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MOOSE ALLEY RIDERS ATV CLUB

May 2016

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NEXT MEETING
Thursday May 12th,
7:00 PM, at the
Keystone Lodge in
Solon.

Hope to see you there!

TRAIL REPORT: The Rail Bed is open! Signs are down and the Jersey Barriers are in place. Have fun and ride safe! Info on the Bingham in town route.- About a 1000 feet of trail has been posted no trespassing, which means we no longer have continuous trail through Bingham. The Trail Master spent a good portion of time tracking down land owners and looking for a new trail to go around this property. There are two possible ways to go and one would involve making a bridge. Please check Facebook for updates on trail openings/closings and please do not ride on the posted property.

UPCOMING EVENTS/RIDES

(MARK YOUR CALENDARS)

Our club rides are the 2nd Saturday and 4th Sunday of the month, June - October. All Saturday rides start at the Bingham Park and Ride and Sunday rides could be anywhere.

As soon as the trails open we will post the rides that will be taking place. If you would like to lead a ride please let our Trail Master Cristian Goodman know.

Thur. May 12th - MAR May meeting 7:00 pm at the Keystone Lodge in Solon.

POT OF GOLD drawing was held and George & Sue Morris's name was drawn. They were not present so it will roll over to \$70.00 at the May meeting. Members must be present to win.

The 50/50 was won by James Mills. If any of our Business Sponsors would like to donate a door prize for one of our meetings please let us know. Door prizes will be drawn at the end of the meeting and if you aren't present, it will be redrawn.

The April meeting at the Town Hall in Bingham was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Cris Goodman. Old and new members were all welcomed. The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

The club is still looking for a Trail Master if anyone is interested in applying for the position. As of the meeting date the trails were still slated to open June 1st but may be opened earlier if OK is gotten from the landowners.

A sign-up sheet for people interested in being on the Trails Committee was passed around.

There is no longer an Athen's ATV Club. To keep most of their trails open Moose Alley, Madison-Anson and Brighton ATV clubs will all help by picking up some of the extra trails. There will be a Porta Potty put at the Bingham Park and Ride. The club's storage unit will be changed from its Madison location to now being in Solon.

Brian Bronson was a guest speaker at the meeting to talk about trails and what the state would like to see the clubs doing. He suggested that Moose Alley apply for a Municipal Grant to help defray costs of trail maintenance.

New clothes apparel has been ordered and should be available at the May meeting along with pricing.

Jack Faulk said that if anyone wanted to donate items for the 6 Mile Lawn Sale to benefit the club to please let him know.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Hope to see lots of members at the next meeting.

There will be another park and ride on the Moscow side of Bingham for people that are heading to The Forks, Greenville, etc, Once it is all signed and marked then the location will be made public for everyone to use.

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Remember to support your area Business Sponsors who support Moose Alley ATV!

Shout out to our new business member, Scooby's Snack Shack! They are located at the rail bed in Bingham as you cross 201