

ECHOES



Newsletter Of The Uncanoonuc Mountaineers

Dedicated to safe snowmobiling!

Al Lambert, President

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President's Message

I hope that everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving! Have you started working on getting your sleds ready for another season? The forecast is looking very promising for substantial snow well before Christmas! So keep your fingers crossed and we just may get a great winter this year!

We should be receiving a check from the NHSA office very soon for the hours that club members worked at the Grass Drags. We had a few less members work this year but are fortunate to have Jeff Filleul turning in his hours for payment to the club. Thanks Jeff! With Jeff's hours we had a total for this year of 354 hours. Thanks once again to everyone that worked the event!



December 9th is our Bowl-A-Thon at Kings Lanes. This event is to help support Camp Sno-Mo and is always a great time for the whole family! If you have any questions about thisevent contact Sally Raskett at 529-5813 or email to SARAH.RASKETT@FMR.COM and she will fill you in further. Hope to see you there!

With hopes for a great winter, if you'd like to be part of the Adult Weekend this year you must let Lee Forcier know ASAP (497-4429 or countrylife@verizon.net) so that he can reserve you a room! We will be locking in the location for this year's weekend at the December meeting so don't delay!

I hope to see you at the December 10th meeting and keep those fingers and toes crossed for lots of snow!

Your President, Albert Lambert



Holiday Party/Yankee Swap

Come join in the fun! The Yankee swap is immediately following our monthly meeting on December 10th. Bring a gift to swap or just come to enjoy good food, good company and lots of laughs with the gifts other people are stuck taking home! ② Any questions, call Sally at 529-5813.

Membership payments are now due!

You should have already received a renewal notice in the mail

Reminder!!

Please remember that the trails open on Dec. 15th (snow permitting) and you will want to register your sleds! Please mail your renewal now, I will need time to process your membership.

Remember to add an additional \$5.00 late fee.

Mail to:

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Any questions contact: Kathy Poole 529-3385

<u>Update from the Trail</u> <u>Administrator</u>

Please remember that trails do not open until December 15th. The lake and any other bodies of water are not safe to cross yet! The trail to Clough is not open from Kimball Pond, there is a landowner issue there. Other than that, we are just waiting for a little more snow so we can start riding.

Fundraising Reminders

Reminder! Drawings for the 120 club begin in December. Also tickets are available for the NHSA Super Raffle. Get your tickets from David McGlauflin at the meeting or you can call David at 487-3938 or e-mail at racersuperdave@comcast.net.



B.S. from Bill

Hello all,

Here in Manchester, it is the last week of November and we have seen snow! I know, I know. I can hardly believe it myself. Technically it was the first measurable white stuff of this year but I just needed a short ruler for it. Up north they have gotten more so maybe, maybe it is a sign of good things to come. Let's hope it's a good year.

I also hope all of you had a wonderful Thanksgiving. Did you eat too much to move and pass out watching TV or did you get up and go and put up your Christmas decorations already? I was at my wife's friends house and didn't get home until after 8pm, so I did neither. I won't say I was bored but I am going to blame the nap on the fact the house was at about 350 degrees for six hours and I was the turkey.

I would like to remind everyone to ride safe. Every year we hear of one or two horrible deaths on the lakes and trails of NH. Sometimes they are just plain bad accidents but most of the time it seems that the rider was at fault. Either they were drunk or driving too fast or without a helmet or not aware of the conditions they were riding in or on. I would love to have this be the year that not one of those tragedies befalls a single rider. So make sure you are able to drive, have the proper equipment, operate at a safe speed and know your conditions. Please be safe out there.

No more BS for now,

Bill Lofgren

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UNCANOONUC MOUNTAINEERS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2007 - 2008 Season

Dec 9: Bowl-A-Thon, King's Lanes

Dec 10: Club Meeting & Holiday Party/Yankee Swap

Jan 4: Friday Night Club Ride for Supper

Jan 5: Safety Class

Jan 14: Club Meeting

Jan 18,19,20: Adult Weekend, Cabot Inn, Lancaster

Jan 26: Club Day/Dinner Ride

Feb 1,2,3: Easter Seals Ride-In, Lincoln

Feb 10: Daytime Ride

Feb 11: Club Meeting

Feb 17: Family Fun Day

Feb 22,23,24 – March 2: Family Weekend (longer tentative)

Mar 8: Daytime Ride

Mar 10: Club Meeting

Apr 12: Pot Luck Dinner

Apr 14: Club Meeting

May 3: Banquet, final meeting, election of officers

Jul 12: Easter Seals Land & Lake Poker Run

Jul 19: Summer Family Fun Day

TBD: Camp Sno-Mo Thunder Run

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Next Meeting: Monday, December 10th, 2007 7:00 pm, Goffstown Rec Center

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