



The" Barker" Newsletter

NOVEMBER 3RD, Tuesday

- ❑ **TRAIL MEETING** will be held at FASTCO Corporation at 6:00 p.m. All members are asked to attend this meeting. If you would like to help maintain a certain trail this season please come to the meeting and select the trail you wish to maintain. The more members that volunteer in this area will help the 7 members that maintain all of the 105 miles of trails in the area. If you can not attend the meeting and wish to take a section of trail to maintain for the season please call Kevin Steward in the evenings at 794-1037 for more details.

NOVEMBER 4TH, Wednesday

- ❑ **SHRINER'S DINNER** will be held at the clubhouse. This is a big fundraiser for the club. A few club members put on a turkey dinner with all the fixings for about 45 Shriners while they hold their quarterly meeting. Joni Smith is looking for volunteers to cook turkeys and bake pies. Please call Joni at 794-2104 after 6:00 p.m. for more details.

NOVEMBER 7TH, Saturday

- ❑ **CRAFT FAIR** This will be our 4th annual holiday craft fair; the hours are from 9:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. We are very proud of this event because all money raised goes into the Lincoln Snowhounds Scholarship Fund. The applicant's parents must have been active members of the Lincoln Snowhounds Snowmobile Club for two consecutive years. The applicant must be a student or graduate of Mattanawcook Academy. Students presently enrolled in post secondary education are eligible.

NOVEMBER 11TH, Wednesday

- ❑ **SNO-CROSS COMMITTEE MEETING** will be held at the clubhouse at 6:00 P.M. The 11th Annual Sno-Cross Races will be February 20 & 21, 2010. Volunteers are needed in all areas. This is the biggest fundraiser of the year for the club. Funds from this event keep all aspects of the club operational on a daily basis. So please join us and lend a hand during this exciting weekend. Desserts and hot beverages will be available during the meeting.

DECEMBER 6TH, Sunday

- ❑ **CHRISTMAS PARTY** will be the Snowhounds Potluck dinner and Christmas party. Social hour will begin at 4:00pm, Dinner will start at 5:00pm (please bring your favorite dish to share, rolls and desserts will be provided), with a brief meeting to follow around **6:00pm. Then it will be time for the famous Scottish Auction. Here are the rules to participate.** Everyone gets a randomly drawn number when they bring a labeled (to a *Man* or *Women*) wrapped gift to the auction. Suggested gift price around \$10. Nobody leaves until it's over. Sorry...Remember: the person who gets to pick first, also gets to pick last. The person with the lowest number goes first. He or she chooses a present, opens it, and takes it back with them to their seat. Each person in order then gets to pick a present, decide whether to keep it or swap it for any other present someone else has already received (this is the "Scottish" part.) Opening and swapping continues until all presents have been chosen. Finally, the person who picked first gets to choose from all the presents, or keep whatever he or she already received. If your child will be participating as well, please bring an age appropriate gift for them and label it with their name and from Santa. For the smaller children in attendance, we will let them exchange their gifts first so they will have something to occupy their time while the adults have their fun. **Our Christmas parties used to be the month that we would see a lot of our members upwards to 80 members attending. But the numbers have dramatically fallen. Let's make this club come alive again. Come and enjoy an evening with your family, friends, and fellow members, and most of all show your support for your club.**