

# Ohio Ridge Riders Club Newsletter February 2020

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The February 2020 meeting was held on Thursday February 6, 2020 with fifteen members present.

Trail Report: The trails are open. We received 5-6" of snow Thursday and more forecasted for Friday with rain in between. Coverage is thin in spots and water holes are not freezing up without the cold weather. This snow should help conditions considerably. Grooming will start back up once the temperatures drop. For the latest grooming information and conditions, please follow our Facebook page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/OhioRidgeRiders>



The above picture was taken on Wednesday on trail C4, the Jones Road.

There is a bridge out on trail C4H between Nobelboro and South Lake. This trail is closed. The bridge was washed out in the Halloween flooding. We are currently waiting for the DEC to replace this bridge as it is on Forest Preserve land. Unfortunately, we are being told that this will not be done until summer.

There has been a trail re-route on C4 between Cooper Road and Hall Road due to a landowner closing off their land. The new trail follows Hurricane Road and Rt. 8 and then connects back into the original trail. This trail does cross Rt. 8 twice. Use caution!

The 2020 Poker Run was held on Saturday January 25, 2020. The lack of snow this year resulted in low attendance for the event. The Club would like to thank those that did support the event as well as the organizers and volunteers that staffed the event.

Unfortunately we have had a complaint from a land owner over loud pipes. This happened Wednesday evening, February 5<sup>th</sup>. If you feel the need to have a can on your sled, please be respectful of our landowners and take it easy on the throttle when you are near houses.

**ATTN: SNOWMOBILERS**  
**THE #1 REASON**  
**FOR TRAILS CLOSING IS:**  
**"LOUD PIPES"**  
**IF YOUR SLED HAS MODIFIED EXHAUST**  
**GET OFF OUR TRAILS NOW!**

**THE #2 REASON**  
**FOR TRAILS CLOSING IS:**  
**RIDING OFF MARKED TRAILS**  
**STAY ON THE TRAIL OR STAY HOME**  
**SNOWMOBILING IS A PRIVILEGE, NOT A RIGHT!**  
**RESPECT THE LANDOWNERS • MESSAGE SUPPORTED BY NYSSA AND SLEDNY**

The next meeting will be Thursday March 5, 2020 at the Ohio Recreation Hall at 140 Nellis Road at 6:30 PM.