

Poor Folks Snowmobile Club

August 2015 Newsletter

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We hope everyone is having a safe and enjoyable summer!! Believe it or not, it's already time to start thinking about snowmobiling. By now you've probably received your snowmobile registration renewals in the mail. Club memberships are now available online or by mail. We're also gearing up for annual trail clearing and groomer pre-season maintenance. We're always in need of help so please get in touch with a club member if you'd like to get more involved.

Meetings will be the first Saturday of the month again this year. The first official meeting of the year will be held on Saturday October 3rd at 8:00 p.m. at the clubhouse on Irwin Rd. We hope to see all of you there.

MEMBERSHIP

The New York State DMV has begun mailing registration renewals for the 2015-2016 season. Your club membership provides you with a registration voucher which saves you money. Registration Vouchers are now available and you must renew your Poor Folks Snowmobile Club membership. You may either renew your membership online or by mail.

NEW Delegates from snowmobile clubs all over the state voted at the New York State Snowmobile Association annual meeting to raise the minimum membership dues collected by clubs from \$25 to \$30 dollars. Previously clubs retained \$20 and the remaining \$5 went to NYSSA to fund the trail maintenance program which pays for trail maintenance, grooming, and administration. With the new dues structure the club will retain \$24, \$5 to NYSSA, and \$1 to SLEDNY. SLEDNY is a non-profit organization created by the NYSSA to educate the public and snowmobiling community on safety and the benefits of our sport. To learn more you can visit www.sledny.org.

NEW Please see the new address to mail membership applications to, found on the application.

To re-new your membership online and print your registration voucher please visit the following website: <http://membership.nysnowmobiler.com/> You can also visit www.nysnowmobiler.com

Enter your six-digit NYSSA ID number and your password. Your six-digit NYSSA ID number can be found on your membership card or on last years' voucher; or you can contact the club by emailing poorfolkssnowmobileclub@twcny.rr.com. Once you've renewed you can print your voucher.

If you've forgotten your password, enter your six-digit NYSSA ID number and click on the 'RESET PASSWORD' button for instructions.

If you continue to experience technical difficulty, you may call or email the NYSSA Office at 888-624-3849 extension 103 or membership@nysnowmobiler.com. Please include your full name and address if you do not know your membership number. Help is available between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm.

If you are a first time member and do not have a NYSSA ID at the login screen select **Register** to setup an account and ensure to select Poor Folks Snowmobile Club listed under Cayuga County.

If you do not wish to join online you may mail back the attached application. Please allow time for processing and you will receive your registration voucher in the mail. Please remember that the Department of Motor Vehicles no longer issues blank vouchers that we can fill in by hand which means we can no longer issue vouchers "on-the-spot." If you join through the mail, or hand in an application in person, we will need to print your voucher from the New York State Snowmobile Association Membership program and then mail it to you. By joining before the snow flies you can avoid any delays in getting your voucher for sled registration.

If you join the club online or provide your email address you will automatically receive your monthly newsletter via email. If you wish to receive a hard copy of the newsletter each month please specifically specify on your application or contact us. You may also view and download the newsletter and stay in touch with what is going on by visiting www.poorfolkssnowmobileclub.com.

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Membership Application



Note: Name and address must be provided exactly as it appears on your snowmobile registration or your registration voucher may not be accepted by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Membership Type (select one) Family Single

Spouse's Name: _____

Children under 18 who intend to register sled in their own name:

Child 1: _____

Child 2: _____

Child 3: _____

Number of sleds you intend to register this season: _____

*Through joining this club you are automatically enrolled as a member in the New York State Snowmobile Association (NYSSA). If you do not wish for 25 cents of your membership fee to be donated to the NYSSA Political Action Committee please check the following box.....

*If you wish to upgrade your New York State Snowmobile Club membership to the Trail Defender level you may do so for an additional \$20.00. Visit www.nysnowmobiler.com for more information.....

*If you wish to opt out of New York State Snowmobile Association mailings in accordance with the NYSSA privacy policy check the following box.....

Please send completed application with a check in the amount of \$30.00 made out to Poor Folks Snowmobile Club to:

Jesse Crawford
13819 Shortcut Rd.
Sterling, NY 13156

You will receive your registration voucher in the mail.

You may join online by visiting <https://membership.nysnowmobiler.com/>

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Club Use: Paid _____ Voucher _____