



SHAFTSBURY SNOW PILOTS

Welcome Back Shaftsbury Snow Pilots!

We all know how bad last season was but I want to thank all of the members that still purchased TMA's and club memberships! Let's hope we do not have a repeat of last season.....

As the 2016-2017 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>

The Crossover trail between the Up trail and Down Trail will be closed this season due to bridge issuesscheduled for repair next summer along with replacement of the Up Trail bridge..

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

TMA INFORMATION

TMA's are now available for the 2016-2017 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, 2016

Trails open on Dec 16, 2016

FAMILY TMA's WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AFTER DECEMBER 15, 2016

3 day passes will be available after December 15, 2016 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)
- Online at www.vtvast.org

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

Upcoming Events

November 5th, 2016-Ronnies Cycle in Bennington: Annual Snow Show.10a.m. – 4 p.m. **TMA's available all day!** Please bring your current registration.

November 19th, 2016-Edelmann Sales Open House, 9am-3pm

March 5th, 2017– Spaghetti Ride-In at the Woodford Maintenance Building. 12 Noon. Please RSVP to Mary Beth @ 802-447-2449 by March 1st, 2016.

March 19th, 2017- Vintage Ride-In and Hot Dog Roast. Fayville Campground

Snowmobile Safety Course Dates: 11/5/16, 12/3/16, 1/7/17 , 2/4/17 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!!!

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