

# **SNOSKEETERS**

**SNOWMOBILE CLUB of MANITOWISH WATERS**

## **JANUARY 2017 MEETING OF MANITOWISH WATERS SNO-SKEETERS**

**The meeting was called to order on January 3, 2017 by President Barry Hopkins at the Pea Patch.**

**SECRETARY REPORT** Approved

Snowmobile Safety Class was a big success. 19 children all passed the class with flying colors. Thank you to Tom Bawalski, Mike Mckenzie, and Renn Karl for their dedicated and hard work teaching it. Thank You to Village Market for donating the soda for the kids and to the Pea Patch for Pizza. The club pays for all the kids to take this class.

**TREASURERS REPORT** Approved We will be donating an additional \$300.00 towards the Veterans Military Ride.

**TRAIL REPORT** All of our trails are open but we need SNOW!!!! THANK YOU to all the groomers and volunteers who have worked to get the trails ready and open.

Our new trail and bridge is ready and open. The bridge has been dedicated to our long time friend and member Bill Schumann and his late wife Lyla. Bill has done more than I can mention for the club and the snowmobile industry. CONGRADULATIONS BILL!! There's an article in Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> - Friday's Lakeland Times about Bill and the dedication.

THANK YOU TO BOB SKROBOT AND THE FIRE DEPT FOR HELPING SHUTTLE PEOPLE TO THE BRIDGE FOR THE DEDICATION. THANK YOU TO LUANN SMIT FOR SETTING IT ALL UP AND GETTING THE PLAQUE ETC!!

**RAFFLE REPORT** Continue to SELL and BUY tickets on the Snowmobile and Guns and Roses.

**FUNDRASERS** **BREAKFAST AT YE OLDE SHILLELAGH FROM 8-12 ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2017**

**BREAKFAST AT PEA PATCH FROM 8-12 ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2017. DRAWING FOR GUNS AND ROSES RAFFLE AT NOON.** Guns being raffled off this year are; DPMS Oracle .223/5.56 OR a Mossberg 590 Tactical, and of course the beautiful dozen roses donated by Floral Consultants of Manitowish Waters.

**WINTERFEST RENDEZVOUS AND ICE FISHING CONTEST ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2017 AT REST LAKE PARK FROM 9:30 A.M. to 6:30 P.M. FIREWORKS at 6:30.** This is a family event with activities for all. Food and refreshments are served in a 40'x40' heated tent. Lots of raffles, kids games, rides in the groomer, and don't miss the Famous Klements Racing Sausages. **THIS IS THE DAY THE 2017 SKI DOO RENEGADE SPORT 600 SNOWMOBILE WILL BE RAFFLED OFF. SECOND PRIZE \$500 AND THIRD PRIZE TWO DAY SNOWMOBILE OR PONTOON RENTAL PACKAGE.**

If anyone has any raffle prizes they would like to donate for this event, call Lisa at the Pea Patch 715-543-2455 or drop them off there. We could also use some baskets to put the raffles together in if anyone has any. Members will be going out to area businesses to ask and collect raffle prizes.

Elizabeth Gehring from the Manitowish Waters Chamber of Commerce was a special guest at the meeting offering any help to promote Winterfest and other events. THANK YOU TO THE CHAMBER FOR ALL THE HARD WORK THEY DO FOR THE CLUB PROMOTING EVENTS, SENDING OUT MAPS, AND PROMOTING THE CLUB IN GENERAL!!!

EVERYONE RIDE SAFE, ENJOY ALL THE WONDERFUL TRAILS IN THE AREA AND THINK SNOW!!!

Next meeting will be on February 7, 2017 at 7 pm at The Ole Shillelagh Irish Pub.

Respectfully submitted

Merry Perkins, Secretary