



Labor Day weekend marks the end of the summer for most people, with kids heading back to school and temperatures cooling down. Hay Days is September 10-11, which is the unofficial annual kick-off of snowmobiling. Hope everyone is excited for fall and then snow!

REMINDER ** Membership Drive Has Begun ** Yellow Thunder memberships expired on June 30, so time to renew! General membership dues are \$30. You can renew by 1) completing the mini-application printed on the back of this newsletter, or 2) renew online at <http://yellowthundersnowmobile.clubhosting.org>.

Lodi Agricultural Fair Weekend – Yellow Thunder hosted the Friday night bartending on July 8th. We also understand that this year's fair was the most profitable ever. Kudos to everyone who helped out, in one way or another, to make this event a success for the whole community.

Divine Savior Birthday Celebration – The annual birthday party at Divine Rehabilitation and Nursing in Lodi was held on August 30th. Cake was served by Amy Morel, Emma and Braxton Larson, Alyssa Larrabee, and Rose Holerud. Everyone enjoyed visiting and singing a few songs, including a virtual guest appearance from Dilyn Morel!



Fall Raffle: Yellow Thunder's fall raffle is a chance to win a UTV. Tickets are \$20 each. Ticket sales are progressing, but we could always use more help in selling tickets. Contact Chad Wipperfurth at [608-770-7189](tel:608-770-7189) for tickets, if you'd like to help sell. The drawing will be held on December 3rd at KD's Bar & Grill at 6pm (same day as trail workday). Help us make this event a success.

September 13 and October 11 Meeting & Cook-out: ● The September 13th meeting and cook-out will be held at Dave and Jeryl Hintzsche's shop located at W12455 Northern Cross Arm, Lodi. Their shop is directly across from the ferry on the Lodi side. ● The October 11th meeting and cook-out will be held at Dean and Lucy Clemens' shop, W10216 S. County Line Road. From Lodi, go about 1 mile out of town, and turn left, just before the railroad tracks (by Lodi Locker slaughter house) onto County Line Road. It's the third place on the left (driveway with the green-sided house). Meeting will be in the shop. For both meetings, Yellow Thunder will be supplying brats & hamburgers, along with tableware & condiments. Grills will be hot at 6:00pm, eat at 6:30pm, with meeting at 7:00pm. Please bring a dish to pass, your own beverages, and it wouldn't hurt to throw in a lawn chair.

Adopt-a-Highway: The next (and final for the season) adopt-a-highway clean-up will be held on October 18. Please meet at 5:30 pm at Highway 113 and the railroad tracks to participate in the clean-up. Many hands make light work so please consider helping out for this very worthwhile community service event!

AWSC Fall Workshop: This year's fall workshop will be held on October 21-23 at the Central Wisconsin Convention and Expo Center in Rothschild, WI. Registration is now open. Additional information will be available at the September meeting. You can also visit awsc.org home page for more information. We will be nominating two delegates at the September meeting to attend Workshop, so if you're interested in being a delegate, please attend the September meeting.

Miscellaneous – Roger and Michelle Wipperfurth's names were drawn for the attendance fund at the August meeting and since Roger was present, he took home some extra cash. Congrats!

Upcoming Events:

June 30 Memberships Expired – Time to Renew!
September 13... Meeting & Cookout – Dave & Jeryl Hintzsche residence (eat @ 6pm; meeting at 7pm)
October 11..... Meeting & Cookout – Dean & Lucy Clemens shop (eat @ 6pm; meeting at 7pm)
October 14-16 .. Milwaukee Snow Show – State Fair Park, West Allis
October 18..... Adopt-a-Hwy Clean-up, Hwy 113 & RR tracks south of Lodi, 5:30pm