



Powdermill Snowmobile Club

New Durham and Farmington New Hampshire

September 2021

Greetings!!

Last year we witnessed burst of energy within the snowmobile community. Our club experienced an increase in membership by 30%. PMSC was ranked 11th out of over 100 clubs in the state for member count. Can we make the top 10 this year? We need your help. A membership form is included in this newsletter. So why not join today and send it back while it is on your mind? You can also beat the crowds this year and register your sleds now. Don't get caught unprepared. Remember, last year we had our first snow in December. Check out our website for local registration sites.

www.powdermillsnowmobileclub.org

Despite all the record rain in July and unbearable heat in August, members of PMSC have been working hard to get our trails ready for the upcoming season. The crews have been diligently working in the Den over the last few months. A new trail around the lake has been roughed in & a new trail down Mt Caverly along with 100 yards of material spread on the roads. The big excavators have done all the heavy work, but we still need volunteers to drag branches and smaller rocks off the trails whenever possible. Our Summer Grant in Aid was approved for the bridge over the Ella River & a new drag. We hope to have a fundraising campaign to help cover our share of the drag. Improvements continue to reduce the incline of last year's emergency reroute in Farmington at River Road. Unfortunately, since we did not receive GIA to help improve last year's reroute, will have to cover the cost of improvements "out of pocket."



Construction of the new bridge is scheduled for September 10-12.

Keep an eye on our Facebook page for more information. It's a great way to help out the club as well as meet other members and make new riding friends.

In an effort to give back to our community, please join us cleaning up sections of Route 11 in New Durham as part of our Adopt A Highway program. We will meet at the New Durham Fire Station Sunday, October 3rd at 10:00 am.





A committee has been formed to design & install new wooden signs at major intersections throughout our trail system. Currently Kevin Koenig is working up a few different designs to choose from, & Deb McLaughlin & Jim Matthew are working on a few different color options. Contact Nick Bickford if you are available to paint any signs or help with their installation out on the trails.

Keep an eye on our website for a new line of club this year. We plan to have fall for your holiday shopping line of duffle bags, blankets, mugs and more. Not to members, we have added children's sizes.



Facebook page and apparel and other items new items available this needs. Check out a new overlook our future

The success of our first "Family Ride" last winter will continue this year. Once the weather cooperates and our trails are ready, we plan to schedule another ride. As always, you can find the latest information on our website, or Facebook page.

Last year's Winter Carnival was our largest turnout ever with more vendors and riders than ever. Our trails were in magnificent shape for the 2nd Annual Ray Gamble Poker run.



IMPORTANT: We are pleased to announce that we are returning to "in person" meetings in September. We will broadcast the meeting via Facebook Live for those not able to attend, but ability to participate from those tuning in will be very limited. **This year club meetings will be relocated to 110 Grill in Rochester, on 2nd Tuesday of the month @ 7 pm.** Their full menu will be available.