

Ohio Ridge Riders Club Newsletter April 2018

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The April 2018 meeting was held on Wednesday April 4, 2018 with six members present.

The 2017/18 season turned out to be a bit of a roller coaster ride. Conditions were nice early in the season and then we lost everything only to get the snow back with March being the best all season. All trails are officially closed now. Signage is being picked up and gates installed and closed.

The Club would like to thank everyone that worked on the trails this year grooming, brushing, signing, bridge work, and equipment maintenance. All of these hours are done by volunteers to make the trail system enjoyable for our members and guests that utilize our trails. The groomers traveled 3,321.8 miles and ran over 667.5 hours. Their level of dedication to our sport is nothing short of remarkable. This number does not include the hours spent signing, brushing, and bridge building/repairing.

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

The Club would also like to thank our landowner's that allow our trails to cross their land. Without their generosity, our trail system would not be possible. The club will soon be sending them a small token of our gratitude to them.

With the end of the snowmobiling season, the Club would like to remind our members that the snowmobile trails are not ATV trails. It is illegal to operate an ATV on the snowmobile trail unless you have permission from the landowner. Every year the Club receives complaints from landowners that ATV's are using the snowmobile trail. This has resulted in a few landowners closing off their land and trails to us. Please respect our landowners and ride only on trails that you have permission to be on.

There will be a meeting on the first Wednesday of June, July, and August to plan for SnowBash. The meetings will be at the Ohio Rec Center at 7:30 PM. Please attend the meetings to assist with the event. As always, we need help to continue to make SnowBash a success. Some fresh people to assist the people that have been doing the event for 25+ years will guarantee Snow Bash's success well into the future. Please plan to attend some planning meetings if you possibly can.

SnowBash's Facebook Page can be found at:
<https://www.facebook.com/ohiosnowbash/>

Snow Bash will be September 15th. and 16th. this year.

Memberships have expired on March 31, 2018. Memberships for the 2018/19 season are now available at the NYSSA site at:

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

The 2018 large raffle tickets are here and ready to be purchased! If you would like to purchase one or more, please send a check made out to ORRC for \$100.00 each to:

ORRC Secretary
138 Kelley Road
Ohio, NY 13324

Your ticket stub will be mailed back to you.

The next regular club meeting will be Wednesday September 5, 2018 at 7:30 PM at the Ohio Recreation Hall on Nellis Road. SnowBash meetings will continue through the summer as stated above.

On behalf of all the officers of your club, we wish all our members a safe and enjoyable summer. See you in September.

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\$27,000.00 Give-Away			
1st Prize: \$10,000.00			
2nd Prize: \$7,000.00		3rd Prize: \$5,000.00	
4th Prize: \$2,000.00		5th Prize: \$1,000.00	
6th & 7th Prize: \$500.00 Each			
8th thru 11th Prize: \$250.00 Each			
Donation \$100.00 per ticket. Only 400 tickets sold!			
Drawing Sunday September 16, 2018 at SnowBash!			

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