

2026/2027 Season

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Board: Rick Swift, Paul Allen, Scott Greenfield, Jinny Naevestad
 Directors: Jason Serra, Rick Swift, Paul Allen, Dan Lamarre, Tom Baynard,
 Craig Pedersen, Bob Carr, Scott Greenfield, Jinny Naevestad
 Not Attending: Craig Pedersen, Jason Serra

Opened Meeting: 7:14 PM
 Adjourned: 7:51 PM
 Lemon Tree

Recorded by: Jinny Naevestad

Agenda: Minutes from prior meeting review/approval Trail Report
 Financials Fundraising Report
 Membership Report Other Business
 Groomer Equipment Report

Meeting called by: Rick swift

Agenda item: Minutes from prior meeting review/approve Presenter: Jinny N. / Board Member

- By September 30, 2026, Club Minutes will be provided as a draft on the D.R.A.G. of Speculator NY website for review and approval at the next meeting, October 17, 2026.
- A motion by Kim Greenfield to approve February 21, 2026, Club meeting minutes and it was seconded by Pete Newell with no nays, carried unanimously.

Agenda item: Financial Report Presenter: Scott G. / Another

- Review numbers for fiscal year 2025 (will end 8/31/2026) YTD cash sources & uses as of 8/31/2026.
- The detailed report is available at the meeting and if requested.
 - Cash Balance as of September 1, 2025.....\$50,754
 - Cash Balance as of August 31, 2026..... \$51,980

Agenda item: Membership Report Presenter: Rick S. / Another

- Membership for 2024-2025 season 405, 2025 – 2026 season, 411 members as of today 60.
- Members can join clubs as of April 30th. Remember this helps your club receive funds to do trail work before the season.

Agenda item: Groomer Equipment Report Presenter: Bob C. / Tom B. / Another

Bob Carr is our Groomer Equipment head (Groomer Equipment Czar)

- PB100, serviced by Mohawk Industry much needed repairs to keep the machine in good running condition
- Husky, to have regular service performed in October will be communicated. To have big service next year.
- PB270, to have regular service performed in October will be communicated.
- Viking, only item that needs to be done wipers & possibly assembly

Agenda item: Trails Presenter: Dan L / Another

- Not enough people could come out today to help with trail work
- We are still working on signage. Matt Wakefield (Sign Czar). Will send DOT snowmobile sign request for road crossings on Page St., Tree Farm and others. If you see a location that needs signage, please email to dragofspeculator@gmail.com to let us know and if possible, snap a picture of the area.
- Looking into used equipment for canopy/trail side trimming.
- Sam Ward and Pat Vedder will help with trails behind the Charlie Johns house.
- Melody trail will be open for the possible opening of Melody Lodge this winter.
- Your donations help us fund our fuel & equipment repairs.
- PLEASE STAY ON TRAIL & travel slowly, again it's a privilege to cross landowners' property.
- Tape and Barriers are not to be crossed or gone around.

Agenda item: Fundraising Presenter: Jason Serra / Another

- NYSSA tickets, we receive half of the ticket price and will be receiving them and mailing to members.
- Possible drawing to be planned

- We've applied for the International Snowmobile Manufacturers Association (ISMA) Grant.
 - We are looking to have an event at our sponsor Village Motorsports October 31st and February 13th snowmobile ride or if weather is not good a Landowner/Groomer appreciation. We welcome help, please let us know if you are interested.
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Agenda item: Other Business

- NYSSA – Director seat open and Alternate Jim Olsen
 - NY Forum in 2027 / 2028 will be at Niagara Falls for 2 years.
 - Please use the map to see availability, open/closed trails Ride NY Trails | New York State Snowmobile Association on (nysnowmobiler.com) Note: NY State closes trails April 1st unless conditions are not good to ride.
- They are looking to make sure full distribution of trail funds.
- Today was the NYSSA Adirondack Trails Conference attended by Jim Olsen, Matt Wakefield, Jinny Naevestad
 - Presenters: DOT, DEC, OPRHP
- A motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:51 PM by Scott Greenfield seconded by Bob Carr with no nays, carried unanimously.
- **Next meeting will be October 17th 7PM to be announced on Facebook.**

Thanks to Pete Newell for helping us with the website and posting our club minutes

Thank you to The Lemon Tree for providing us with space to meet.