



St. Germain Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club

Celebrating more than 50 years of Snowmobiling!

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



It's the middle of summer and Bo-Boen volunteers have been busy making improvements to our trail system, involved in fund raising efforts, and participating in community events.

Our Trail Boss Fred Suchy, Sign Masters Jeff Horvath and John Lindberg, and other volunteers have been busy working on three trail re-routes for the upcoming season. Our Maintenance Chief Terry Pare and his crew have been busy getting the new groomer ready to go and refurbishing the drags.

Thank you to Jeff Horvath for coordinating the Classic Sled Round-up event, and to all the volunteers for making it a successful fund raiser.

Thank you to Greg & Roxanne Platz for coordinating the Bo-Boen participation in the St. Germain Independence Day celebration and the volunteers who made it successful. In addition to participating in the parade, we had a display set up with a groomer, a snowmobile for picture taking, and the Fire Department's trail rescue unit. Robin Lindberg and Joe Domenico were on hand promoting snowmobile safety.

Our next fund raiser is the 10th Annual Golf Outing which takes place on August 27th at the St. Germain Golf Club. Janelle Ewen and Josh Renkes are finalizing the details of that event to make sure it is an enjoyable day; look for more information about how to register your foursome, or sign up to volunteer at the outing, later in this newsletter.

This spring, we applied to the St. Germain Chamber of Commerce for three Tourism Development Grants to support our trail equipment and grooming program, as well as our snowmobile safety message. All three grant requests were denied as they advised us we did not meet their criteria this time around. We are currently waiting for clarification and direction as to where we were lacking this time so we can reapply this fall. Maintaining our trails to the standards we hold ourselves to cannot be achieved without the full support of our community and members, and we are grateful for all who continue to do so.

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Shelby Szott is in the process of contacting our map advertiser restaurants to schedule our membership meetings, which begin in September at Clearview Supper Club. Shelby will also be assuming the duties of Newsletter Editor; thank you to Roxanne Platz for the excellent job she did as Newsletter Editor.

~ Roger Klein, President

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



The Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club needs volunteers to help with our 10th Annual Golf Outing on Sunday, August 27, 2023. Help is needed at different times throughout the day, so you can choose what works best for your schedule! [If you are interested in helping, please click here to sign up.](#)

SIGN UP NOW →

Would you rather play golf? See Page 3 of this newsletter for registration details!

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE!

We are still seeking event sponsors, as well as door prizes and raffle prizes. Complete your info on the form [found here](#) and we'll be in touch to work out the details. Thank you!!

SEASON KICK-OFF MEMBERSHIP MEETING

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, September 14
(please note this is a new date!)

Clearview
Supper Club
ST. GERMAIN, WI

Watch for details in the August newsletter.
We can't wait to see everyone!

St. Germain Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club
2023–2024 Calendar of Events

Tuesday, August 1, 2023	Board Meeting
Tuesday, August 22, 2023	Snowmobile Safety Instructor Training
Sunday, August 27, 2023	10 th Annual Bo-Boen Golf Outing
Tuesday, September 5, 2023	Board Meeting
Thursday, September 14, 2023	Membership Meeting <i>(please note new date)</i>
Tuesday, October 3, 2023	Board Meeting
Tuesday, October 10, 2023	Membership Meeting
Saturday, October 14, 2023	Club Brushing Day <i>(please note new date)</i>
Tuesday, November 7, 2023	Board Meeting
Tuesday, November 14, 2023	Membership Meeting
Saturday, November 25, 2023	Lighting Up St. Germain
Tuesday, December 5, 2023	Board Meeting
Saturday & Sunday, December 9 & 10, 2023	Snowmobile Safety Class
Tuesday, December 12, 2023	Membership Meeting
Tuesday, January 2, 2024	Board Meeting
Tuesday, January 9, 2024	Membership Meeting
Friday - Sunday, January 26 - 28, 2024	Women on Snow Weekend
Sunday - Tuesday, January 28 - 30, 2024	Women on Snow Tour
Friday & Saturday, February 2 & 3, 2024	Hiller's Radar Run
Tuesday, February 6, 2024	Board Meeting
Wednesday & Thursday, February 7 & 8, 2024	26 th Arrowhead Groomer Show
Tuesday, February 13, 2024	Membership Meeting
Saturday, February 17, 2024	Scavenger Hunt/Family Fun Day & Membership Meeting
Tuesday, March 5, 2024	Board Meeting
Tuesday, March 12, 2024	Membership Meeting & Election

Please watch the newsletter for updates or changes to events.

CLASSIC SLED ROUND UP ANOTHER SUCCESS

A big thanks to all our volunteers for working this year's Classic Sled Round Up. Your efforts managing concessions, grilling the meat, donating cookies and brownies and serving a large crowd made this year's event another success for the club. Our net income was over \$4,200, and these funds will be applied to our grooming and trail expenses for the upcoming season. We also had a successful display promoting our "Ride Your Side" safety message, which included t-shirt and banner sales.

Larry Chamberlain	Barb Steinhilber	Jackie Horvath	Dennis & Dianne Dieter
Roger & Carla Klein	Bob Strand	Shelley Hodkiewicz	Barbara Verseman
Judy Schell	Tony & Karen Cantele	Janelle Ewen	Bob & Peg Ausloos
Judie Berard	Paul & Maria Vranish	Fred & Sue Suchy	John & Robin Lindberg
Mike Zauner	Ed Siergiej	Kathy Groff	Sharon Subel
Paul Bohnen	Cheryl Kelsey	Joe Domenico	Mark & Tricia Schmidt
Francine Suchocki	Marie Baumann	Lyn Ax	Greg & Roxanne Platz
Linda Leone			

As you can see, it takes many members to work this event so if you are looking to get more involved in the club and want to meet other members, please consider volunteering for this or other club fundraisers.

~ **Jeff Horvath, Event Chair**



10TH ANNUAL BO-BOEN GOLF OUTING



Sunday, August 27, 2023

St. Germain Golf Club

4 Person Scramble

8:00 AM Registration - 9:00 AM Shotgun Start



YOUR ENTRY FEE

\$95

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| ✓ 18 holes of golf | ✓ Lunch |
| ✓ Riding Cart | ✓ One Free Drink Ticket |
| ✓ Range balls to warm up with | ✓ A whole lot of fun! |

PRIZE OPPORTUNITIES

\$10,000 Hole in One Prize!
Mulligans & Magic Putts
50/50 Raffle
Raffle Prizes
Door Prizes

HOLE SPONSORS

\$100

Guaranteed to be visible to our golfers!

All proceeds go to benefit the St. Germain Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club.

For more information contact

Janelle Ewen at 715-254-5050

To register, scan the code above or go to <https://tinyurl.com/boboen>

★ INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION ★



Thank you to everyone who visited us at the St. Germain Independence Day Celebration on July 2! We could not have done it without these dedicated volunteers and supporters:

Premier Power Sports
Tony Cantele
Tom Erdes
John & Robin Lindberg
Terry & Ann Pare
Bob Strand
Fred Suchy

St. Germain Fire Department
Joe Domenico
Roger & Carla Klein
Brad Miller
Greg & Roxanne Platz
Wayne Suchocki

SNOWMOBILE SAFETY INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources will provide in-person training for new instructors. The one-day class will be held on Tuesday, August 22, 2023, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, with Kate Juza from the DNR. If you have an interest in attending, please contact me.

We typically hold one Safety Class per year, on the second weekend of December, for our very eager students. The class is from 8:30 - 3:00 on Saturday, and 9:00 - noon on Sunday. It is an extremely rewarding day and a half working with these students who really want to be safe, respectful snowmobilers. The DNR has stated to us, "you will help save lives" by teaching this class. Considering our past season, many of you are wondering what you can do to promote safety: this is one meaningful way! Not all students are children; we also usually have several adult students attend.

If we have enough instructors, we could hold more than one Safety Class per year, opening the opportunity up to more students. Please give this some careful thought and consider becoming a Safety Instructor.

~ *Peggy Ausloos, Safety Instructor*
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DO WE HAVE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS?



Watch for our new and improved newsletter **coming next month!** We will be modernizing our look and are excited for the new format, which will provide many benefits such as greater flexibility, enhanced pictures & graphics, links to sign-ups, and websites to visit. The new electronic format will also make viewing and sharing the newsletter easier and more consistent across all your electronic devices.

If you are receiving the newsletter via e-mail now, there is no change, and it will pop into your inbox when ready. **If you are currently receiving the newsletter via US mail, please send your e-mail address to info@boboan.com as soon as possible, and we'll add you to the distribution list right away so you don't miss any important news.** And, as always, our newsletters will continue to be accessible on our website.



The Apple Dumpling Gang joined the fun in the St. Germain Independence Day Parade. We positioned our float just ahead of the Bo-Boen groomers and tossed over \$100 worth of candy. A big thanks to Jim Rybarczyk for configuring the float and to Jim and Val for hosting a cook-out afterwards. Jim thinks this may have been his 12th year of doing the float.

~ *Wayne Ax, Leader of the Gang*



Our new 2023 Tucker has arrived!



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St. Germain Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club 2023–2024

Officers & Directors

President: Roger Klein
President - Elect: Joe Domenico
Treasurer: Ed Siergiej
Secretary: Roxanne Platz
Directors: Bob Strand Josh Renkes
Dianne Dieter John Lindberg
Janelle Ewen Kyle Szott
Past President: Bob “Ozzie” Ausloos
Trail Boss: Fred Suchy



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

August 22	Snowmobile Safety Instructor Training
August 27	10th Annual Golf Outing
September 14	First Membership Meeting (<i>new date</i>)
October 14	Club Brushing Day (<i>new date</i>)
December 9-10	Safety Class

See page 2 for the complete 2023-24 Calendar

Sunshine Report



Please contact Judy Schell at (715) 542-2321 or judithschella@hotmail.com when you have information on births, members who are ill or hospitalized, or in need of a bit of cheer, sympathy, or encouragement.