

Ohio Ridge Riders Club Newsletter January 2017

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The January 2017 meeting was held on Wednesday January 4, 2017 with 16 members present.

Trail Report: Trails are open and generally in excellent shape. Grooming started on December 12th this season. This is the earliest in years. There are some wet spots that will freeze as soon as we get some good cold weather. Trail C4C through Mosquito Hill connecting to French Road in Hamilton County is closed due to beavers damming a stream and flooding the trail. This will open as soon as the water freezes up

The DEC and State Police have been conducting numerous sled checks and speed checks on our trail system. The cost to join a club, register, and insure your sled is cheaper than a ticket. We also hear that modified exhaust systems are being ticketed. Please keep the stock exhaust system on your sleds. Loud pipes are our number one landowner complaints.

Follow us on Facebook for updated grooming activities and other information:

<https://www.facebook.com/OhioRidgeRiders>

The club has purchased a 2013 Piston Bully PB-100 that will replace the 1998 BR-180. The new machine is scheduled for delivery this week. Also, a new Skandik has been delivered to South Lake to groom C4H.

The 2017 Poker Run will be held on Saturday January 28, 2017. Stops on this year's run are:

1. Haskell's Inn
2. 22 Club
3. Alamo Bar & Grill
4. Ohio Tavern & Restaurant
5. Cold Brook Legion Post 1118
6. Stewart's in Poland
7. Norway General Store

You can start at any location. The event ends at the Cold Brook Legion at 6:00 PM sharp! Entry fee is \$15.00 and club members will receive two hands. The event will take place by sled or by car, snow, rain or shine.

The club will be unveiling a redesigned web site within the next month. The new site will feature direct links to our Facebook feed as well as interactive maps for grooming information. It will also be mobile friendly.

Club membership renewals are due. Thank you to everyone that has renewed. Club membership will entitle you to the NYSSA voucher to save \$55.00 per sled on your NYS registration. The easiest and fastest way to

renew is online at the NYSSA site at:

<https://membership.nysnowmobiler.com/clubs/735>

You'll be able to print your voucher as soon as you renew.

If you would prefer to renew through the mail with us, please send your dues to the address below and I'll mail your voucher to you.

ORRC Secretary
138 Kelley Road
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'16/17 Renewal

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Individual \$30.00 Number of sleds to register _____

Family \$30.00



The next meeting will be Wednesday February 1, 2017 at the Ohio Recreation Hall on Nellis Road at 7:30 PM.