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Newsletter



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December's Attendance:  
 Board Meeting: 7  
 Club Meeting: 16  
 Membership Last Year: 134  
 Membership This Year: 113

**NEXT CLUB MEETING:**  
January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2005 @ 7:30pm

Meetings:

**Thursday, January 6<sup>th</sup>**

**GENERAL CLUB BUSINESS**  
7:30pm at Circle B Rec. Center

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
6:30pm at Circle B Rec. Center

Board Members

- President: Dan Burback
- Vice President: Dave Pom
- Secretary: Mike Mueller
- Treasurer: Patty Kison
- Chris Habich
- Denny Kison
- Scott Mueller
- Mark Gall
- Mike Brown

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**BEING A CLUB MEMBER.**

Snowmobiling is a sport for those who enjoy the cold and snowy outdoors of winter. We are all part of a club because we enjoy the sport of snowmobiling and for what our sport stands for – outdoor recreation. Most of us became club members because of family, friends, or because of their love for snowmobiling. Once you're a member, you realize that being a member makes you a better informed snowmobiler and possibly, more active in our sport. (Yes, this is going somewhere.) When I joined, I did it because a friend of mine talked myself and another friend into it (we were still in high school at the time). He said that being a member helped the sport plus we should belong to a club. The more I got involved, the more I grew to love snowmobiling and I have been active ever since. Surprisingly, the two friends that joined when I did, weren't as active and since gone on to other interests in life, yet I have gained more friends by being a member of our club.

What I am looking at is our membership. Like with any organization, membership goes up and down year in and year out. We would like to keep ours going up each year and need all the help we can get. We need to attract new members each year plus keep the current ones as well as try to get back the members who have let their membership lapse. Your input regarding this is welcomed. Plus, is the way we have our membership currently setup (active & non-active) a good method? Let me know; you can contact me, Dan Burback, at the email listed on the bottom left of the first column, or give me a call at (262) 692-3704. I welcome any input that will help our club become a better club. As with anything, it is easy to loose members than it is to find them.

See you on the trails.....

### Trail Rides.

Check out in this newsletter the calendar for January and February for club trail rides on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. They are local rides with a few where we may need to trailer our sleds. All rides will leave from Circle B unless otherwise stated on that day. We had two good rides last season, and those that went on the rides had a very good time. Mark your calendar's and well see you in the snow.....

### TRAILS

Are all in at this time. Thanks to all the volunteers helping to brush and install our trails. Our trails are a perfect example as a result of the efforts of volunteers. Thanks again for your hard work.

There are a few changes so please follow the marked trails. The spur to PDQ has been changed from the way it ran the last few years due to the construction just west of PDQ. Please stay on the trail and use caution when running this section of trail to PDQ. Plus, the trail deadends at PDQ like in the past.

### SNO-PHONES

Please call the Sno-Phones before you head out and ride the trails. We have phone numbers for Ozaukee and Washington Counties as well as Sheboygan County. Use the information on the recordings **as well as** the rule of thumb: at or below 32 degrees Fahrenheit **AND** a minimum of 6" of snow on the ground.

Ozaukee County Sno-Phones:  
262-284-8259  
262-238-8259

Washington County Sno-Phone:  
262-334-6061

Sheboygan County Sno-Phone:  
920-457-8810, ext. 2990

### CLUB MEETINGS

For this month only, we will meet on the January 6<sup>th</sup> which is the first Thursday of the month. After this, we will go back to the second Thursday of each month. This was due to a scheduling conflict with Circle B.

### SNO-FARIS

We still have two trips planned for this season. Currently, the first Sno-Fari is set for St. Germain on February 4-5-6, 2005. There are ten (10) rooms reserved at the Hearthside and four are spoken for at this time. I need to know by January 14<sup>th</sup> if you need a room. Please give me a call for a room assignment. Otherwise, I need to turn in the remaining rooms back to the Hearthside so they can rent them out. Contact me at 262-692-3704 or email at: [rockonsister@hnet.net](mailto:rockonsister@hnet.net) for room assignments and reservations.

The second Sno-Fari is set for March 4-5-6, 2005 in Land-O-Lakes at the Gateway Lodge. We have reserved five (5) rooms and currently have three (3) available. For this trip, I need to know no later than February 14 if you need a room; otherwise I will turn in the remaining rooms back to the Gateway Lodge. Contact me at 262-692-3704 or email at: [rockonsister@hnet.net](mailto:rockonsister@hnet.net) for room assignments and reservations

If there are any other volunteers to head up a Sno-Fari this season, please give me a call and I'll include it in the newsletter next month.

### FOR SALE.

(The following is owned by our club and we have decided at the November club meeting to sell it. It will be listed on eBay shortly.)

**1977 Bombie**, 4 cylinder, manual transmission, seats three, rubber tracks with steel cleats. As is. \$3500 or best offer.

Call Dan at (262) 692-3704 or Randy at (262) 677-2996