

RRSC Meeting 2-9-2026

Meeting opened

President asked for the reading of the minutes from last business meeting held on Monday January 13, 2026. Minutes were read by Brian Chandler club voted to accept minutes as read and approved.

1. Todd groomed the trails to Alvarado and to Crookston. A group went Saturday to Red Lake Falls and the trails were great and nice riding. EGF had the Vintage Snowmobile event also.
2. Reported the groomer had repairs of batteries, starter, and a block heater replaced. Est. of \$1500 for the repairs.
3. Net step will be on the land purchase with multi people contacting their potential sellers to get actual dollar amounts for purchasing land. This is needing to be done to really start planning to build as the club wants the groomer housed inside and not left outside to protect it, which would extend the life of it.
 - A. Dan Altepeter is one of the prospects for property. He and his group need an invite by the club to join as they are all avid riders.
 - B. Delisle Mayo Mfg. contacted by Brian Chandler is another possibility that will be followed up on. Delisle's are figuring out a price with the siblings owning the property.
 - C. Tony Hondi was another potential with property to be followed up on too.
 - D. Boushey property was another potential for consideration as well.
4. Grants are also another possibility to help with monies in the club on expenses. Need to see if anyone knows someone that would be a grant writer and work on this. Possibly check with Roger Moe as a way of getting help or to advise also.
5. Groomer Tracker is \$10/year subscription. This will let sledders check to see how long since a trail was groomed before a ride. Usually a delay of a few hours tells them when it was done. This has a tracker fee for like 9 clubs in MN at \$10 per club for trackers.
6. Some ideas to recruit the younger people as a future for the club. Start younger people with kids as sustainable future for RRSC.
 - A. Do events to promote the club.
 - B. Suggestions were doing hotdogs, bonfires-smores, safety courses, prizes, hot cocoa, hill climbing, actual "kid" rides.
 - C. Ask a Firehall to helping out in participating to promote.
 - D. Facebook would be a good place to start with members passing it onto their friends on Facebook too.

7. Suggestion of looking into pull tabs for the club from businesses on the east side that other places don't have. Sports-Blue Line Club has a lot of the establishments. If someone wanted to talk to some of the places, there are at this time openings at Shire, Mikes Pizza and Casa Mexico.