



**SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB
AUGUST 2011 NEWSLETTER
WWW.SNOWRATS.COM**

**HELLO FELLOW SNOWRATS!
IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN. TIME FOR RENEWALS!!!**

I JUST RECEIVED MY SNOWMOBILE REGISTRATION RENEWAL FORM IN THE MAIL, SO ITS TIME FOR ME TO GET OUT THE SNOWRATS MEMBER RENEWAL FORMS ALSO. THERE ARE A LOT OF MEMBERS THAT LIKE TO RENEW THEIR SLEDS IN AUGUST TO GET IT OUT OF THE WAY AND NOT HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT IT DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

Our first meeting of the year, will be on *September 6th*. We will be handing out the new vouchers for any one who would like to come and renew their membership at this time to get an early registration on their sleds. We will also be discussing the *Lake Taghkanic* work schedule for the up and coming months. It's good to get an early start on this because snow is really not that far away.

CLUB RIDE: START THINKING ABOUT IT!!! THE MORE TIME TO GATHER INFORMATION, THE BETTER. BRING YOUR SUGGESTIONS WITH ALL THE INFORMATION OF TRAILS AND LODGING TO A MEETING AND PRESENT IT TO THE CLUB FOR REVIEW. WE ALWAYS WELCOME NEW PLACES TO GO.

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

**THE NEXT MEETING IS
TUESDAY SEPT. 6TH., 7:30 P.M.
AT MICHAEL'S SPORTS BAR,
RT. 9, FISHKILL.**

SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE CLUB **ANNUAL FUND-RAISER**

WINNERS CHOICE RAFFLE

\$4,000 TOWARDS PURCHASE

OF ANY ITEM OR ITEMS AT

DUTCHESS RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

POUGHKEEPSIE, NY

Donation \$10 per ticket

Drawing will be held
December 17, 2011



SnowRats Snowmobile Club
PO Box 1095
Hopewell Jct, NY 12533

Raffle Tickets: As you open this newsletter you will notice that we have sent you THREE tickets for our fund raiser (some members may have already received them). We are asking for each member to either sell or buy these tickets for the club. We need as much help selling tickets as we can get. This may be the last year doing this, as it is getting harder and harder to sell enough tickets to break even. Some lucky person is going to win a \$4000 gift certificate for \$10. The Club loves to do this, so please help. Send ticket stubs and check made out to SnowRats Snowmobile Club to P.O. Box 1095 Hopewell Jct., N.Y. 12533, at your earliest convenience, Thank you for your participation and good luck. Additional tickets are available if any one needs more.

Ohio snow bash grass drags will be the weekend of September 17th and 18th. This is on route 8 in Herkimer county north of Utica. The SnowRats have been to this event before and had a great response to the raffle. We would like to go again. Steve is willing to go and represent a vendors booth for the club to sell raffle tickets. He can't do this alone, so we are looking for some members that would be willing to help out the Club with Steve. This is a weekend event so a two day commitment will be needed. Please let us know at Septembers meeting if you are able to lend a helping hand.

STORMVILLE FLEA MARKET: WE HAVE RESERVED THE SAME SPOT NUMBER T-358 FOR SETTING UP A DISPLAY TO SELL RAFFLE TICKETS. IT IS A GOOD TIME FOR EVERYONE TO COME OUT AND SEE WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER. AS WELL AS RAFFLE TICKETS, WE WILL ALSO HAVE RENEWAL FORMS ON HAND IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP AGAIN.

Tearing up the turf is another event that the SnowRats like to attend to get our name out there and show off our annual raffle. More information about this will be coming soon. The event will be on October 29th.

Club Meeting Schedule for the 2011-12 season

Tuesday, September 6th.
Tuesday, September 20th.
Tuesday, October 4th.
Tuesday, October 18th
Tuesday, November 1st.
Tuesday, November 15th.
Tuesday, December 6th.
Saturday, December 17th, Christmas Party at Greenbaums.
Tuesday, January 3rd.
Tuesday, February 7th.
Tuesday, March 6th. Announce nominations for officers
Tuesday, April 3rd. Annual election of officers.
Tuesday, May 1st.
Saturday May ??? Year end dinner, to be determined

Lake Taghkanic work schedule:

Saturday, Oct.
Saturday, Oct.
Sunday, Nov.
Sunday, Nov.
December T.B.A.

Stormville Flea Market:

Saturday, October 8th.
Sunday , October 9th.
Sunday, November 6th.

PINK RIBBON RIDERS CLUB RIDE:

February, 10th and 11th. At The Hildebrant Rec Center at North
Street in Olde Forge

SnowRats Club Ride:

End January, Way Back Inn.



**SNOWRATS SNOWMOBILE
CLUB, INC.
P.O. BOX 1095
HOPEWELL JCT, NY 12533**

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ TELEPHONE# _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

PLEASE PAY \$30.00 FOR MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL AND MAIL TO ADDRESS ABOVE.

CAN WE SEND YOU NEWSLETTERS THRU E-MAIL ? YES _____ NO _____