

Muddy River Sno Seekers

November 2019 Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Greg Reinhard, Christina Reinhard, Steve Emery, Alan Keefe, Jesse Shand, Allan Griffin, Phil Reichert, Ryan Patnaude, Kyla Belya, Steve Belya, Penny Belya, Lorene Thompson, Pete Thompson, Dylan Reinhard, Cody Reinhard, Daren Willey, Danny Reinhard, Dave Gerrish, Darren Reinhard, Eric Merrill

1. Greg Lucini from ISM Solar talked to us about solar arrays that are going to be constructed in the pit behind the club house. There is going to be fencing all the way around the arrays and our trail in 2020-2021 snow season will be moved to the south end of the fence (bottom of Matt Plummer's property line).
2. Reviewed and approved October meeting minutes.
3. Jesse read over the Treasurer's report provided by Graham.
4. 80's Night was a BIG success!!! We made approximately \$1200, this is larger than any Winter Carnival event we have participated in.
5. Map's have been GPS. We've been hard at work getting new business members to add them to the maps, we went from 13 to 27 and still adding. The maps cost us about \$1 we are going to sell them for \$5 instead on \$3.
6. Augustus Bove House is a new business member and offered for us to hold some of our meetings there. We have brochures at the club house for snowmobilers and family members who travel from away to ride our trail system.
7. We are trying to get a trail to Gary's, was told to talk to Jimmy Allen he may have ideas.
8. Alan picked up boards to line the center of the bridge we fixed in November. He picked up the last of the hemlock. If we can not get more hemlock we will use pressure treated. We have scheduled another bridge repair day for 12/1 8am to repair the Gore Rd bridge. Alan and Jesse will look at the bridge on the east side and may be able to repair it themselves.
9. Tucker still needs parts but the groomer on the west side is ready to go. Alan picked up the plastic cogs for the groomers tracks on the east side. The groomer on the east side needs 2 tracks.
10. Super Raffle – we have sold the 400 that we originally received and ordered 100 more. Blank raffle tickets were handing out to sell. Those need to be turned in at our next meeting. Drawing is 12/17/19.

11. Volunteer Hours, make sure you are logging your volunteer hours. Christina is going to track the hours for the help we received at the bridge repair 11/10. Jesse will log her and Alan's hours and turn that in.
12. Grooming Certification – If you are interested in running a groomer there is a video that needs to be watched and a test needs to be taken to become certified. There will also be training to go over the groomer you would be using and a ride along. We talked about hosting an event at the club house to watch the movie in a group and take the test.
13. Fundraising – Lorene has a great idea about selling calendars. She is going to gather more information to present at next meeting. Peter Caprano would like to have another winter carnival. We will be having more hot dog events at the club house this winter.
14. Website/Facebook – These have been updated with current officers if you notice changes that need to be made please let us know.
15. Map boxes – Danny Reinhard volunteered to make new boxes we currently have 13 but need 27 total.
16. Naples Maine Street asked for a donation, we all agreed it would be good to donate.
17. Trail signs – we would like to look into getting signs made for each entry/exit on our trail systems (Bridgton, Casco, Otisfield) welcoming riders to the Muddy River Sno Seekers trails.
18. Next Meeting will be 12/5 7pm at the club house. We are going to start having meeting every 2 weeks through the winter.