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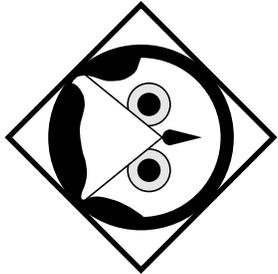
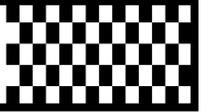
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August 2016



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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 2016

- 9 General Meeting Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m.
- 22 Brewers Game - Colorado Rockies
- 23 Board Meeting Gary Breuckman, 7 p.m.

## ----September 2016

- 13 General Meeting Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m.

## ----October 2016

- 8 Adopt-a-Highway - leaving Whiskey Corners 9 a.m. Jeff Pietrzak
- 11 General Meeting Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m.
- 14-16 Milwaukee Snow Show
- 15 Safety Class at the Snow Show Scott Makowski
- 28-30 AWSK Workshop, Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells

## ----November 2016

- 8 General Meeting Village Bowl, Menomonee Falls, 8 p.m.

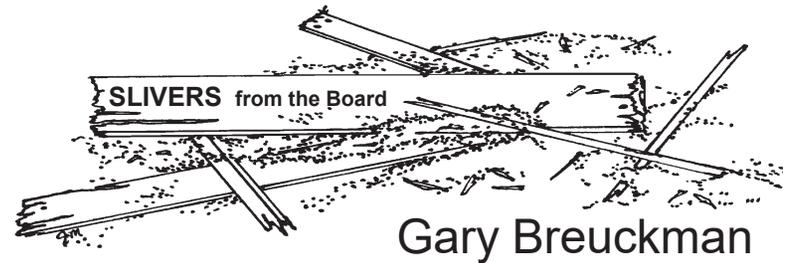
## ----December 2016

- 7, 14, 21 Safety Class, Menomonee Falls Rec Dept Gary Breuckman
- 13 Christmas Party? not yet scheduled

see our club information on the Internet  
at <http://www.snobirds.org/>

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So I hope everyone is enjoying the summer. We've had a lot of activities to keep everyone occupied.

Adopt-a-Highway had an excellent turnout. The next one will have a picnic / get-together afterwards, so I hope as many can come to that one. The highway was actually fairly clean, by past standards.

We had a campout, at Plymouth Rock, with an excellent cook-out and gathering. See the pictures!

The picnic was not as well-attended as past years, which is a shame. We had lots of room and all the Hamburgers and Chicken patties and other desserts and fixings you could want - all at no cost as part of your membership. I wish more could have come, but I understand there are lots of other events going on.

Today, August 9th, is the Corn Roast and Elections. We have four members running for the three Board positions, so it will be a contest. There are some absentee ballots in by mail, and I suspect more will show up at the meeting. Your vote counts and we hope everyone has their fill of corn, brats, desserts, beer and soda.

This is a good time to tell your friends about the Snobirds, if they snowmobile and don't belong to a club. Remind them they save \$20/year on each machine's trail pass which will pay for their memberships.

Safety classes are coming up both at the Snow Show and our regular classes in December and January. Let everyone know.

# SAFETY SCHOOL

Gary Breuckman

The Snobirds will again be offering snowmobile safety classes this winter. The classes are conducted by qualified instructors, from the Snobirds, who are certified by the State D.N.R.. Satisfactory completion of the class meets the D.N.R. requirements.

“Any person who is at least 12 years old AND who is born on or after January 1, 1985 is required to possess a *valid Snowmobile Safety Certificate* in order to operate a snowmobile on public trails, lands or frozen waters. You must carry the certificate while riding and you must display it to a law enforcement officer when requested.”

As this training is important to public and personal safety, a parent or guardian is welcome to attend with their student without paying a fee, unless they also wish to be certified. There is a \$10 fee for registration and D.N.R. safety materials. The course consists of three evening classes with subjects of snowmobile laws, ethics, terminology, maintenance, clothing, first aid, environmental and ecology problems.

We have a special one-day class held at the Milwaukee Snow Show, and then two regular 3-night sets of classes in December and January. The one-day class is on October 15th from 10am to 6pm, for information or to sign up call Scott Makowski at 262-794-3061.

The 3-night class sets are on December 7, 14 and 21 and the second set on January 4, 11, and 18, all at the Menomonee Falls Community Center, W152 N8645 Margaret Rd. The classes run from 6:30 to 9:30 each night, and you must attend all three classes of the set to be certified. For information or to sign up call Gary Breuckman at 414-442-4279.

# Adopt-a-Highway

We had a cleanup on July 14 with a great turnout of 18 people and collected 5 bags of garbage, The weather was great and the cleanup went fast.

We are one of 133 adopt-a-highway groups in Waukesha county that cleanup over 260 miles.

So far this year the Waukesha groups have collected over 1,360 bags of trash.

So they put new signs up on the highway. The problem is they put someone else's sign up, and ours is who knows where. We do still have the same stretch of highway, the signs should be fixed by the next cleanup.

Just wanted to put out a big thank you for everybody's help so far this year. The next highway cleanup is October 8th at 9:00 am, hope to see another great turnout.

Jeff Pietrzak



# Camping, Plymouth Rock

July 8, 9, 10

