

Hamden Hill Ridge Riders  
Meeting April 18, 2013  
13 Members Present

1. Meeting opened to the Pledge of Allegiance @ 7:08 PM in the Hamden Town Hall.
2. Minutes of last months meeting read by Don Bender, motion to accept minutes by Pete Debrock, second by Ron Favret.
3. Treasurers report read by Marilyn Armstrong motion to accept by Bill Sprague, second by Bill Wright.
4. Joe Caso made a motion to give the Democratic and Republican committee each a \$50.00 donation, second by Don Trelease.
5. Hank Groth reminded the club that our portion of the electric for our storage shed is due in July and December.
6. NYSSA will be voting this weekend at the Forum on raising a membership from \$25.00 to \$35.00 if not paid by December 1<sup>st</sup>.
7. Don Bender has been looking into getting a grant through the O'Connor Foundation. The deadline for grants over \$5000.00 is September 13, 2013.
8. Trails: County Route 2 to Fred Robertsons needs new decking on the bridge. Robbie Anderson is going to do up an estimate on materials and bring to our next meeting. A new trail to Hamden is being discussed since our trail through Ploutz's property is closed. Also taking out the bridge behind NYSEG was discussed. The club is getting a walking crew together to possibly find a new trail at Hawley Station. Also the bridge at Arpino's has to be completed.
9. Bill Sprague and Eric Alexander are putting lights on the Sherriff Departments snowmobiles. The sherriffs department purchased the lights All other bills totaled about \$100.00 will be brought to our next meeting for discussion. The discussion at our next meeting will be to pay the bills instead of donating the \$100.00 for a defibrillator as we discussed at an earlier meeting. Also a note should be sent to the Sherriff Dept. letting them know the HHRR donated their time.
10. All groomers should be kept in the storage shed and started once a month. Bill Sprague said he would do this.
11. All new trails and trails that were missed have to be GPS'D by JUNE 23<sup>rd</sup>.
12. Raffle: The club will be having a raffle to give away three prizes.
  1. Two nights at Turning Stone and \$100.00 cash
  2. Two nights at the Edge Motel and two dinners
  3. \$250.00 CashTickets will be \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.  
The drawing will be September 12,2013 at our first meeting of the new season.
13. Our next two meetings are June 13<sup>th</sup> and August 8<sup>th</sup> @7:00 PM at the Hamden Town Hall.
14. 50-50 won by Joe Caso.
15. Joe Caso made a motion to adjourn @ 8:30 PM, second by Bill Sprague.