

BIRCHWOOD BOBCAT ATV CLUB, INC
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APRIL 14TH, 2010 ATV CLUB MEETING MINUTES

- Meeting called to order by Co-President Lee Minnick at 6:10 PM at the club house.
- Secretaries' report was mailed out. A motion was made by Warren Martiny to accept and 2nd by Loretta Lewis.
- Treasurers' report was handed out. A motion was made by Warren Martiny to accept and 2nd by Judy Martiny.
- LUV's –Looks like we will have another 2 years extension on our pilot program for LUVs, hope to have it in place by opening weekend of the ATV season. They are working on all the proper language, so if after 2 years they want to make them legal they will only have to refine some of the language.
- A senator from Conover and Representative Mary Hubler helped push this bill thru. THANKS to both of you.
- A motion was made by Warren Martiny to pay off the posi-trac and it was 2nd by Bob Lewis. Will pay off by 4/15/10.
- We cannot go into the woods as of this time (4/13/10) to do any trail work due to the dry weather and fire danger per Lee Minnick. Lee will constantly check with the Forester to see when they lift this ban.
- The forester is working with the loggers that did some logging on the Spider Lake Loop; it will have to be put back in the same condition they found it when they first started the project.
- Lee would like to check out a grader they found in Osceola. Anyone interested in going with him should contact Lee or Steve.
- Still looking for a truck to replace Ford Tough, which is getting overworked
- The Forestry got a grant to build a Trail Head by the Berry Road gravel pit and asked if our club would be interested in helping with this project...The club agreed to help with this project.
- Lee Minnick applied for 3 grants that will be granted in July when bills get passed. \$18,700 Berry Road gravel pit to Long Lake Rd. \$21,440 Elbow Lake Rd to Nick Road and west gate on trail 25 \$51,000 Long Lake Rd to Birchwood Fire Lane.
- Nicci will have all the updates on the website done by next meeting. Any questions or concerns email Nicci or call.
- Roger Beffa had found that the gate on 31S was illegally open and unlocked. He has since closed and locked gates again. Please respect the locked gates; they are there for a good reason.
- July 3rd our club will again have a Poker Run. Tim and Lisa Lee will be in charge of this event. Watch the newsletter and for posters in and around the Birchwood area for times and details.
- We will again be ordering T-Shirts, Sweatshirts and hats. We will also have some long sleeve shirts with printing on the sleeves. Watch for our new line and logo.
- A fun ride is being planned for club members on the weekend of August 13 & 14th. It will be fun to plan a ride instead of a workday.
- **RAFFLE TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE. WON'T YOU PLEASE HELP US WITH OUR ONLY FUND RAISER OF THE YEAR! ONLY 200 TICKETS SOLD AT \$50.00 EACH. WATCH THE NEWSLETTERS FOR FURTHER UPDATES. WE ARE**

WORKING ON GETTING TICKETS OUT TO SOME OF OUR SPONSORS AT THIS TIME OR CONTACT CINDY LOBITZ @ 715-354-3041

- Our club will sponsor an ATV Safety class with registration at the Birchwood School on Wednesday May 12th at 2:50 pm. Classroom instructions start on Monday May 17th and again on Tuesday May 18th at the Birchwood School. The classes will be from 6:00 – 8:30 pm at the school with the final class on Thursday May 20th from 4:30 – 7:30 pm at the Birchwood Town Hall. For further information contact Lee Minnick at 715-354-3023.
- We will have a club work day May 1st and a rain date set for May 8th. Meet at Seasonal Power Toys at 9am, bring gloves and ATV's. Call Lee Minnick at 715-354-3023 with any questions. Sorry for the late notice, but if you are available we would greatly appreciate the help.
- There will be NO Swap meet this year.
- No Go-Cart Races this year.
- The ATV club will once again be sponsoring the kid's games during Bluegill Festival on Saturday July 17th at Doolittle Park. The fun will begin at noon lasting till 2 pm.
- All trails are closed at this time due to dry conditions and fire danger. Check the website for openings and closing.
- There will be some extensive trail work done on the Tuscobia Trail starting sometime in July.
- Volunteers are needed to help Steve Lobitz with tractor work on the trails; any questions contact Steve at 715-354-3041.
- Mike Roubal won the 50/50 Congrats!
- Roger made a motion to cast one unanimous ballot to keep officers the same as past year, Loretta Lewis 2nd it. Motion passed. They are as follows

President	Steve Lobitz	715-354-3041
Co-President	Lee Minnick	715-354-3023
Vice President	Dick Engness	715-234-7630
Secretary	Judy Martiny	715-354-9933
Treasurer	Nicci Minnick	715-354-3023
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Board of Directors

Kendall Johnson
Tim Lee
Warren Martiny
Jack Parkos
Roger Beffa
Bob Lewis (alternate)

Delegates of Alliance

Bob Lewis
Steve Lobitz
Kendall Johnson
Lee Minnick
Dick Engness (alternate)

NEXT MEETING MAY 12TH @ 7:00 PM AT THE CLUB HOUSE.

A motion was made by Roger Beffa to adjourn at 8:25 pm and 2nd by Loretta Lewis.

Check out our website www.birchwoodatv.com

2010 Calendar of Events

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info@birchwoodatv.com

All meetings will be held at

Birchwood Bobcat Sledders & ATV Club House located at 1118 North Sunset Lane, Birchwood, WI. 54817

Wed. April 14	April Meeting	6 pm	
Sat. May 1	Workday	Meet at Seasonal @ 9 am	
Sat. May 8	Workday Rain date		
Wed. May 12	May Meeting	7 pm	
Mon. May 17	ATV Safety @ Birchwood School		6-8:30 pm
Tues. May 18	ATV Safety @ Birchwood School		6-8:30 pm
Thurs. May 20	ATV Safety @ Birchwood Town Hall	4:30-7:30 pm	
Sat. May 29	Washburn County Trails Open		
Wed. June 9	June Meeting	7 pm	
Sat. July 3	Poker Run Ends	5 pm	
Wed. July 14	July Meeting	7 pm	
Sat. July 17	Kids Games @ Doolittle	noon	
Sun. July 18	Bluegill Festival Parade	TBA	
Wed. Aug. 11	Aug. Meeting	7 pm	
Wed. Sept. 8	Sept. Meeting	7 pm	
Wed. Sept. 8	Raffle Drawing	7 pm	
Wed. Oct. 13	Oct. Meeting	7 pm	
Sat. Oct. 16	Landowner Dinner		

ATV SAFETY CLASS

Monday May 17, 2010 at Birchwood School 6-8:30 pm

Tuesday May 18, 2010 at Birchwood School 6-8:30 pm

Thursday May 20, 2010 at Birchwood Town Hall 4:30-7:30 pm

Membership Form

Your membership helps maintain the trails

Your membership is good from April 1st thru March 31st

Please make checks payable to: Birchwood Bobcat ATV Club, INC.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ E-mail _____

Family \$25 _____ OR Single \$20 _____ New _____ OR Renewal _____

Trail Improvement Donation _____

E-Mail (for receipt) _____