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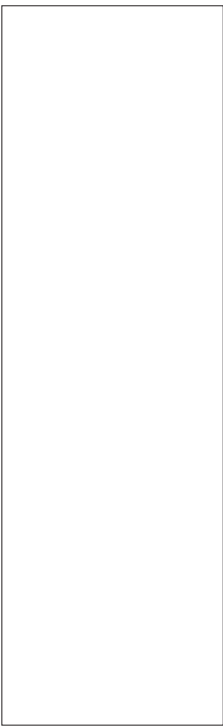
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SNOWMOBILE CLUB
August 2010



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

Snobirds meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 8:00 pm, at the Village Bowl in Menomonee Falls, N86 W18830 Main St. **Please join us! Guests are welcome!**

----August 2010

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| 6-7-8 | Camping Trip | Wisconsin Dells (article this issue) |
| 10 | General Meeting | Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 6 p.m. |
| | Corn Roast, Election Meeting | |
| 11 | Groomer Corp at 7, WCSA 8 p.m., | Snobirds hosting at Village Bowl |
| 24 | Board Meeting | Joe Schumitsch, 6:30 p.m. |
| 28 | Picnic, Pretty Lake (article and map in this issue) | |
| 29 | WCSA brat fry sale at Piggly Wiggly 2 mi N of 16 on P, 10am-4pm | |

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| 14 | General Meeting | Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m. |
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----October 2010

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| 9 | Adopt-a-Highway | meet at Whiskey Corners, 9 a.m. |
| 12 | General Meeting | Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m. |
| 15-16-17 | Milwaukee Snow Show | |
| 16 | WCSA Snowmobile Safety Class at the Snow Show - Scott Makowski | |

----November 2010

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| 9 | General Meeting | Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m. |
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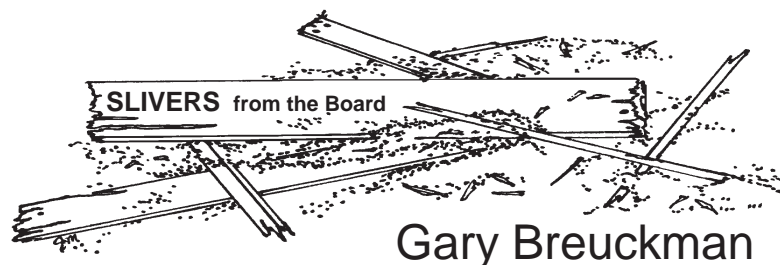
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Tonight is our Corn Roast, followed by our August general meeting. This is also the election meeting where we will elect three members to our Board of Directors for three year terms.

For anyone who is new to the club or not familiar with our structure, the Board has nine members. Each year the membership elects three people to the Board for three year terms, so 1/3 of the Board, at most, changes each year. This provides for continuity from one year to the next. The club Officers (Pres, VP, Sec, Treas) are elected by the Board, and the Board deals with most of the club business so the meetings can be informative and fun.

There are four candidates this year, for the three positions. Scott Makowski and Ed Pollich are existing Board members with expiring terms, Scott Pinzer and Scott Glinski have also been nominated. Joan Schumitsch has decided not to rerun this year, and the Board certainly appreciates her service, thank you!

The three winners of this year's election are Scott Makowski, Scott Pinzer and Ed Pollich.

In addition to tonight's corn roast, we also try to have a picnic each year. Past years have been hosted by Al Schultz, however his property at Pewaukee Lake is undergoing changes and is not available this year. Bill Schultz has offered his property at Pretty Lake for the picnic, there is an article and a map in this issue. Please come, it's paid for by the club from the profits of all your hard work at the Smelt Fry and other fundraisers, we want you to enjoy the benefits!

Adopt-a-Hghway

Joe Mingari

It will come as no surprise to anyone that we were not able to accomplish our adopt-a-highway on July 22.

Yes it rained, a lot. You may have seen it on TV, or read about the really nasty weather. I want to thank those who did show up and those who called to see if we were going to try the cleanup.

There will not be a makeup for this session, the next Adopt-a-Highway will be on Saturday October 9th at 9:00 a.m.

Thanks to the devoted members who tried.

Joe M.

Slivers from the Board, continued...

We are asking that you let us know who's coming, and there's a \$5/person reservation fee (Al Schultz is taking that, N23 W28992 Louis Ave, Pewaukee WI 53072, 262-691-3626) so we will know that we have a good count. The money will be returned to you at the picnic.

We've also just completed a camping trip to Wisconsin Dells. The pictures in this issue are from there. We had scheduled one for last summer, but Pat and De Anne Standlee who were planning the event had mechanical problems with their motorhome, and so last year's trip was cancelled.

We had a total of 7 campers (and two dogs) - there were others who we had hoped would come but they had plans elsewhere and could not. We had a lot of fun and hope to do it again next year.



Snobirds Picnic

Bill Schultz

August 28th
Pretty Lake

Directions to our summer cottage at Pretty Lake are on the next page. The picnic will be from 11:00 A.M. to dark. Parking on the road is good for a ticket, so please park on our grass or across the street on the grass. I am sure there will be plenty to eat and water, soda and beer to drink.

What I need to know is what everyone would like to do. Swimming is nice. We have shallow water for a ways out and a sandy bottom. **DO NOT** dive off any pier. We have a boat so anyone who would like to go skiing, tubing, etc. is welcome. We can set up for volleyball, lawn golf or ping pong.

The main interest for me at all the previous picnics was to hear plans for the future snowmobile season. The season opens three months after the picnic.

I first joined the Snobirds in 1973 because our mailman (a member) told me about all the Snofaris. There were a lot, but a few years later the main people moved out of Wisconsin and the trips ended. I joined a club near Pretty Lake. They only had one trip per year, so I thought maybe I would go back to the Snobirds and arrange some Snofaris myself. I arranged three to Minnesota, three to Canada, two to Yellowstone National Park, one to Vermont and numerous trips to the U.P. and Wisconsin. But now for many reasons most of the people who went on these trips are no longer snowmobiling. I hope to bring a plan for a Snofari for next season.

Please let know what you would like to do, and bring plans for next season's Snofaris.

