# **BV QUAD RIDERS – July 2022 MINUTE**



Date: July 20, 2022

Meeting started: 6:35 pm

Ended: 8:05 pm

Members present: Ed Hinchliffe, Harold Reedy, Bruce Bobbick, Gord Stavast,

Greg Bannister, Dave Tolton.

**Guests:** 

Mike Frohlick Smithers Snowmobile Association

The club had Mike Frohlick address the group on concerns for the beavers flooding the Canyon creek crossing of the Dome Trail. The SSA is looking into building a bridge across this section to make it safer for taking the groomer across in the winter as well as being in compliance for this being a fish bearing stream and bridges are usually required. Harold volunteered to speak with RSTBC about the plans or options that may be available and how the BV Quad Riders fit into this project.

#### **Upcoming Rides / Events in August**

#### Starr Basin Ride

Tentatively planned for August 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>. The 20<sup>th</sup> we can go in and check the trail (6 riders) to ensure it is safe to go ahead with the ride on the 21<sup>st</sup>. Would we have any volunteers to go in and check trail on the 20<sup>th</sup>?

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**Volunteers for trail clearing:** Will contact the volunteers with a time once we hear from the Biologist and get the permit finalized.

- 1. Greg Bannister
- 2.Bruce Bobbick
- 3. Harold Reedy
- 4.Ed Hinchliffe
- 5.Dave Tolton
- 6.

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### Starr Basin Ride on Sunday the 21st interested riders (18 max):

- 1. 10.
- 2. 11.
- 3. 12.
- 4. 13.
  - 14.
- 6. 15.
- 7. 16.
- 8. 17. 9. 18.

Contact Dave Tolton, 250-877-3204 if you want to attend the ride. Riders must be BV Quad Riders Members and sign an ATVBC Waiver to go! Note: if Caribou are in the area 48 hours prior to the ride taking place it must be cancelled!

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### Sibolas Ride August 26th – 28th

This is not a club ride, but you are welcome to tag along if you would like. Our group currently has 4 cabins reserved at the Nadina Lake Lodge. We will be traveling from the Lodge by atv into the Sibolas on Saturday and part of Sunday (unsure?). We could meet any interested people at 100.5 km on the Morice River Forest Service Road at a designated time and we can all travel together? Let me know if you're interested.

### Poker Ride Sunday August 7th:

Bryce Miller has found a "loop Trail" at Hellen Lake that he thinks would make a good trail for this year's Poker Ride (see attached map). However, like all Poker Rides the club needs volunteers to make this happen. If you can help with registration, 50 / 50 Draw, Card Stops or cooking Hot Dogs give Bryce a call please.

Gord Stavast and Bruce Bobbick volunteered to help out, anyone else who can help please call:

Bryce Miller @ 250-643-1051

Registration will start at 9:00 am at the staging area across from the Helen Lake Rec Site. The ride will start at 10:00 am. Hands will be \$10 each and Prize money will be \$300  $1^{st}$ , \$200  $2^{nd}$ , and \$100  $3^{rd}$ .

