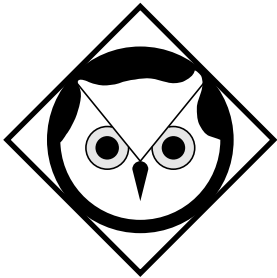


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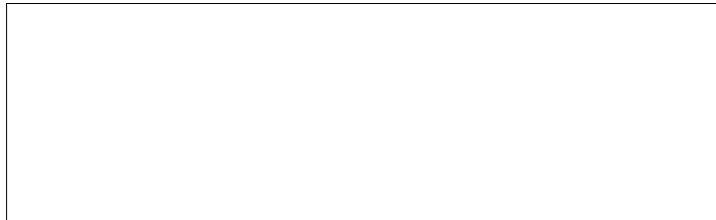
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(for latest info, call 252-I.N.F.O.)

Snobirds meetings are held on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 8 pm, Aero Park Propwash, on Lannon Road between Lisbon and Silver Spring. Please join us! Guests are welcome!

-- April 2003

3 & 17	General Meeting,	Aero Park Propwash, 8 p.m.
10	Board meeting	Bonnie Pollich, 7:30 p.m.
24	Smelt Cleaning	
25	Smelt Fry	

-- May 2003

1	General Meeting	Aero Park Propwash, 8 p.m.
8	Board Meeting	Kelly Wellhausen, 7:30 p.m.

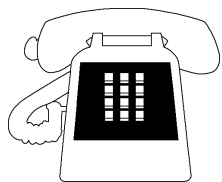
-- June 2003

5	General Meeting	Aero Park Propwash, 8 p.m.
12	Board meeting	John Palmer, 7:30 p.m.

-- July 2003

3	General Meeting	
17	Board meeting	Gary Breuckman, 7:30 p.m.

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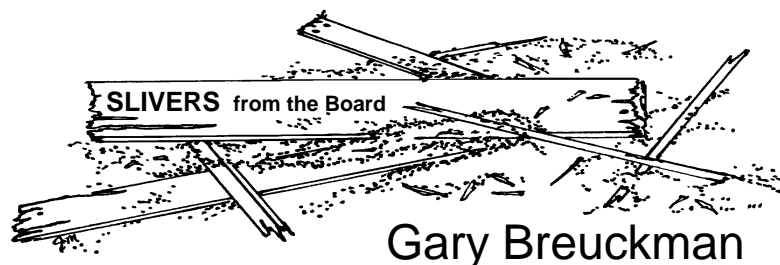


Event Hotline, **252-INFO** (252-4636)

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This time of year the Board spends almost all of its time on the Smelt Fry. Yes, we still have reports from Waukesha County, AWSC, and other areas.

The books are all closed on this year's Safety School. Thanks to all the instructors who helped, all the members who promoted the course and brought their children/grandchildren. The location at the Menomonee Falls Community Center works out great, and the Recreation Department is happy about how the class went and has told us we will be welcome back next season. We had 36 graduates in December, and 30 in January. We've also requested that John Palmer be certified as an instructor and expect to have that happen shortly.

Also on the current slate is looking at meeting site alternatives, since the word we have is that Aero Park will no longer be available, in about the July timeframe. So, if anyone has ideas for a meeting location, please let a Board Member or Officer know, so we can look into it. We need a location that can hold the membership, with refreshment services, at a reasonable price. We would like to stay in the Menomonee Falls area.

The Smelt Fry is pretty well set, we have the chairpersons for the major areas, and other advance items like hall rental, smelt, other food and supplies, licenses for food and beverage - all taken care of. Of course we need help for that night - and the cleaning the night before - and desserts - and most importantly we need to sell tickets.

Everyone should have a supply of tickets - if you need more please call me (414-442-4278) and I can mail them - or pick them up at a meeting.

One new membership was accepted, we now have 64 families.

President's Report

Steve Schuh

Hello everyone, as I sit writing this report it is warm, gray, and raining. I know many of you as well as myself are very disappointed so far this season by the lack of snow. Good news is at hand, since it is taking to long to write this report the temps have dropped and snow has moved through. I jumped on the Internet and started checking conditions and many areas in northern Wisconsin and the U.P. are reporting good to very good conditions. Looks like it is time to hit the trails, lets get out there and enjoy them while we can.

The AWSC has pasted the dues increase during the last directors meeting. The dues will be increased to \$10.00 per year starting March 1, 2003. I would like to remind everyone of the upcoming AWSC convention March 21 – 23 in Manitowoc at the Holiday Inn.

I missed the January meeting because I was lucky enough to find good trail conditions and had a great weekend of riding.

I regret to inform you that this year has already had several snowmobile related fatalities please use extra caution when out on the trails there are a lot of people that seem to have a pent up desire to ride and are ignoring common sense.

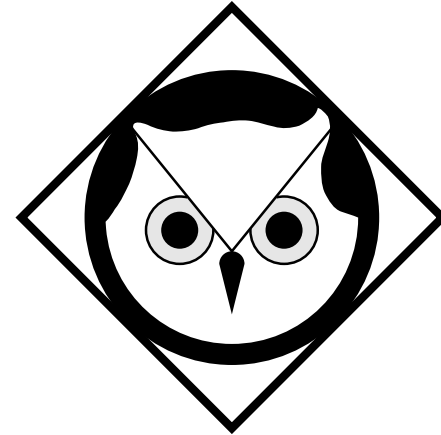
Happy Trails and be safe.

Your President

Steve Schuh

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ANNUAL 2003 SMELT FRY ALL YOU CAN EAT!



AT: St. Agnes Church
12801 W. Fairmount Ave.
Butler, Wisconsin
(3 Blocks North of Hampton)

FRIDAY, APRIL 25th

4:30 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.

\$7.50 Adults, \$5.00 6-12 years
(\$8.50 and \$5.50 at the door)

under 6 free, accompanied by an adult

Want a t-shirt? (smelt, that is...)



There have been many comments at past Smelt Fry events how nice it was too see all the workers in the Smelt t-shirts.

This year we would like to get the shirts out earlier, so you can wear them beforehand as advertisements or when selling tickets. The club will again subsidize the cost for those working at the Smelt Fry or cleaning.

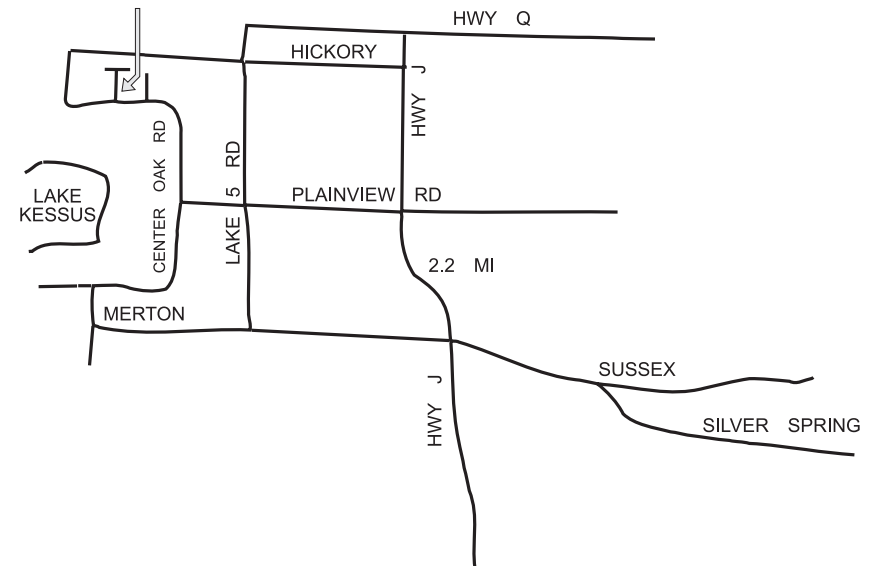
Your cost is \$5.00 each,
the club will cover the difference.

There are shirts in various sizes available at club meetings, please get yours before they are gone!

Smelt Cleaning Party April 24th.

Below is a map to the location for our Smelt Cleaning. Signup at any club meeting. Come join the fun and help prepare for the Smelt Fry. Smelt Cleaning runs from 3:30 p.m. Thursday until midnight. Setup on Friday starts after 1 p.m.

Dennis Wankowski
Phone 538-1163
W283 N8654 Theresa Marie Dr
Fifth house on right



Want to volunteer for something? Area Chairpersons are:

Smelt Cleaning, Setup	Jim Nuck	414-466-6812
Main Kitchen	Dawn Wilfert	262-781-0330
Smelt Kitchen	Ralph Culver	414-466-7304
Beer & Soda	Kelly Wellhausen	262-820-9691
Raffle Wheel	Dick Brunow	262-255-7141
Hall Cleanup	Joe Mingari	262-628-3785
Ticket Sales	Gary Breuckman	414-442-4278