



# AUGUST 2018 NEWSLETTER

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**NORTHERN ERIE SNO-SEEKERS PO BOX 167 AKRON, NY 14001 (716) 741-NESS**

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**NEXT GENERAL/COMBO MEETING:**  
**Thursday, September 27, 2018 at 7:30 PM**  
**Marvin's Bar & Grill 7675 Goodrich Rd,**  
**Clarence Center, NY 14032**

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Member of the New York State Snowmobile Association and Erie County Federation of Snowmobile Clubs non-profit groups dedicated to the safe and responsible use of snowmobiles



## Club Headlines

### Club Officers

**President:** Andrew Braunscheidel

**Vice President:** Danny Dressel

**Secretary:** Robyn Cierniak

**Treasurer:** Rich McNamara

**Sergeant of Arms:** Jeff Wilson

**Trail Coordinator:** Al Wolbert

**Board Member:** Jake Anderson

**Board Member:** Kyle Anderson

**Board Member:** Jake Jurek

**Board Member:** Jake Kelkenberg

**Board Member:** Sheri Rounds

**Board Member:** Ray Somers

**Board Member:** Ron Watts

### Committees

#### **Legal Committee**

Chairperson: Al W.

#### **Emergency Response Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Marketing & Adv Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Fundraising Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Social/PR Committee**

Chairperson: Frank S.

#### **Membership Committee**

Chairperson: Rich M.

#### **Groomer/Equipment Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Trails/Landowners Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Trail Guides Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Newsletter Committee**

Chairperson: Robyn C.

#### **Website Committee**

Chairperson: Robyn C.

#### **Apparel Committee**

Chairperson: Open

#### **Safety/Education Committee**

Chairperson: Open

### What's Going On With Our Club...

#### September Combo Board/General Meeting

THURSDAY, September 27 at 7:30 PM at  
Marvin's Bar & Grill, 7675 Goodrich Road,  
Clarence Center, NY

#### October Combo Board/General Meeting

THURSDAY, October 25 at 7:30 PM at  
Marvin's Bar & Grill, 7675 Goodrich Road,  
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**Newsletter:** We are e-mailing our newsletters each month. We are trying to manage our funds more efficiently due to cuts in State funding. Each member will receive all 12 months right at your computer!! If you do not have a computer... call 741-NESS to let us know that you would still like your 6 months mailed. We continue to put a lot of time and effort into our newsletters to keep you, as a member, informed and involved in what is going on with our club!!

**Website:** We have a message board! So, please take a moment and register. Please email us on the "contact us" page if you have any questions. The photo gallery has some great pictures too!

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## President's Page

Hi Everyone,

With some cooler temperatures in the air means winter is right around the corner! It's the time of the year again where we need to get started on trail preparations and repairs. As always with the work load ahead of us, we are always looking for more volunteers so don't hesitate to ask how to help!

Hope to see you at the next club meeting!

Andrew Braunscheidel

Please help us go green with our newsletter.

If you would like to receive your monthly newsletter to your email inbox every month instead of through the US postal system please send us an email with your name and email address.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY:  
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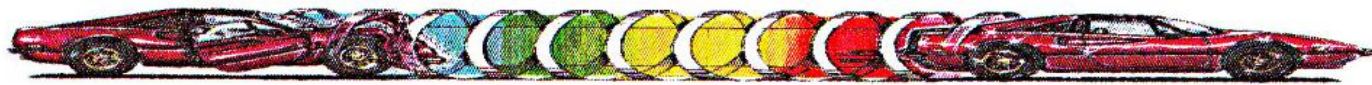
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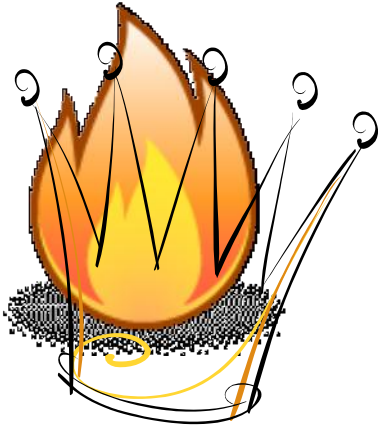
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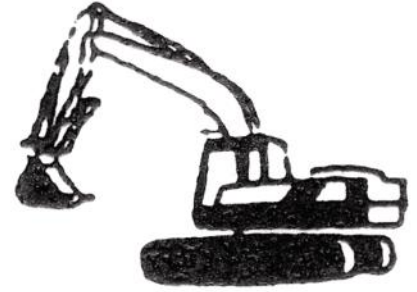
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\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_ NO Email Monthly Newsletter: EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

All memberships are from Apr 1 to Mar 31 to coincide with NYSSA vouchers. \$5 of this fee is for membership to NYSSA who will donate .25¢ to the NYS Snowmobile PAC. Note: If you do not want to donate this .25¢, check here \_\_\_\_\_. If you are already a member of NYSSA (through another club) deduct \$5 from the amount below and write the club name and voucher ID# here \_\_\_\_\_

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## How do you want to join in on the fun? Would you like to join a committee?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Trail/Landowner       | <input type="checkbox"/> Trail Guides            | <input type="checkbox"/> Apparel            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Groomer/UTV/Equipment | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Response |
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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



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We are a 100% volunteer, 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization serving 3 counties and the communities of: **Clarence, Newstead, Amherst, Akron, Alden, Lancaster, Pembroke, Lockport, Gasport, Royalton and Hartland.**

- Our general meetings are held at 7:30 PM on the last Thursday of each month. Please check our website for location but during the season, they're at Marvin's Bar and Grill, 7675 Goodrich Road, Clarence Center, NY so you can come join us by sled! All ages are welcome! Bring a friend, too!
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