

Stateline Trailblazers October 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting  
Juda Community Center

Members attending

Dan Van Houten	Darren Roth	Berit Harpstrite
Craig Tourdot	Pete Goepfert	Ted Davis
Pete Cline	Brian Harpstrite	Dave Cook
Dave Webster	Mike Kundert	Jon Ammon
Tom Figi	Carol Figi	Ron Cook
Dave Steuri	Steve Goecks	
Laurie Schwarzenberger		

Meeting called to order at 7:13pm by Dan Van Houten.

Secretary's report was read and motion to approve was made by Darren Roth and Dusty Kubly.

Treasurer's report was read and motion to approve was made by Joe Schwarzenberger and Ted Davis.

Trailboss report it was discussed about some bridges needing fixing and material was talked about.

The trail by Dusty Kubly needs something done, there are two large dips and it was discussed if a bridge might be worth putting in.

Brian Harpstrite posed a question about the badger trail and being allowed to go on the trail and cut down the trees for wood that may have fallen during the last strong winds we have had.

Old Business:

Dusty Kubly still have some raffle tickets left, contact him if you would like some more. Posters were made and should be put up in surrounding taverns.

Talked about the AWSC Fall Work Shop which is coming up in November and Darren went through some of the things that they will have for the participants. Anyone can come up and participate, Darren and Dusty will be going to it.

New Business:

Dan Van Houten brought the website up because he wanted to point out one of the tabs which is a discussion board, said that anyone can use it. You can post anything for sale if you are going somewhere on your sled and would like to share it with others who might wish to participate etc.

Dan mentioned again that going forward all meetings will be the first Thursday of the month and it will be at the Juda Community Center.

Laurie Schwarzenberger said that the insurance was due again and she mentioned about getting some other quotes to cover the equipment and groomer which is on the different policies.

The crop insurance we pay out we get that money back from the state.

Monroe Power Sports Open House & Auction is October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Dan Van Houten was asking if maybe the club could put up a small stand so raffle tickets could get sold. Blackhawk Snowmobile Club is doing the food stand this year and it is highly unlikely that they are going to want us there. Someone will check with Power Sports.

Dan Van Houten brought up about new members; he suggested maybe having new members only pay \$10.00 for membership hoping that would draw the younger crowd. Dusty Kubly asked how we could promote it, and the website was mentioned. Dan mentioned that was one of the reason we have started having the meeting at the Juda Community Center instead of the taverns.

Ted Davis's son who is 21 thinks our meetings are boring, we will have flyers made up to hand out at Power Sports Open House.

Dusty Kubly made a motion to have any new membership join for \$10.00 it was seconded by Ted Davis. Jon Ammon is going to post something about it on the website.

Motion was made about posting signs along the trail with our website by Berit Harpstrite and second by Pete Cline. The club will order 20 signs.

Jon Ammon suggested sharing our email address list with other clubs (ATV Club) and Berit Harpstrite said that some members would not like having their address shared. That is the reason some members are hesitant to share their email with us because they do not want their emails out there.

Darren Roth said that Illinois will require snowmobile's to buy a sticker in order to drive on the trails.

Laurie Schwarzenberger received raffle tickets from AWSC and the club voted to buy all 10.

Meeting adjourned at approx. 8:30pm

Remember going forward all meeting are at the Juda community Center.

**NEXT MEETING NOVEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup>**

**HOPE TO SEE MANY OF YOU THERE.**

