



Weedsport Winter Wanderers
August 2007 News Letter

We would like to welcome everyone to the Weedsport Winter Wanderers. With the change in registrations, our numbers have grown from about 200 members to over 500. This is a huge number that comes at a great time, when our sport is really taking off.

As a result of our growth, many things are changing. Some of the changes that we would like to explain in our newsletter are: The newsletter, websites, grants paper work, trail, fundraisers, and labor.

Newsletters: With so many members the newsletter is getting very costly and labor intensive. We would like to save on postage, printing, and labor by going to an email type letter when possible and only doing a mailing when absolutely necessary. For example now when we need to mail out the membership forms which will also be available on our web site. If you would like to receive club news via e-mail please send an e-mail to weedsportwinterwanderers@gmail.com.

Web site: The old web site is offline and a new one is currently under construction. www.weedsportwinterwanderers.org please visit it. We have a link to the NYSSA registration form through our club. This web site should be easier to use and contain more up to date information. We would like to Thank Donna Arpino for her assistance in getting this up and running for the club.

Grant Paperwork, trail work and fund raisers: All of these are a year around task. Yes Snowmobiling is a year round sport. With much of the planning and background work being done during the summer months. What we are trying to say is, as well as any other sport you need a well-rounded team and can't just show up on game day. With 500 plus members we should have tons of help to get the work done.

We have some new members that call themselves "The Second Time Around Club" You can also visit their site through our web site. They are working on bridge #2 which is a 32 footer. Their idea is getting the work done when it's nice out and being ready for when the snow flies. There are about 20 of these guys, which brings to mind an old quote "Many hands make light work"

Again there are many ways to help: Work a booth, cook at a fundraiser, sell ticket, talk with trail bosses and land owners, drive a groomer, be a trail boss, join one of the many committees. The groomer barn still needs some finishing touches. Have you seen the groomer barn? If not it is located off of Brutus Rd. across from Bibbens in Weedsport.

We are looking for people to take care of a local trail east of Jordan runs along rt. 31 to Jacks Reefs.

Trail work needs to be done now before bow hunting starts and landowners don't want us in the woods until deer season is over.

With so much going on here are some dates to remember:

Our club meeting September 4th 7:00pm Jordan Elbridge Community Center, Rt. 31, Jordan. Pizza and Soda after the meeting.

Jordan Fall Festival September 21, 22, 23

Our club meeting October 2nd 7:00pm Jordan Elbridge Community Center, Rt. 31, Jordan. Pizza and Soda after the meeting.

Big East Snowmobile show: On Center Syracuse October 5-7

\$10,000.00 raffle and pig roast October 14th 3:30 pm at Wildwood Archery
Get your tickets now call Steve Baird @ 626-2711

Antique Snowmobile Show and Chicken BBQ at Owen Orchards January 20th

Great Eastern White out Rolling Wheels Raceway February 9th, 10th, 11th.

And Don't Forget there is always trail work to be done!!!!!!!!!!!!

Look forward to meeting, working and riding with you all when the snow arrives.
It's not all work and No play we do have a lot of fun as a club.

Don't forget to visit the web. www.weedsportwinterwanderers.org

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