



HODAG SNO-TRAILS

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September 15, 2026, Meeting Summary:

Welcome to the start of our 2026-27 snowmobile season!

In April, new officers were elected and a big THANK YOU to Jim Jungers for his service as President for the past 10 years. Jim, your dedication to the club is greatly appreciated!

As we begin a new season, please remember to renew your memberships either online or by mail. Feel free to reach out to Tanya with any membership questions. Emails will be sent once your membership has been processed and renewed with AWS. Welcome to our new members and thank you for joining Hodag Sno-Trails!

Maintenance continues at the groomer barn with a partial roof replacement before winter and the tractor is currently in for hydraulic repairs. Both Pisten Bully's are in good shape and will require regular maintenance.

Pelican River bridge/trail re-route update: Eric Rady, the County Snowmobile Coordinator was able to secure additional funding to complete this long-awaited project. Larsen Construction has been awarded the contract with completion expected this year and the trail ready for this snowmobile season!

We are looking for an interested individual to resume the Landowner Administrator responsibilities as Jennifer is looking to step down from this position. The goal is to have this individual work with Jennifer this season to help with a seamless transition. Please contact Jennifer at hodagsnotrails@gmail.com if interested.

UPCOMING TRAIL MAINTENANCE WORK DATES:

- Saturday, October 10, 2026 at 9 am
- Saturday, October 24, 2026 at 9 am

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Please meet at the groomer barn.



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Upcoming Events:

Sept. 1st - Oct. 17th, 2026
Meat Raffle & Poker Run

Visit pit stops to purchase meat raffle tickets (\$20 each) and get a poker card signed by participating businesses for a chance to win Kwik Trip cards and cash.

Bring completed cards to Cross Country Bar on October 17th from 3-5 pm and redeem for a poker hand (\$10 per card). See our Facebook page for more details.

Candy Bar Sales event is available now through May. Questions - contact Tanya.

Please visit our website www.hodagsnotrails.com or follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/hodagsno for the latest news, upcoming events and information.

We are still in need of a youth representative for Oneida County for the AWSC KAOS program. This program provides an understanding of how the snowmobile program is organized from local to international clubs. As dedicated volunteers age out, this program trains youth to take on leadership roles to keep organizations strong. If you know of any youth candidates that may be interested, please contact Scott Hetland.

Fundraising Information and Events:

As we all know, maintaining and improving our equipment, groomer barn and snowmobile trails, takes a lot of work, time and money. Fundraising events throughout the year are an important part of the club's funding to help keep trails open, safe and enjoyable for locals and visitors.

Fundraising does not happen by itself. We need members to lend a hand and give a little of their time to volunteer. The same handful of people cannot continue to manage all fundraising events. This is OUR club and the more members involved, the less work for all involved. Volunteer some time, donate a raffle basket, sell tickets, help and/or show up to support the event, **every bit helps!**

A big **THANK YOU** to those members that consistently volunteer, support our fundraisers, donate their time and resources and help make our events successful. Please get involved - we all enjoy riding our trails and fundraising is one way to support Hodag Sno-Trails to keep the trails safe. If you can help with fundraising, please contact Chris or Tanya or any fundraising committee member listed below.

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