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Included with your newsletter, is a listing of club clothing and prices.



## *NEXT CLUB MEETING:* October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2003 @ 7:30pm

### Meetings:

**GENERAL CLUB BUSINESS**  
Thursday, Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm at  
Circle B Rec. Center

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
Tuesday, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm  
at Circle B Rec. Center

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### President's Views and Thoughts....

Our season is just starting and becomes more of a reality as the temperature goes from t-shirt and shorts weather to jeans and sweatshirt weather. Even though we may be reminiscing about the past Ozaukee County Fair we need to look ahead to our snowmobile trails – are they intact or do we need to re-route? Also, due to the fact that the last two seasons have been a low snow years, we still need to keep focused on our sport of snowmobiling and keep membership up. Unfortunately, when snow conditions are poor, we cannot use our snowmobiles as often as we may want to, but we need to remain positive that this cycle or weather patterns will go full cycle and we will again see snow like we did in the 70's and 80's (I may have been a kid back then but there still was a lot of snow). By keeping our membership current as well as getting those around us to become members, this allows our club and the AWSC to keep our members informed with all that is transpiring around us and in the sport of snowmobiling. If I wasn't a member of our club or wasn't as involved, I would be in the dark as what is happening with issues such as Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Park or even the status of the railroad grade from West Bend north to Eden. A lot of this information never hits the newspaper or the newspapers feel that it isn't worthy to print. As for Yellowstone and Grand Teton, a new decision has allowed continued snowmobile access to these areas. We now have the opportunity to give input for this new rule. If you wish to submit a comment on this rule, go to: <http://capwiz.com/share/issues/alert> and click on alerts which will allow to make a comment. Otherwise, we will have a handout on this at this month's meeting. As for the railroad bed, the DNR has allowed the Kewaskum club to use it this year for their trail north of Hwy. D to Kewaskum. Nice, flat, and straight. Awesome!! See you at this month's meeting.

### **Membership Dues...**

It is still early in the fall, but our season has started and we have

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begun to receive membership renewals via mail or at the club meetings. We need to keep them rolling in to keep our membership lists current and up to date. Something new this year, the AWSC has a raffle (with cash prizes) you can enter when a current AWSC member brings in a new member to his or her club. This raffle replaces the one where a renewal member had a chance to win a snowmobile. This raffle will cost the AWSC less money and the prizes can be used by anyone. Bring in a new member and we will enter you in this raffle. Let Cathy Kison or Patty Kison know when you bring in a new member (a new member is anyone that has not been on an AWSC roster after January of 2001) and we will give you an entry card to fill out.

## **Trails & Bridge Work...**

We are planning on brushing and installing our trails on the first three Saturdays in November. The dates are Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup>.

Again, we will be meeting at Ma Kison's, but the starting time has moved up to 7:30am in order to make more use of the morning. This may overlap on some hunting seasons, and we apologize for this, yet all we are looking for is a couple of hours to get our trails in and done before the gun deer hunting season begins. The more volunteers we get, the quicker we can finish.

Once brushing and signing is finished, we still need to disc the trails that run across plowed fields before the frost freezes the ground and the equipment that we

use to disc is put away for the winter. This is why you're your help plus the more the merrier.

See you at Ma Kison's.

## **Clothing....**

We are including a clothing list complete with colors, sizes, and costs with this newsletter. Anyone interested in our club clothing can place your order at the next club meeting or by giving Patty Kison a call at (262) 677-2996. Please note that the prices listed are as accurate as possible, but may change slightly due to industry changes. We have priced the items at our cost -- we feel that you, our members, should get our club clothing at the best possible price -- cost. We have modeled a majority of the items at the club meeting, and all the clothing will fit into most occasions. Also, XXL or larger sizes cost roughly two to three dollars more unless otherwise shown. Please note, we need a minimum of twelve (12) items to place an order and have three (3) items order right now. Check them out and put in your order -- Christmas is approaching and so is snow!!!!

## **Volunteers Still Needed**

We are still looking for a member(s) to take over the membership applications, AWSC membership, and AWSC Commercial memberships. Cathy Kison currently handles this task and will be stepping down this spring. We need to bring in a member to work with her to see how it is all done so we don't miss a beat. The job involves the paperwork for our club and the AWSC so the member needed for this position must be detail oriented as well as organized.

The dues are handled by the Treasurer. See one of the officers or Board Members if you are

interested.

Each spring, we elect or re-elect three club members to our Board of Directors for a three year term.

We are always looking for new blood and now is the time to get you thinking about running for a Board of Director's position. New and fresh ideas are always welcome and getting more members active in our club is one way to do it.

## **SWAP MEET.....**

The Ozaukee Sno-Drifters have scheduled a snowmobile Swap Meet on Saturday, October 18 at Circle "B" Recreation. It runs from 8:00am to 5:00pm, and swap meet parking opens at 6:30am. Here are the costs:

Two Place Trailers and less	\$20
Four Place Trailers	\$30
Vendor Spaces	\$50
General Admission	Free

Food and beverages will be sold by the Sno-Drifters. Stop in and help support a neighboring club who support us. For more information, call (414) 807-6691.

## **For Sale:**

Simplicity 3110 Lawn Tractor, manual transmission, 10HP, electric start, rear motor, \$600  
Call Dan at (262) 692-3704