

SCRUB OAK SCRAMBLERS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT, DAVE GEORGE

We need to send a big thank you to the members who help out week after week getting the trails ready for winter or volunteering at events or other club functions. We also need to thank the members who donate money or goods to the club to keep it operating. And then we need to motivate the rest of the people who ride to join in and help out, where ever or whenever you can. You will find it addictive and fun and you won't ever ride alone unless you want to. Currently we are looking for a member willing to help out with the plumbing that will be happening at the clubhouse once the septic and water get installed. An email to a board member or sosclub@sossc.com will get you started. We still need a secretary and many committee members. Open houses begin soon and we need hosts to make them work. Please join in, you will have a lot of fun and meet a lot of people. Our next meeting is the Christmas party/Yankee swap on December 21st. starts at 6:15pm.

TRAIL MASTER'S REPORT, DAVE CHARRETTE

As I write this we've already had enough snow that Mathew & Casey made a snowman in our yard. It was smaller than Mathew but it still gets us fired up for winter. That said, Thank You to all who helped finish the new Jackman Ridge trail aka Calumet trail. Remember the old trail is only going to the lake and it will not go through Calumet's camps any more.

We still have lots to do out on the trails with only about 4 weeks before snow flies. I hope that we can finish all our trail projects. See you Saturday. Thank you.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT, STEVE JONES

If you have family or friends who would like to join the club and register, they can do so at Charrette's Flooring on Rte. 16 in Center Ossipee, Profile Motorsports on Rte. 16 in Albany, and Watson's General Store at the intersection of Rte. 25 & Rte. 16 in Ossipee and pay only the \$30.00 club dues with their registration fees. They can also join and register at Barton's Motorsports on Rte. 16 in Tamworth or Canoe King on Rte. 16 in W. Ossipee but they will have to pay a few dollars more for their memberships as these vendors are charging us to do the memberships. If you do go to one of these vendors to join and register, be sure you are filling out a Scrub Oak Scramblers membership form and not another club's membership form.

VOLUNTEERS, SEAN PINARD

To all, we are still currently looking for volunteers for all items around the club! We are always looking for help with the trails every Saturday 7am -12 pm or longer if you have time! We are looking for cooks for the trail work party breakfasts and the monthly general meetings / dinners. We are looking for people to work the open houses once the trails are open and all of our events, currently coming up, the Winter Carnival. We have updated FB and the website calendars with all the dates and times of all events and meetings for the season. One very important item is we are still looking for a secretary as well as volunteers for various committees. All contact info is on the web and this newsletter. If you have time and can help out please sign up or let us know what you can do! The "club" is made up of our members and we cannot make it work without all our help! It can get hard to rely on a few to keep things going! The more people that help out the better and more fun things will be! Many hands make work light! It takes all of us to keep our great club working well! Also if you have any new ideas for anything weather it is an event, open house, meetings or any idea what so ever please bring it to the board. We would love to hear some new ideas!

ACTIVITIES, LISA CHARRETTE

"RACE INTO WINTER" SUPER RAFFLE to benefit the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association Member Clubs

2014 SKIDOO MX Z SPORT 600 CARB	\$300.00 IRVING GAS CARD
\$500.00 IRVING GAS CARD	\$200.00 IRVING GAS CARD

Donation \$20.00 - Only 1,000 Sold & Presence not required to win; prizes awarded January 21st, 2014 at the NHSA Office; TICKETS AVAILABLE thru SOS contact any Officer.

WINTER CARNIVAL, LISA CHARRETTE

Vrrrrrm, Vrrrrrm, On your Mark—Get Set—Come to the **SOS WINTER CARNIVAL**; Saturday, February 15, 2014 10am-3pm Freedom Town Forest/Airstrip; Radar Run, Poker Run, Scavenger Hunt; Vendors, Food, Raffles & More

SODA MACHINE, SEAN PINARD

The soda new soda machine is up and running still a few bugs but ready to go. Currently stocked with Diet Pepsi, Mountain Dew, Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite, Brisk Ice Tea, Water, Gatorade Orange and Gatorade Lemon Lime. Price is all \$1.50 except water at \$1.25. To see the price hit the button and it will light up on the display! If you have an idea for a change in flavor let me know!

GENERAL MEETINGS

Monthly *General Meetings* are held on the THIRD Saturday of each month from October to April. Our next meeting will be December 21st. Dinner will begin at 6:15pm with the General Meeting immediately following.

We hope you can join us for the December Potluck Dinner / General Meeting. The theme will be Christmas Dinner. The club will contribute the roast beef and we ask those who attend bring a side dish or dessert. We will gladly accept donations to help cover the cost of the meals. See the website, newsletter or the event page on FB for the Theme and meat for each month. The BOD will be looking for volunteers to help cook at each dinner. If you are interested in cooking for any of the dinners please let us know.

PLEASE BRING A NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM TO OUR NOVEMBER & DECEMBER MEETINGS TO BE DONATED TO THE LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES!!

THANK YOU!!

OPEN HOUSE COMMITTEE, DONNA JONES & ANN MONTAGUE

Open Houses are held every Saturday during the riding season only when the trails have been deemed open by the Trail Master. We are looking for members to help with this. Please call or email Donna Jones @ (603) 323-7470; fredonna55@gmail.com or Ann Montague at (603) 539-7886; ACMonta@aol.com if you are interested in hosting an open house or if you would like more information. If you are unable to host but would like to help out, please consider donating a dish. A pot of chowder or soup, salad / side or dessert is always greatly appreciated. We look forward to seeing you at the clubhouse!!! We will also be taking credit cards in lieu of cash for your convenience.



We will be open every Saturday 11:00 – 4:00
For heat, rest, food, drinks and SOS Gear
Stop by, have a bite to eat and share a story!
This will be when trails are officialy open, however, a
member can open the clubhouse if desired when trails are closed!

SAFETY COURSE

The next safety course will be held on December 14th at the Ossipee Library, Ossipee, NH. Please contact Brian Savignano at scruboakscramblers@gmail.com.

NEWSLETTER ITEMS, KIM FIELDING

If you are receiving this newsletter via US Postal Service and have an email address, please notify Stephen Jones @ stepj31@yahoo.com. Emailing the newsletter saves the club money!

Please forward any articles or items to sell / trade that you would like me to include in the newsletter by email at jack5428@verizon.net. I would need to receive these items no later than the 10th of each month for inclusion in the current month's newsletter.

MERCHANDISE, DONNA JONES & THE MONTAGUES

SOS merchandise is available at the Clubhouse. You can contact the website sosclub@sossc.com or scruboakscramblers@gmail.com for more info or to get info on ordering merchandise to be shipped.

OTHER NEWS

The Board of Directors is looking for volunteers to be on the Bylaw Review Committee, financial committee and a secretary. If you are interested, please contact any board member for more information. Thanks.

The Board of Directors has approved printing some advertising in this newsletter for a small fee. If you would be interested in placing a business card size ad in the newsletter, please contact any board member for details (see list below).

CLUB OFFICERS

We hope you will feel free to contact any of us with questions or suggestions!

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PLEASE CUT OUT AND POST ON YOUR REFRIGERATOR
SOS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



<i>December 14</i>	<i>Snowmobile Safety Course</i>
<i>December 21</i>	<i>Roast Beef Potluck Dinner & Yankee Swap & General Meeting (bring non-perishable food item)</i>
<i>January 1-March 31</i>	<i>Take a Friend Snowmobiling Campaign</i>
<i>January 18-26</i>	<i>International Snowmobile Safety Week</i>
<i>January 18</i>	<i>Spaghetti Potluck Dinner & General Meeting</i>
<i>February 7,8,9</i>	<i>Easter Seal Ride In</i>
<i>February 15-16</i>	<i>Annual Groomer Rodeo</i>
<i>February 15</i>	<i>Winter Carnival (weather permitting)</i>
<i>February 15</i>	<i>Pizza Potluck Dinner & General Meeting</i>
<i>March 7-8</i>	<i>Swift Diamond Snodeo, Coleman State Park</i>
<i>March 15</i>	<i>Irish Potluck Dinner & General Meeting</i>
<i>March 15</i>	<i>No Snow Date for Winter Carnival</i>
<i>April 19</i>	<i>Ham Potluck Dinner & General Meeting & Voting of Officers</i>
<i>May</i>	<i>Annual Meeting TBD</i>

Best wishes to all our members and their families for a very Happy Thanksgiving!