

Trail Conditions In Chautauqua County New York

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Friday, August 24, 2018, 1:32:00 PM

Greetings Snowmobilers! It's that time again to process the renewal applications for memberships. Getting on the process early allows us to get money in the coffers prior to the season starting so lets get as many as we can prior to October/November. Barb Farrell is our new membership coordinator and can be reached at clscmembership@chautauquasnow.com should you have any questions about membership. Download our 2018/2019 Application - [CLICK HERE](#) Benefits Of being a CLSC member- Weekly Events All season- Registration Discount Voucher- Full County Trail Map & Stickers- Heated Clubhouse Access 24/7.- Many NYSSA membership perks for car rentals, insurance etc.

TRAILS CLOSED - SEASON OVER

Sunday, April 1, 2018, 12:00:00 AM

That's All Folks...

TRAILS CLOSED

Tuesday, March 20, 2018, 6:27:37 PM

Trails Closed at this time

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS MARGINAL

Monday, March 19, 2018, 12:00:00 PM

Trails are getting thin and turning brown in some areas. Fields are generally still good. Several water holes have opened back up, mostly in the woods. Trails may close on short notice. Some clubs in the county are closing or closing some areas. Please be aware of what trails are closed before you ride. Ride safe....

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS FAIR

Friday, March 16, 2018, 9:00:00 AM

Trails are OPEN at this time and in fair to good condition. We have had over 2 feet of snow in spots and drifts reaching 4+ feet. Groomers have been out trying to keep trails safe, there were a lot of people stuck the first day after the storm. Trails are packing in so it should be a great weekend for riding. It will be very busy so please use caution this weekend and stay right around corners. We all know the fields and drifts look fun but please stay on the trails, this is private property and there are lots of hidden dangers under that deep snow.

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS FAIR & IMPROVING

Wednesday, March 14, 2018, 2:00:00 PM

Trails are OPEN at this time and improving. We have had cold nights and a decent base is starting to build with more snow falling. We have well over a foot of snow in spots and another 8" in the forecast. There are still open holes in spots so use caution when out riding. Get out and enjoy, take a buddy and stay right!

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS MARGINAL / FAIR

Friday, March 9, 2018, 2:00:00 PM

Trails are OPEN at this time in marginal to fair condition. There are still water holes, trees and branches so use caution when out on the trails. If you see something that can be moved get off and move it please. Ride safe and stay right!

TRAILS CLOSED - NOT ENOUGH BASE

Wednesday, March 7, 2018, 8:48:35 AM

Trails are CLOSED at this time, another bad winter! Volunteers are out checking trails. Snowfall in some areas are more than others. Currently snowing in areas where green grass was showing its self. Currently not enough snow in some areas to cover culverts. We will update the site when conditions change.

TRAILS CLOSED - WARM WEATHER/RAIN

Sunday, February 11, 2018, 3:29:00 PM

Trails are closed at this time due to warm weather & rain. We will update when conditions change and we can ride again.

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS FAIR/GOOD

Wednesday, February 7, 2018, 9:41:53 AM

Chautauqua Lake Trails are open at this time and conditions are fair to good. Fields may be thin because of the wind but more snow is expected. Ride with caution, as all the trails have not yet been checked for hazards.

TRAILS CLOSED - WARM WEATHER

Sunday, January 21, 2018, 12:00:00 AM

Chautauqua Lake Trails will be closed on Sunday 1/21 @ 12AM due to warming temps. Clymer and French Creek trails will be closing on Saturday 1/20 @ 12AM due to low snow conditions. Grooming in these areas has ceased. We will update conditions when we can ride again, please honor the close dates and stay off the trails after the time noted above and plan accordingly.

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS GOOD

Wednesday, January 17, 2018, 10:49:00 AM

Chautauqua Lake trails are now open and in good condition. Lots of cold weather has frozen things up and grooming is being done all over. Snow is thin French Creek area and some fields are wind blown but overall good conditions. We will keep you posted when conditions change, watch website as we may have to close them down this weekend

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS MARGINAL

Monday, January 15, 2018, 2:00:00 PM

Chautauqua Lake trails are now open. Use caution as some trails have not been checked yet. Snow is thin French Creek area and ice has overflowed onto or near the trail. We will keep you posted when conditions change, watch website as we may have to close them down this weekend.

TRAILS CLOSED - NOT ENOUGH BASE

Sunday, January 14, 2018, 8:29:33 AM

Trails are closed at this time due to flooding and low base. Pretty much all the snow was eaten away by the warm weather and rain so we are starting over once again and have to wait for things to freeze back up. We got around 8 -12 inches of snow in spots and cold weather looks like it will stick around. We will keep you posted when conditions change, thank you.

TRAILS CLOSED - WARM WEATHER/RAIN

Wednesday, January 10, 2018, 6:00:00 AM

CLSC along with the other Chautauqua clubs will be closing trails Wednesday (1/10) at 6:00 AM because of the warm-up and coming rain. This is the best chance to preserve what we have with minimal damage to the base. We will keep you posted, thank you.

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS VERY GOOD

Tuesday, January 2, 2018, 8:00:00 AM

As of 1/2 trails are open and in great shape. Groomers have been out smoothing all trails and packing in the huge snowfall. We've had a few accidents on the trail system already due to people not staying right around corners and people not staying on marked trails. We take time to mark trails for your safety, tracks in the snow are not trails! Weather is expected to stay cold for the next week so conditions should be good for a while. Our annual Hot Dog roast is this weekend (1/6 @ 1PM - ?) and will be held at the clubhouse this year rather than S47. Stop out and enjoy a bite to eat when riding, should be great conditions! Trails will be busy this week and upcoming weekend, stay right and ride safe! Membership packets will be stuffed at next meeting on Wednesday Night

TRAILS OPEN - CONDITIONS IMPROVING

Friday, December 29, 2017, 10:44:00 AM

Trail update: 12/29/2017 - Trails are mostly open. If there are closed gates or no signs, DO not open or ride in

that area! There as been a few trail re-routes due to people opening gates that should have NOT been opened by snowmobiles, this is also very costly to the club as well. Please ride with caution! There are some water holes and ruts in some trails.*** If you see branches in the trail, please help us by moving them off the trail! This is a HUGE help for us when we groom the trails *****Enjoy your ride and be SAFE!Membership packets will be stuffed at next meeting on Wednesday Night.DMV office will be open Saturday in Mayville from 9am - 12:45pm (Club membership rep should be at the office as well with maps and key cards for club house access for sale)

TRAILS OPEN - DEEP SNOW / USE CAUTION

Thursday, December 28, 2017, 10:01:00 AM

CLSC trails will open Thursday 12/28. Ride with CAUTION. Snow is deep and wet underneath. It may also be hiding branches or fallen trees. Snow banks at road crossings are a major safety concern nearing 6ft high. We are trying to open them up. Some signs may be hidden in the snow. There are still a few gates we are trying to get open. Please stay on the trails. Our landowners have been more than generous. Trail to Busti is closed. 4 of our 10 groomers are down, so grooming will be limited and some trails have not been checked. Thank you, ride safe and with a partner.Membership information online at <http://www.chautauquasnow.com/Club-Information/Memberships.aspx>Membership questions only 716-326-6919DMV in Mayville - 716-753-4229There is no online web map or gps maps with current trails this year for Chautauqua County.

TRAILS CLOSED - NOT OPENING ON 12/20/2017

Tuesday, December 19, 2017, 3:21:00 PM

Trails will not open on 12/20 as we had hoped. Mother Nature has hit us again with warm temps and rain. Most of the snow is now melted and trails are very wet. Also, the Club is still working on replacing washed out pipes from the late November storm. Cold and snow are in the forecast after Christmas, when we will re-evaluate conditions. Please be patient and do not ride on closed trails.Thank you, Chris Jaynes, President

TRAILS CLOSED - SEASON STARTS 12/20

Thursday, December 7, 2017, 10:09:16 AM

Snow on the way!!! Good news for the upcoming snowmobile season, but it's too early right now! Trails are still officially CLOSED due to hunting and landowner requests to wait until after the hunter's season ends to open their private land to snowmobile use. Water and mud isn't frozen yet anyhow and many farmer's field have crops still standing or livestock out with their gates closed.RESPECT the private landowners please!As a reminder when the season does open. We need about 12 inches of fresh snow to create a 3 inch base to open the trails. Latest conditions and statuses will be posted here as well as through our text alerts. Please stay off the trails until you see a message on our website or facebook page that they have opened.

2018 NYSSA Super Raffle

Monday, December 4, 2017, 9:57:00 PM

Each year we sell as many Super raffle tickets as possible to benefit the trails in our county. This year you have 51 Chances to Win!. Top 8 prizes over \$1,000 each!, WINNER'S CHOICE OF FOUR TOP PRIZES VALUED AT

OVER \$5,000 EACH! Contact us for tickets!! To view a full list of prizes and drawing details, view the posters below.[Raffle Poster](#)[Prize List](#)

Snowmobile Safety Class 12/9/2017 @ 8AM

Wednesday, November 22, 2017, 4:40:00 PM

Registration is now open for this years snowmobile safety class. Please signup online as this is a first come first serve event. This class is free and lunch will be provided at the Chautauqua Suites in NY.**YOU MUST BE AT LEAST 10 YEARS OLD ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 9TH 2017** [Click Here To Register](#)

Chainsaw Training Class 12/2/2017 @ 9AM

Wednesday, November 22, 2017, 2:22:22 PM

CLSC is offering a Chainsaw Training class December 2nd from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the clubhouse on Hannum Road in Mayville. Anyone that may operate a saw on trails in the State Lands is required to take this class. This is also a good class just to freshen up your chainsaw safety and skills.

Fall Work Party 10/21 & 10/22 @ 8:30AM

Monday, October 16, 2017, 8:59:42 PM

URGENT !! Work party this Saturday and Sunday 10/21 & 10/22 to cut a re-rout trail on C-4 Mayville due to a landowner closure. We need a lot of helping hands to get this done before deer shotgun season. Meet at the clubhouse at 8:30 AM each day. If you have a 4-wheeler and/or a chainsaw, it would be helpful. We will have a mini excavator working each day. Contact Chris Jaynes @ 716-753-0505 if you would like to help.

Web Camera Sponsors

Monday, September 11, 2017, 5:27:00 PM

We are currently looking for web camera sponsors for the web cameras through our trail system. The cost of these cameras and maintenance has become a burden and we need some sponsors. Each sponsor will be a listed advertiser on the webcam selection page and may also have rotating banner ads throughout the website. Contact Us today if you are interested.

ATTENTION: NO CLUB RENEWAL AT THE DMV.

Sunday, September 10, 2017, 8:18:00 AM

There will be NO CLUB RENEWAL at the DMV anymore. The DMV is no longer able to handle club funds. We had a representative at the DMV last year to help with the transition. To avoid a delay, fill out this application and send it with a check ASAP. We will process and return it. Then you can reregister at the DMV at your convenience and have all the paperwork you need. If you come in from out of town, you will have to pay full price for each sled without a voucher unless you can find internet access. On the application, update your email address and verify whether you are able to print your own voucher upon renewal. NYSSA will send a welcome email to you that has your voucher attached. One will only be sent by mail if it is requested. To automatically renew go to www.nysnowmobiler.com and register. You will be able to download and print your voucher

immediately upon completing that process. There is a number on top of the bar code, upper right of last years voucher that is your membershi ...

2017 Club Election

Thursday, April 6, 2017, 8:23:00 AM

The following results based on our 2017 club election. Thank you to all those who stay involved. Officers:
President: Chris Jaynes Vice-President: Bill Ottaway Secretary: Paul Weatherlow Treasurer: Jeff Richards -
Email Activities Coordinator: Marcus Maloney Membership Coordinator: Matt Terrill Fund Raising Coordinator:
Jeff Richards Landowner Coordinator: Kelly Perry Safety Coordinator: Scott Shapert Technology Coordinator: Clay
Jaynes Website Administrator: (General Mailbox) Directors: Chairman: Rick Syper Board Members: Ken Bearce;
Steve Burmaster; Julie Dobson (Remain for their second year of term.) Mark Kowski & Steven M. Smith (2 year
(2017 Election) Matt Terrill (1 year) (2017 Election)

2009-2017 Season Summary & News History

Friday, December 31, 2010, 11:16:00 PM

Below are PDF documents of the entire season's trail updates for historical/legal purposes containing open and close dates. [CLICK FOR 2016-2017 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 17 Days, CLOSED: 83 Days) 215 Inches [CLICK FOR 2015-2016 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 18 Days, CLOSED: 83 Days) 145 Inches [CLICK FOR 2014-2015 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 58 Days, CLOSED: 48 Days) 195 Inches [CLICK FOR 2013-2014 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 34 Days, CLOSED: 69 Days) 186 Inches [CLICK FOR 2012-2013 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 43 Days, CLOSED: 56 Days) 142 Inches [CLICK FOR 2011-2012 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 03 Days, CLOSED: 99 Days) 110 Inches [CLICK FOR 2010-2011 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 54 Days, CLOSED: 45 Days) 218 Inches [CLICK FOR 2009-2010 SEASON SUMMARY.](#) (OPEN: 67 Days, CLOSED: 31 Days) 224 Inches