



RED ARROW SNOWMOBILE ATV CLUB INC.
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January 2011 Newsletter

Presidents Corner: This winter sure has been a challenge so far. We had enough snow to open the trails and start riding and then it warmed up. Some open fields and other unprotected areas lost the snow we had but generally speaking things have been getting in shape. As of this newsletter the Red Arrow trails are open and rideable. Check www.redarrowtownsend.com for the latest trail info. Lots of other information to follow below...ride safe!

Groomer Building Dedication/Club Bonfire and Vintage Sled Ride: On Saturday January 28th we will dedicate our new groomer building at 12 Noon. Town officials, club members and local residents are expected to attend. Also, we just got word that Emily Bauer, AWSC Miss Snowflake 2012 will be coming. In addition to the dedication we will have a bonfire, and free hot dogs and hot chocolate available from 11AM to 3PM. Vintage sleds will meet at the Townsend Town Hall at 11AM for a ride to the event. Some old sleds are expected to be on display inside the building. If you want to ride or display your vintage or antique sled just show up. This is a very informal affair. The groomer garage is located just north of Townsend on Hummingbird Hill Lane which intersects with Highway 32 right off the Nicolet Trail. This is a family event...no alcoholic beverages will be sold.

There are still a lot of small items that we need to make the building functional. Please help us if you can with the following items:

New Club Storage Building Wish List of Equipment:

- 8 foot stepladder Large truck size tools and also smaller wrench set
- Bench grinder - -Air powered or battery powered tools -Pressure washer—bench mounted drill press
- Locking cabinets for small item and club record storage Trouble lights (multiple units needed)
- battery or electric drill and bit set -**Cash to help buy the above items...DONATIONS OF ANY SIZE WOULD BE APPRECIATED.** Note: All items should be new or in very good condition to make sure that we keep the quality look of our new building intact. All donations will be recognized by the club on an ongoing basis. Thanks in advance for your help.

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Fish A Ree Tickets: Fish A Ree tickets are still available and we have a new addition. You can choose to spend \$5.00 on one special ticket to win a Packer autographed football. After the Packer drawing we will put the stubs in the main barrel for entry into the “main” raffle along with the regular 3 for \$5.00 tickets.



Red Arrow Snowmobile ATV Club Inc.
P.O. Box 248, Townsend, WI 54175
37th Annual Family Fish-A-Ree & Vintage Snowmobile Show
Townsend Town Hall, Townsend, Wisconsin
Saturday, February 11th 11AM-6PM & Sunday, February 12th 12 Noon-5PM
D.J. Music—Food—Games—Meat Raffles—both days!!

Raffle Prizes

1st	50 inch Flat Screen TV donated by Forest TV & Appliance & Red Arrow	\$900.00 value
2nd	"Snow Days" 80 X 69 inch Quilt handmade/donated by Carol Renteria	\$400.00 value
3rd	Stuger "over/under" 410 Gauge Shotgun donated by Pintsch's & Red Arrow	\$400.00 value
4th	\$100.00 Grocery Certificate donated by Lakewood Super Valu	
5th	\$100.00 Grocery Certificate donated by Mike's Supermarket & Red Arrow	
6th	\$100.00 Gift Certificate donated by Sunset Resort	
7th	\$100.00 Gift Certificate donated by Barb's Valley Inn	
8th-12th	\$50.00 gas card donated by Townsend Shell & Red Arrow	

Cash Prizes for the largest Northern, Walleye, Bass and Panfish each day \$100.00 for the largest fish in any of the above species caught during the weekend
Fish Prize Awards & Raffle Drawing Sunday, Feb 12th at 4:30PM at the Townsend Town Hall
You do not need to be present to win...all profits go to the betterment of the Red Arrow Trails
Raffle License Number: R0006161A-14571 \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00

Name _____
Address _____
Phone # _____

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A copy of the regular ticket is also just above. Simply send a check for the number of Packer or \$5.00 packs you want to **John Brantmeier, 17643 Bennett Lane, Townsend, Wi. 54175** along with some "envelope stickers" if you have them. We will fill out the ticket stubs for you and enter you in the big drawings. As you can see we have some great main raffle prizes this year including a 50 inch Flat Screen TV, a handmade quilt by club member Carol Renteria and a shotgun from Pintsch's and a whole bunch of other great prizes. Please send in your ticket requests now while it is on your mind..Thanks.

Fish A Ree Work Schedule.... We need volunteers to work at our Fish A Ree in various areas. Workers needed include: Saturday both shifts 11A-2:30P and 2:30-6pm and Sunday both shifts from Noon-2:30 and 2:30-5:00PM. Areas needed include Serving food, cashier for food, Spin Wheel ticket sellers and helpers, a "Gofer" for each shift and raffle book sellers at the front door. We also need one or two volunteers to go over the Bed Races at Birch Hills to sell football raffle tickets Saturday morning. Please help if you are planning on coming up that weekend. It is a great way to meet other members and help share the work load with those who always step up. Thanks...you can e-mail or contact John Brantmeier at jbrantmeier@athenet.net or at the same address listed for the football tickets above.

Christmas Party: Our Christmas Party was a great success. We had over 75 members and guests attend the event held at Waubee Lake Lodge on Saturday January 14th. Thanks to Mary Stehula and Jim Weyers who chaired this event and Linda Brantmeier who did the Christmas themed decorations. Plan on coming next year....it was a great time!!!

Club Clothing: Rhonda Kroll is now taking care of our club clothing inventory and orders. Contact Rhonda at krollex@yahoo.com or 715-276-6993 if you are looking for clothing items. There is an order form on the website. Delivery on special items takes 4-6 weeks but we have lots of fleeces, shirts and hats in stock for Christmas presents. A copy of the order form is enclosed or attached for your review. Note the new items including Fleece vests, Knit Beanie caps and Fleece neck warmers.

Website: Don't forget to visit www.redarrowtownsend.com for the latest club news and links to lots of other information. We update often and post the date of the latest update on the home page. The last few weeks we have been getting near or over 1,000 visitors per week!!! E-mail club secretary Mary Stehula at mjsteh@hotmail.com if you want to switch from snail mail to e-mail communications with the club. If you are not happy with the e-mail version you are welcome to switch back to snail mail...let Mary know. **Note: We send special alerts to e-mail members on occasion that don't go to the snail mail newsletter members.**

UPCOMING CLUB MEETINGS & EVENTS/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Groomer Building Dedication	Jan 29 th	Noon	New Groomer Building
Bonfire/ New Groomer Bldg	Jan 29 th	11AM-3PM	New Groomer Building
Club February Meeting	Feb 1 st	7PM	Mulligan's Bar & Grill
Fish A Ree/Vintage Sled show		Feb 12 th & 13 th	11AM/6PM Sat & 12 noon till 5PM Sun at the Townsend Town Hall

Club Meeting Minutes January 11th, 2012 7:00PM at Karla's Kountry Kitchen

Meeting called to order by President John Brantmeier at 7:00 p.m. New member, Ken Klein, was introduced along with

Sue & Larry Market and Laura Lawson.

Approval of December meeting minutes as sent to members and on website through motion by Ron Popp, seconded by Pete Renteria.

Membership report by Secretary/Membership Chair Mary Stehula indicated active membership at 280 plus with a nice increase in the number of Booster memberships this year.

Treasurer's Report by Jim Weyers approved through motion by Pat Harrison, seconded by Tim Brooks.

Trail Boss Report by Jeff Kroll that chains are on tractor, trails are ready and we need snow! John cautioned that riders be careful since there are ruts, etc. that haven't filled in completely yet. John asked to have groomer drivers meet following the meeting.

New Club Storage Building Wish List of Equipment:

8 foot stepladder - Large truck size tools -Bench grinder -Air powered or battery powered tools -Pressure washer—bench mounted drill press -Locking cabinets for small item and club record storage Trouble lights (multiple units needed) - battery or electric drill and bit set -Multiple White Fiberglass folding tables & folding chairs -**Cash to help buy the above items...DONATIONS OF ANY SIZE WOULD BE APPRECIATED.**

Christmas Party at Waubee Saturday -Mary Stehula and Jim Weyers reported 68 reservations thus far.

Bonfire/Vintage Ride/Building Dedication ... Saturday January 28th from 11AM to 3PM at the new groomer storage building....dedication at Noon.....town officials are invited. Dan, Clint & Jeff will handle bonfire and hot dogs/hot chocolate.

Fish A Ree is Feb 11&12 (week after the Super Bowl)

1. Tickets are at 34 area business boosters
2. Banners and posters are distributed
3. Need volunteers to pick up raffle prizes-Laura took one list.
4. Captains for various areas at event discussed; covered.
5. How do we get more vintage sleds to attend
6. Pete & Carol Renteria will sell raffle tickets at Pintsch's.

Logo Clothing: Rhonda Kroll has added 3 new items to the Red Arrow selection: beanie, vest and neck warmers in either red or black. Order form on website.

Madison Bus Trip...Feb 15th to meet & greet legislators regarding the AWSC Cap/Step bill

ATV Trail Patrol Training...Saturday February 25th, 2012 at the Crandon Highway Dept building east of Crandon. Advanced training for new applicants starts at 8:30 All other training classes start at 12:30 PM. Cost is \$20.00 per person. Application forms are available on the WATVA website www.watva.org or by contacting Terry Coplien at terryatv@gmail.com and he will mail you one. **You must pre-register** and class is limited to 30 students. If you are a trail patrol ambassador and would like to upgrade to the "new" class of TPA's which is called ""ADVANCED"" this training will work for you. If you do not want to move to the new class and are currently a TPA, this is a refresher course as well and this training is for you.

Future Meetings & Events:

Bonfire/bldg Dedication January 28th, 2012 Noon at Groomer Building

Club Meeting February 1st, 2012 7PM at Mulligan's

Fish A Ree February 11th & 12th at Townsend Town Hall

Groomer Show is being held in St. Germain on Wed Feb 1st and Thur Feb 2nd

Open Discussion--Any club related items

Adjourned through motion by Clint Aderholdt, seconded by Dale Ott

Respectfully submitted, Mary Stehula, Secretary

Thank you to the following businesses and individuals that are boosters for the Red Arrow.

Mulligan's Bar & Grill	Sunset Bar & Grill	John Koss Builders	Aderholdt Electric	TA Motorsports
Frank Erler Concrete	Barb's Valley Inn	Perfect Lawn Edge LLC	Appleton Powersports	
Geiter Septic Pumping	Pour Haus Bar & Grill	Birch Hills Resort/My Bar	Mike's Supermarket	
Kroll's Excavating	Laona State Bank	Trails Motel	Maiden Lake Supper Club	Old Town Hall
Northstar Motel	Hillcrest Lodge	Fine Food & Spirits	Brunner Services	John Koss Builders
Pintsch's Hardware	Dan Pries Building	Radish Realty	Lakewood Super Valu	Animal's Bear Trail
Townsend Shell	Lakewood Realty & Cellular	G&R Truck Repair	Appleton Harley Davidson	
Waubee Lake Lodge	Lakewood Motorsports	Northern Financial Services	Karla's Kountry Kitchen	
Quizno's of Kaukauna	Frank Briski Financial	Kozlowski Insurance Agency	Bartelt Insulation	
Holschuh Collision	Lakewood Lumber/Hardware	Maple Heights Campground	Forest TV & Appliance	
Cabin Services	Potawatomi Carter Casino Hotel	Rademaker Storage of Kaukauna		
Forest TV & Appliance	Jason Harrison Family	Townsend Cabin for Rent	9 Mile Resort	Powersports 1
Schneider Monument	Team Motorsports	Beavers Bar & Grill	Yaeger Oil/Laona Machine Supply	

Please patronize the businesses that support you! Their phone numbers and web links are listed on our website under the Business Booster Tab www.redarrowtownsend.com