

Ohio Ridge Riders Club Newsletter December 2019

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The December 2019 meeting was held on Wednesday December 4, 2019 with 24 members present.

Tonight's meeting was the annual Bill Clary & Tom LaComb memorial dinner. This year's event was held at the Ohio Tavern and Restaurant. At this dinner, we honor Bill who worked tirelessly for the club grooming trails and repairing the equipment for many years. Also recognized was Tom LaComb who was the trail coordinator for many years as well as always working with Snow Bash. We would like to thank Dan, Becky and the staff of The Ohio Tavern and Restaurant for the great meal that they put on for us tonight. Please be sure to patronize their fine establishment while riding the trails this winter.

Please remember that gas is available at the Ohio Tavern this season. Non-ethanol premium gas is available 24/7 with pay at the pump.



Trail work has been ongoing with signage being installed and trails being cleared from many blow downs. Two large bridges were lost during the Halloween flood. One is on C4H near South Lake and one is on C4 in Norway. Once material is delivered, work parties will be

planned to replace these bridges. Please follow the club's Facebook page for updates and volunteer some time to assist with these projects.

Trails will open after hunting season ends and conditions allow. Openings will be announced on our Facebook page.



The youth snowmobile safety course was held on Saturday November 9th and sixteen children earned their NYS certifications to operate a snowmobile. Volunteer Instructors Diane Baker, David Rhea, and Jeff Greene taught the course with Gavin Krauciunas assisting. The 2020 course is tentatively

scheduled for Saturday November 14th.

The 2020 Poker Run will be held in January. Details will be in the January newsletter.

Club membership renewals are due. Thank you to everyone that has renewed. Club membership will entitle you to the NYSSA voucher to save \$55.00 per sled on your NYS registration. The easiest and fastest way to renew is online at the NYSSA site at:

<https://membership.nysnowmobiler.com/clubs/735>

You'll be able to print your voucher as soon as you renew.

If you would prefer to renew through the mail with us, please send your dues to the address below and I'll mail your voucher to you.

ORRC Secretary
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'19/20 Renewal

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Individual \$30.00 Number of sleds to register _____

Family \$30.00

The officers of your club wish all the members and landowners a very Merry Christmas and a safe and Happy New Year.

Follow the Club on Facebook for the latest news and events:

<https://www.facebook.com/OhioRidgeRiders/?pnref=story>

With the season just getting ready to start, please remember to ride safe. Respect our landowners by staying on the marked trail and leaving the stock exhaust on your sled. Loud pipes are the #1 complaint we receive from landowners.

The next meeting will be Thursday January 2, 2020 at 6:30 PM at the Ohio Recreation Hall.