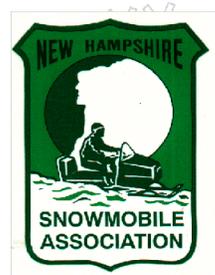




MOUNTAINEERS' ECHOES

Newsletter Of The Uncanoonuc Mountaineers



Dedicated to safe snowmobiling!

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Letter from the President

As I write this letter we are finally getting some badly needed snow in this part of the state. We started the winter with a few good snows but haven't really received any new (except rain) in about a month! I hope that the snow drought is over and we'll be able to get back out on our local trails.

Since our last meeting we've had two of our club weekends go by. The first was the reciprocity weekend and the second was the Easter Seals Ride-In. Our reciprocity weekend was in Wilton, Maine at the Comfort Inn. The accommodations were great but the trails conditions were not! They, too, had received a great deal of rain and the majority of the trails were mostly ice which created some overheating issues from time to time. The area had a lot of single track trails and there were a fair amount of water bars and washouts to deal with.

Our second club weekend was the Ride-In in Gorham. I wasn't sure if it was going to be worth bringing our sleds up, but was glad that we did. The trails were in good shape around town and only got better as you headed North. Some were able to head out on Friday for a short ride, but the whole group had a great ride on Saturday that took us to Errol for lunch and gas then we returned to Gorham via a different route. We also went out Sunday morning for a few hours before heading back home. It was a great weekend and I want to thank Bruce Buttrick for being a great guide for both of these club weekends. Awesome job, Bruce!

Our next club event on the calendar is a local ride or "Family Fun Day" on the 17th. Nothing set for this date yet and as always, weather between now and then will determine what we'll do! Keep checking your inbox for updates!

The next club event will be the Bear Brook State Park Snowmobile Museum Open House on Sunday, February 18th. We'll be operating a cook shack for the event. If you've never been to the Museum, here's a chance to help out with an event and visit the Museum at the same time! Help is needed and appreciated to make this possible. If you're available to give a hand contact Bud Gordon and he'll give you more info about the event and how you can be of help. Email: gordonbigblue@aol.com or 496-5452.

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- *Many club events coming up!*
- *Family Fun Day February 17*
- *Bear Brook State Park Museum Open House coming up on February 18. Volunteers needed for the Cook Shack. Contact Bud Gordon.*
- *Family Weekend Ride Feb 23-25, Colebrook Country Club.*
- *Five more drawings left of the 120 Club. Yes, there are still tickets available if you'd like to get in on it!*

**Our next Club Meeting
is Monday,
February 12 at 7:00 pm
At the Goffstown
Rec Center**

To end out the month we have a Family Weekend Ride planned for February 23-25 at the Colebrook Country Club. The riding has been good in that area to date and with any luck should only get better. As a club, it has been many years since we have stayed in the Colebrook area so it will be a great opportunity to ride some different trails. If you need any info for this weekend contact Linda Lambert. 497-4023 or email: iwont4gt@gmail.com

That will do it for now! I hope that you're able to attend some of the upcoming events that are planned as well as our next club meeting on the 12th at 7:00. Be safe riding and enjoy the season while it's here. Never know how long it will last!

Your President,
Albert Lambert

Fundraising Update

120 Club

We will be holding the next 5 drawings for the 120 Club. You can still purchase a ticket if you haven't. Tickets are \$20. You still have 15 chances to win \$20 in the weekly drawings and there will be larger prizes awarded during the final drawings. All proceeds go to the Scholarship fund!

New fundraising ideas are always welcome. If anyone has any ideas for additional fundraising, please feel free to email me at racersuperdave@comcast.net or call me at (603) 487-3938 or (603) 315-8115.

Uncanoonuc Mountaineers Scholarship Recipients

We are very proud to offer a scholarship through funds raised by the 120 club and help students achieve their dreams.

Congratulations to Sarah McGlaufflin for completing her first semester at Husson University with flying colors and receiving the club's \$1,000 scholarship! Also congratulations to Ethan Towsley for completing his first semester at the University of New Hampshire and receiving a \$500 scholarship. How proud we all are of you both and good luck with your future years of schooling!

Also, congratulations to Kelsea Lambert for passing her National Veterinary Boards. On May 11th when she receives her diploma from Kansas State Veterinary College, she will officially be a certified veterinarian! We are so excited and proud of her! She will continue on with her education by doing an internship. Congrats to Kelsea!



Calendar of Events Uncanoonuc Mountaineers 2017-2018

February 12 – Club meeting, Parks/Rec Center, 7 PM

February 17 – Local Club Ride or Family Fun Day (more info TBA)

February 18 – Bear Brook State Park Museum open house, volunteers needed for cook shack

February 23-25 – Club Family Weekend (more info TBA)

February 24 – Local Club Ride ????? (Saturday)

March 9-11 – Club Family Weekend, Errol Motel, Errol, NH

March 12 – Club meeting, Parks/Rec Center, 7 PM

March 24 – Pot Luck Supper (more info TBA)

April 7 – Weare Winter Wanders' Hill Climb, Pat's Peak

April 9 – Club meeting, Parks/Rec Center, 7 PM

April ?? – Annual NHSA Meeting (more info TBA)

May 5 – Banquet, Final meeting, Election of Officers

August 17 – Board Meeting for new officers (Friday)

