

## BIRCHWOOD BOBCAT ATV MINUTES MAY 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2009

Meeting was called to order by President Steve Lobitz at 7:15 pm

Secretary's report was mailed out and a motion was made by Dick Engness to accept and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Warren Martiny.

Treasurer's report was handed out and a motion was made by Dick Engness to accept and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Werner Lehnert.

We are in the final stages of having our website up and running. Nicci and Steve signed all the papers and we have to put some final touches on it at this time. Anyone having any pictures to add to the website please contact Nicci at her e-mail address under contact names.

A BIG "THANKS" to all the persons that helped make Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> a very successful work day. Way to go!!!!

We still have more work to do, so a workday has been setup for Saturday June 6<sup>th</sup>. Meet on Dalen Rd. at 9 am; bring gloves and small trailers to haul wood chips on the trail and also your ATV. Any questions please call Steve at 715-354-3041 or Lee at 715-354-3023. A big "thanks" goes out to Craig Minnick for putting in 41 hours of posi work on the trails. Steve Widiker has been hauling gravel in the early evenings and Craig is using the posi to grade it the next day.

Gates will open on Friday May 22<sup>nd</sup> and the trails will be ready to ride Saturday.

Dick Engness had nothing to report on the Rice Lake ATV club.

The Tuscobia Trail from Birchwood to Wooddale Rd is very rough, need grading. State is responsible for the Tuscobia.

RAFFLE TICKETS ARE OUT! Won't you please help us with our ticket sales? Last year we did not sell all of them. Let's not let that happen again this year. A lot of the businesses have them on hand or you may call Cindy Lobitz at 715-354-3041.

Steve and Nicci will check with Tim and Lisa Lee to see if they would like to handle the Poker Run again this year.

We will be having a Swap Meet at the Lobitz farm again and Steve will set up a bigger and better mud pit this year. It will be Saturday August 15<sup>th</sup>.

Kids games will be held again Bluegill Weekend July 18<sup>th</sup> at Doolittle Park beginning at noon. This year Mark and Lisa Rieper stepped forward again and will handle them again. A big "Thanks" to both of you. We also would like some volunteers to help them out. Just call Nicci at 354-3023 and give her your name if you want to help.

MAPS: We apologize for not getting our maps out for opening weekend, but we ran into a couple of problems. Hopefully they will be out in the next couple of weeks.

We will be doing a reroute on the Spider Lake Loop; the forestry will bring a dozer down and cut a new trail. Lee will be discussing further with forestry and give us more details as they become available.

We graduated 14 students in the ATV Safety Class. It was a very good class. Craig Minnick laid out a beautiful course for the hands on test. A BIG "THANK YOU" Craig and any one else who volunteered there time to help at this class.

NEXT MEETING JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup> AT THE CLUB HOUSE AT 7:00 PM. ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD. WONT YOU PLEASE COME AND JOIN US AND MAYBE EVEN RUN FOR AN OFFICE. WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR NEW HELP. IT SEEMS IT IS ALWAYS THE SAME OFFICERS YEAR AFTER YEAR. THIS IS THE YEAR WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE A CHANGE. YOU MAY ALSO CALL CINDY LOBITZ AT 715-354-3041 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT.

Lee Minnick made a motion and Bob Lewis 2<sup>nd</sup> it to join the Blue Ribbon Coalition for another year.

Nicci made up a new ad for the WATVA magazine.

It was decided to get bids from The Printing Post and Print Masters for 200 membership forms. Nicci will handle.

We will discontinue giving out membership cards to cut down on expenses.

A big "Thank You" to the Town of Birchwood for letting us use the town hall for the final ATV Safety Class.

Lee will get some more LUV Registration Forms for Steve Lobitz for Seasonal Power Toys.

A motion was made by Warren Martiny to adjourn at 8:49 pm and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Werner Lehnert.

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Hello Club Members-

Yeah, riding season has begun. I hope everyone had a fun, safe Memorial Day Weekend. I heard there was a lot of ATV'ers out riding. Although it was very, very dusty. We really need some rain.

The club would like to say "Thank You" to those members who gave a donation of money, which totaled \$130 for May. "Thank You"

Reminders:

Work day scheduled for Sat. June 6 at 9 am. Meet at Dalen Rd. We have more wood chips that need to be put on the trail. Please bring gloves, a small trailer to haul wood chips (and an ATV). Any questions call Steve at 715-354-3041 or Lee at 715-354-3023.

Dues were due in April

June meeting is Thurs. June 18 at 7pm at the Club House located at 1118 North Sunset Lane, Birchwood

Raffle tickets are on sale. \$50/ticket, only 200 tickets  
1<sup>st</sup> place \$2,500, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$1,000, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$500, 4<sup>th</sup> \$400, 5<sup>th</sup> \$300, 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> \$200, 8<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> \$100, 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> \$75. If you would like to buy a ticket or would like to help sell, please contact Cindy (715) 354-3041. Good Luck!

Keep in mind our 2009 Calendar of Events. If you can help out at any event it would be great. Please let us know.

Swap Shop:

Do you have anything ATV related you are trying to sell. Let us know and we will list your item(s) in the newsletter.

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