

Ohio Ridge Riders Club

Newsletter April 2025

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The April 2025 meeting was held on Thursday April 3, 2025 with 11 members present.

The 2024/25 season was one of the best we have had in years. The trails closed on March 15th. Take a look at these numbers:

Total hours grooming: 945.8

Total trail miles groomed: 4,525.5

These numbers do not include the hours brushing trails. Putting up and taking down signs. Maintaining and repairing bridges and culverts. Everything done with volunteer labor. The club would like to thank all of our volunteers that assist with grooming and trail maintenance. These numbers speak volumes to your dedication to your club and sport.



The Club would also like to thank our landowner's that allow our trails to cross their land. Without their generosity, our trail system would not be possible. The club will soon be sending a small token of our gratitude to them.

With the end of the snowmobiling season, the Club would like to remind our members that the snowmobile trails are not ATV/UTV trails. It is illegal to operate an ATV/UTV on the snowmobile trail unless you have permission from the landowner. Every year the Club receives complaints from landowners that ATV's/UTV's are using the snowmobile trail. This has resulted in a few landowners closing off their land and trails to us. Please respect our landowners and ride only on trails that you have permission to be on.

Snow Bash 2025 is will be on September 20 & 21 this year. The first Snow Bash planning meeting will be at the Ohio Rec Center at 6:30 PM on June 5th. Future planning meetings will be set at that time. The meetings will also be advertised on the club's and Snow Bash Facebook pages. Please attend the meeting to assist with the event. As always, we need help to continue to make SnowBash a success. Some fresh people to assist the people that have been doing the event for 25+ years will guarantee Snow Bash's success well into the future. Please plan to attend.

Snow Bash's Facebook Page can be found at:
<https://www.facebook.com/ohiosnowbash/>

Current memberships have expired on March 31, 2025. Memberships for the 2025/26 season are now available at the NYSSA site at:
<https://membership.nysnowmobiler.com/clubs/735>

The next regular club meeting will be Thursday September 4, 2025 at 6:30 PM at the Ohio Recreation Hall, 140 Nellis Road.

Follow the Club on Facebook at:
<https://www.facebook.com/OhioRidgeRiders/>

On behalf of all the officers of your club, we wish all our members a safe, healthy, and enjoyable summer. See you in June for Snow Bash planning!