

Saturday, November 7th., rain date will be Sunday, November 8th.

Sunday, November 22nd.

We need as many people as possible. See you there!

Raffle tickets: We need all of the raffle tickets that were sent out with the renewals returned. The Christmas dinner will be upon us before we know it, this is when we draw the winner. Ticket sales have been slow this year and we need your help. Please return your tickets as soon as possible.

CLUB RIDE: January 29th., and 30th.. in Big Moose, New York. Everyone is invited to join in on the fun. Each member will be responsible for their own lodging. Possible places for lodging are, The Wayback Inn at 315-357-6000, The Big Moose Inn at 315-357-2042, The Glenmore At 315-357-4891, and The North Woods Inn at 315-369-3043.

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

**THE NEXT MEETINGS ARE
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 3RD. &
17th., 7:30 P.M. AT MICHAELS
SPORTS BAR RT. 9 FISHKILL.**

A **FREE Snowmobile Safety Course** will be offered by John Occhino on November 14th at George's Place on route 52 in Carmel. Must be 10 years of age or older. There will be limited space available. This course usually fills up quick, so don't wait. Call John at 845-225-3140 and leave a message, or e-mail him at john@taxman72.com.

STORMVILLE FLEA MARKET: We had the raffle sled out at the flea market to sell tickets. Sales were slow. We will also be there on November 1st. Come on out to see the sled, say hello to your fellow SnowRat members and support your club. If you need more tickets to sell, we will have some for you at the flea market.

Christmas Dinner: Has been scheduled for Saturday, December 19th. At Copperfields restaurant on route 44 in Millbrook (same place as last year). We will have appetizers and dinner. This will be a buffet style dinner with a cash bar. Cost will be around \$30 per person. The Yankee Grab bag will be back with gifts around the \$10 range for those who wish to participate. The winner of the raffle sled will be announced on this night also.

Attention: *All members must renew their membership by end of November or risk losing out on the newsletter and other important information. Please renew now to avoid this.*

Don't forget to sign up for the Pink Ribbon Ride, February 26th and 27th.

SLO-MOE HAS PROPOSED A POSSIBLE CLUB RIDE TO WESTERN NEW YORK. SOME WHERE AROUND THE BROOM, CHENANGO, CORTLAND AND TIOGA (BINGHAMTON AREA) COUNTY AREA. HE ALSO GOT INFORMATION ABOUT LODGING AND RESTAURANTS. IT SOUNDS LIKE WE MAY HAVE A FEW MEMBERS WILLING TO GO AND INVESTIGATE THIS AREA WHEN THE SNOW STARTS TO FALL. MOST LIKELY IT WILL NOT PAN OUT FOR A CLUB RIDE THIS YEAR. IT BUT WOULD BE NICE TO INVESTIGATE THIS FOR NEXT YEAR. THANKS MOE FOR YOUR TIME AND EFFORT INTO FINDING THIS INFORMATION FOR US.

Updated on October 23rd.

Club Meeting Schedule for the 09-10 season

Tuesday, September 1st.
Tuesday, September 15th.
Tuesday, October 6th.
Tuesday, October 20th
Tuesday, November 3rd.
Tuesday, November 17th.
Tuesday, December 1st.
Saturday, December 19th, Christmas Party at Copperfields.
Tuesday, January 5th.
Tuesday, February 2nd.
Tuesday, March 2nd. Announce nominations for officers
Tuesday, April 6th. Annual election of officers.
Tuesday, May 5th.
Saturday May ??? Year end dinner, to be determined

Lake Taghkanic work schedule:

Sunday, Sept. 27th.
Sunday, Oct. 18th
Saturday, Nov. 7th., rain date Sunday, Nov. 8th.
Sunday, Nov. 22nd.

Flea Market Dates:

Saturday, October 10th.
Sunday, October 11th.
Sunday, November 1st.

PINK RIBBON RIDERS CLUB RIDE:

February, 26th. And 27th. At The Ole Barn in Inlet

SnowRats Club Ride:

January 29th. And 30th. Big Moose / Old Forge

**SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB
2009 CHRISTMAS DINNER**

WHERE: **COPPERFIELDS** RT 44 SALT POINT.

WHEN: **SATURDAY DECEMBER 19TH.**

APPETIZERS AT 7 P.M.

BUFFET DINNER AT 8 P.M.

CASH BAR

COST: **\$30 PER PERSON.** ALL MEMBERS, THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN IN.

THE YANKEE GRAB BAG WILL BE BACK FOR THIS DINNER. A \$10 LIMIT PLEASE. WE LOOK FORWARD TO THIS DINNER EVERY YEAR AND SINCERELY HOPE THAT AS MANY MEMBERS AS POSSIBLE CAN MAKE IT. IT PROMISES TO BE A GREAT TIME AS IT HAS IN YEARS PAST.

VERY IMPORTANT !!! PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN TO OR CALL STEVE BECHTOLD .

I CAN'T WAIT TO COME TO THE CHRISTMAS DINNER!

NAME: _____

NUMBER OF PERSONS ATTENDING

TOTAL COST AT **\$30** PER PERSON

PLEASE ENCLOSE A CHECK PAYABLE TO THE SNOWRATS.

I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE CHRISTMAS DINNER

RETURN TO OR CALL:
SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB , C/O STEVE BECHTOLD
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