Lincoln Lakes Area Snowmobile Club

Meeting Minutes - December 5, 2015

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Steve Zahler called the meeting to order at 12:03pm at The Firendly Inn.

Attendees

Steve Zahler, Keri Kuklok, Danielle Dziedzic, Chrisa Dziedzic, Marsha Dziedzic, Nancy Hanson, Jerry Hanson, Arnie, Mick Farber, Al Doree, Terry Sandstrom, Adolph Rabe, John Parker.

Meeting Minutes

Danielle Dziedzic review the minutes of the October 31, 2015 meeting.

Treasures Report

Mick Farber reported that the club has a balance of \$7,820.43. The account is up about \$600 from calendar deposits.

Morrison County Update

- Groomer has been paid for, due to the lack of grooming expenses.
- New trail signs can be picked up.
- New trail maps available by the January meeting.
- Next Morrison County meeting this coming Wednesday.

Membership

- Membership is up, which is attributed to the mailing done in September. Regained many members
 who haven't joined in years. Club currently has more than 40 members. Mailing to be sent every fall.
- A suggestion was made by Chrisa Dziedzic to put up LLASC signs at area entrances to gain awareness of club and advertise. Attendees agreed that we should move forward with the signs.
- Membership is encourage to <u>register on the LLASC website</u> to receive our local trail reports and the most up to date club info.

MnUSA

- Nancy Hanson discussed continuing efforts to keep the cost of safety training down.
- MnUSA is encouraging people to keep active and register snowmobiles regardless of snow amounts and use, as this is what drives funding. Once it is lost, it is hard to get back.
- <u>Veterans Ride</u> Hutchinson, January 9, 2016.
- Rendezvous is scheduled for February 11 14, 2016 at Hinkley. Cost is \$75 until Jan 2, then the price increases to \$85. Cost includes most activities and 3 meals (lodging not included). Talk of a club ride to the event which is about 150 miles one way.

Groomer

Drag is hooked up and groomer is ready to go. Steve to schedule a drivers meeting to review the equipment and set a drivers schedule. Terry Sandstrom offered to help with the grooming.

Calanders

The new 2016 Snowmobile Calendars are now available. Get them from Mick Farber farbers@brainerd.net or 218-575-2282. Cost is \$20, and the LLASC gets \$5 for every calendar sold. It is encouraged that money and registrations will be accepted until late December.

Club Logo Gear

Logo apparel is now available! Show your support for the club by wearing club gear around town! Order forms are available on the website. Orders received by the next meeting, January 2, 2016.

Trail Report

- Al and Mick have placed signs on new trail to castaway. Is mostly cleared, but needs cold weather to freeze up, pack, and finishing touches. Terry proposed at sign advertising The Castaway, approved by Mick.
- County road "Snowmobile Crossing" signs to me moved. Arnie to contact the county.
- Trail packing not complete due to warm weather and lack of snow.
- South of Stewarts gate, cutting has been done, but clippings need to be moved. Weed whipping and willows need to be cut.
- Al to wait to put up portables.

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn by Al, second by Terry, approved. 1:02pm

Upcoming Meetings

January 2, 2016 Club Meeting at the Hitching Rail 12:00pm
February 6, 2016 Club Meeting at the Castaway 12:00pm
March 6, 2016 Club Meeting at the Friendly Inn 12:00pm

Other Events

January 9, 2016 <u>Veterans Appreciation Ride</u>
January 16, 2016 <u>Ride in gathering at the Shelter</u>

February 6, 2016 <u>Club Ride</u> February 11-14, 2016 <u>Rendezvous</u>