



# Snow-News

\*\*\*\* October 2003 \*\*\*

Monthly newsletter of the Mill Valley Snowmobile Club of Belchertown  
Club Snow-Phone: 413-323-7670



## Next Meeting:

Wednesday, October 15th, 2003  
7:00pm  
@ V F W Route 202, Belchertown

## Another successful FAIR....

I want to take this opportunity to thank all who helped make parking cars at this year's Belchertown Fair. I can't say it enough, but, what a great bunch of people that helped make it so much fun.

For Friday, thanks to Fran and Kenny W. and Mike for getting set up. Thanks also to Jim T., Chris, Pete, Jim A. for keeping it going on Friday.

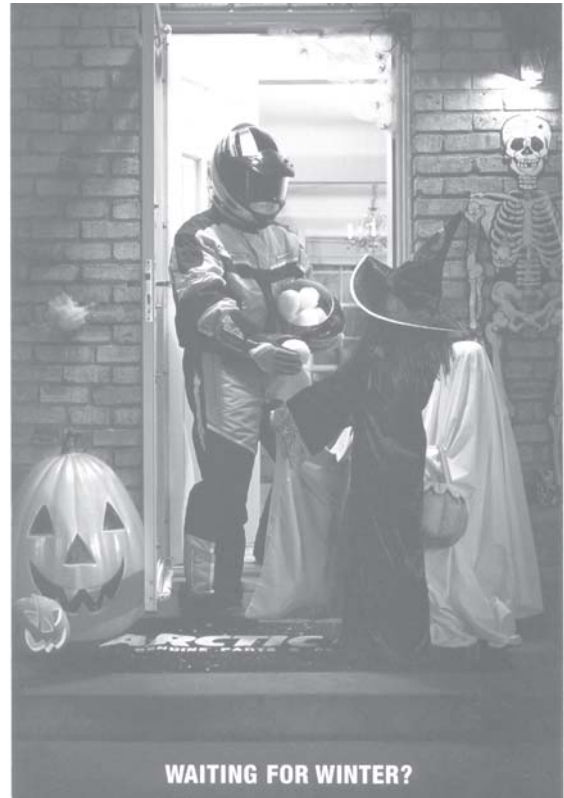
On Saturday, thanks to Kenny M., Chris, Ruthella, Scott, Pete, Fran, Barb, Ron, Mike, Kenny W., Larry, John G., Lillian and Tommy.

Thanks to the "rainmakers" on Sunday. Mike, Fran for helping set up. Ray, Jim T., Larry, Tommy and John G. and for the \$21 dollars they collected.

And again, SPECIAL Thanks to the Monday morning CLEAN-UP crew. The common was soaked but thanks to Mike "Hurricane" Ablicki, Fran "the boss" Loftus, Frank "early bird" Wenzel, John "get out of my way" Giroux, Pete "Hotrod" Majewski, Larry "the raker" Tucker and Paul "Hardworker" Kellogg.

Thanks to Ruthella for breakfast for the Monday crew and for the "goodies" on Saturday. If I have missed anyone, I apologize. I'll accept my 30 lashes. Thanks again.

Last chance for \$5 dollar membership savings:  
Please see pg. 2.



## New Trail sub-committee for Belchertown-to-Granby Trail

Recently, several members of the club came forward and wanted to know what could be done to re-open and re-juvenate the old trail to Granby. It was agreed that the best way to do get this done was to form a sub-committee of the Trail committee. Because we did not want to take any focus away from the Trail committee's main focus of making sure our main trails were cleared and ready.

Volunteering for this committee were Vicki Slate, Jim Tucker and Tim Dziok. If anyone is interested in helping with this committee especially or with trail work in General please feel free to contact any Board member or Jim @ 323-5559.

PLEASE VOLUNTEER TO HELP WITH TRAILS IF YOU CAN. IF YOU CAN ONLY DO JUST 1 HOUR THAT WOULD BE A GREAT HELP

\*\*\*\*\* Check Snow-Phone for weekend Trail work schedules \*\*\*\*\*

# Last date to SAVE \$5.00 on .....

## Your SAM Trail Permits..

Is Wednesday, October 15th.

If you renew your membership and purchase your SAM Trail Permits on or before Wednesday, October 15th either by mail or at the meeting, you can purchase your Trail Permits for \$10.00 dollars each.

Trail Permits purchased after October 15th will cost \$15.00 dollars.

Again, the membership committee adopted this increase to cover some of the increased costs of each membership. The average cost is over \$20.00 dollars now. And another reason is that some of this increase will be used by some businesses to help make these trail permits more available once the snow season comes upon us.

For now you can renew your membership and obtain SAM trail permits in the following manner:

October:	By mail or at regular monthly meeting
November:	By mail or at regular monthly meeting
December:	"Stay tuned"



FOR SALE: Snowmobile Swivel Carrier, fits on top of pick up body, carries 2 full size machines. Drive on/Drive off. Room for luggage underneath. Asking \$150. Call 413-323-7858. Ask for Frank.

If you..

Like to write or take pictures

.....then perhaps you would like to help with the newsletter. Any and all help would be appreciated. If you are interested, please call Larry @ 413-533-4092.

CLASSIFIED:

2000 Arctic Cat ZR 700 with optional reverse, water temp. gauge, luggage rack, carbides and trail grabbers. 900 miles. Call Paul after 6pm 413-536-5155

1991 Suzuki RMX 250 Excellent cond.  
\$850.00 or B/O. Call John @ 739-5728

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