

**MILL VALLEY SNOWMOBILE CLUB  
MINUTES  
SEPTEMBER 21, 2005**

The meeting was called to order by President, Larry Tucker at 7:10 p.m.

There were 23 members in attendance.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT**

June Opsitnick, Secretary handed out the minutes from the April 20, 2005 meeting in advance. Minutes were reviewed and accepted by the members.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Ray Racicot reported to members the total revenue and expenses from the previous season. Ray stated that for the start of the new season the club has the following:

General fund	\$ 794.60
Trail fund	800.00
Raffle fund	<u>410.00</u>
Total	\$2,004.60

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Larry thanked the volunteers who helped sell raffle tickets at Charter Days in June. Total amount of tickets sold equaled the cost of the grill.

Larry stated that the club was going to be parking cars as in the past at the Belchertown Fair to held 9-23/9-25, with cleanup on Monday 9-26. A volunteer sheet was sent around for anyone interested in volunteering for the fair to help with parking and selling raffle tickets. Parking cost was to remain at \$3.00 per car.

Larry reported to the club members that the dues structure for 2006 will remain the same. A line item has been added to the club membership form with a donation to the trail fund (this is a voluntary donation).

The club voted to make a donation in the amount of \$100 to the American Red Cross, Katrina Fund, this check was accepted by June Opsitnick on behalf of the Red Cross with thanks for their generous donation.

After the break a raffle was held with the trail fund receiving an additional \$36.

## **OTHER BUSINESS**

Trail crew will be meeting on October 1st at 7:30 a.m. at Hawleys for breakfast; leave at 8:00 a.m. for trail work.

Snow Show will be held the weekend of October 15-16. Volunteers are needed to man our booth to sell raffle tickets and hand out club membership forms.

Jim Tucker reported that the Belchertown Land Trust has acquired parts of the rail trail for snowmobiles, horse riding, walking, etc. These areas consist of Springfield Road to Three Rivers Road and Bay Road to Arcadia.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

A suggestion was made to purchase a 3 x 5 banner for booths, fairs, and events. The membership recommended that prices be obtained from other companies, with a decision to be made at a later meeting.

Jim reported that he is updating the snow phone.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

**Next meeting will be held Wednesday, October 19, 2005.**

Respectfully submitted,  
*June Opsitnick*  
Secretary