



SHAFTSBURY SNOW PILOTS

Welcome Back Shaftsbury Snow Pilots!

The 2014-2015 season was our best ever with over 400 members! Thank you!

As the 2015-2016 Season is approaching, it is that time of the year when we need to think about getting our trails ready for the upcoming winter. Trail work dates will be on Saturdays. Please contact Ryan Bottesi at 413-441-6847 or Mark Lukas at 802-442-3977 for work details.

Snow Pilots meetings are held at 7pm on the second Wednesday of the month at the South Shaftsbury Firehouse on Buck Hill Rd. Hope to see you there!

“Like” us on Facebook. (shaftsbury snow-pilots) or check out our website at <http://www.shaftsburysnowpilots.org/>

We will be making repairs to the bridge on the Up Trail to the Glastenbury Fire Tower so we can use it this season. This bridge will ultimately need to be replaced in the near future. All membership dues and donations will be used to partially cover this replacement.

The Crossover trail between the Up trail and Down Trail will be closed this season due to bridge issueshoping to get it repaired next summer.

Make sure to check out the new VAST website at www.vtvast.org

TMA INFORMATION

TMA's are now available for the 2015-2016 Season. Please see the enclosed registration form for VT Registered snowmobiles and Out of State Registered snowmobiles.

Please include your E-Mail on the TMA form.

Early bird prices in effect until Dec. 15, 2015

Trails open on Dec 16, 2015

FAMILY TMA's WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AFTER DECEMBER 15, 2015

3 day passes will be available after December 15, 2015 for \$55

TMA's are available at the following locations:

- www.shaftsburysnowpilots.org Email forms and pay via PayPal
- Martinkas, 3367 VT. Rte. 7A, Shaftsbury, VT 802-447-7153
- Ronnies Cycle, 2601 West Rd., Bennington, VT 802-447-8606
- Ronnies Harley Davidson, 501 Wahconah St., Pittsfield, MA 413-443-0638
- Ronnies, 2337 Western Ave., Guilderland, NY 518-389-2370
- Country Power Products, 2339 State Rte. 40, Greenwich, NY 518-692-1015
- Dutchess Recreational, 737 Freedom Plains Rd., Poughkeepsie, NY 845-454-2810
- Marge Robinson, 1819 Chapel Rd, Bennington, VT 05201, 802-447-0459
- Mary Beth Daniels, 887 Hidden Valley Rd, Shaftsbury, VT 05262, 802-447-2449 (MAIL ONLY)

Don't forget to renew your VT snowmobile registrations...it can easily be done online at <https://secure.vermont.gov/dmv/express>

Upcoming Events

October 24th, 2015-Edelmann Sales Open House, 9am-3pm **TMA's available all day!** Please bring your current registration.

November 7th, 2015-Ronnies Cycle in Bennington: Annual Snow Show.10a.m. – 4 p.m. **TMA's available all day!** Please bring your current registration.

March 6th, 2016– Spaghetti Ride-In at the Woodford Maintenance Building. 12 Noon. Please RSVP to Mary Beth @ 802-447-2449 by March 1st, 2016.

March 20th, 2016- Vintage Ride-In and Hot Dog Roast. Fayville Campground

Snowmobile Safety Course Dates: 11/7/15, 12/5/15, 1/2/16, 2/6/16 Time: 9:00 a.m.

Go to www.snobusters.com and click on "Safety Courses" link for more information.

Have a safe riding season and we hope to see you for Trail work, at a Meeting, or on the Trails.

Please remember to support our trail grooming done by Mark Lukas of Glastenbury Grooming

Inc. and his crew of volunteers. Donations are always welcome and appreciated!!!

Shaftsbury Snow Pilots Officers

President	Ryan Bottesi	413-441-6847
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