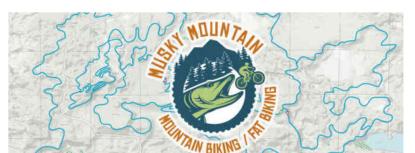
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Dear A.J.,

If you haven't heard the news, we've started building trail at Musky Mountain! Our monthly meeting in September will be at the trailhead and those who attend will get to check out the trail segments built so far. This is a special sneak peek only as the trail will not open until the full 5 miles are complete, sometime in October.



A big thank you to all who participated in the LAMBO Summer Membership Drive! We hit our goal of 23 new members (plus a few extra). Thank you so very much! Not only do these annual membership fees help cover operating costs throughout the year, it's a huge morale boost to our volunteers who put in a lot of hours (and are also paying members and donors of money and supplies throughout the year). It really is a big deal to the whole crew to announce at the meetings how many new and renewing supporting Members we have. THANK

As many of you know, we've been working hard over the last 2 summers to build a pump track for young and old to use. It's taken a few iterations, but we are super proud of it now! It's a solid track (see video), great for advanced riders, but more importantly, a great resource for new and young riders to build up skill and endurance. It is open to all to use. And it exists thanks to generous donations from the community and volunteers, and a grant in honor of Peggie Post. We recently added signage to dedicate the pump track to

The Peggie Post Mallery Wisconsin Conservation Fund is a fund created in honor of Peggie Mallery, a former Natural Resources Foundation board member, in support of the conservation of public lands, waters, and wildlife in Wisconsin (more info)



Okay, now on to regular news and updates...

Meeting Minutes are available on our website. Please join us at our next meeting, Wednesday, September 13th at 6 pm at the Musky Mountain future trailhead. See other events on our website (along with trail information, meeting minutes) and on Facebook.

- Our volunteers clocked 159 hours in July, that's 1655 YTD across 57 different individuals (as of our last monthly meeting)! Thank you to all who helped with trails and did all that other stuff that's gotta happen to make trails appear and keep 'em rideable.
- A Youth MTB Clinic is coming together for September 24th at the Zip. Final details are in the works.
- We finally ordered LAMBO mountain bike jerseys! Thanks, Mike O, for leading the effort on that. We will have extras to purchase at Group Rides, Meetings or Events, and we will be ordering again at the end of the year. Check them out!
- · Have you ever hosted a Haunted House or gone way overboard with your Halloween decorations and are kind of over it now? If you're looking to donate crazy big Halloween decorations, please email us - they could become part of LAMBOO Haunted Trails this year? Crafty? If you make it, we'll take it and add it to the spooky selections. Email us for info

Get details on our upcoming events on <u>LAMBORiders.org</u> or our <u>Facebook Page</u>.

Trail Updates:

- · ALL TRAILS ARE OPEN! Get out there and ride.
- We have a Thursday Night Ride Social at the Zip, 6 pm. A bunch of us will be out riding the Zip trails and then hanging out around the campfire after. If you're new to the trail system this is a great time to get introduced. Message us on Facebook and we'll be sure to have someone connect with you and show you around. On every 3rd Thursday we'll be visiting other trail systems.
- · We've got a new spur off of Sue 2 at Spider Pig that drops into the Pump Track. It's got a long way down and super short fast way down that let's you sail over 2 sets of doubles. The long way down is an alternate way to the Pump Track and Blue Ox, if the Blue Ox berms are a bit intimidating. This trail is also a good way to climb back out from the Pump Track (better than Frank the Tank's Hill!). Learn more.









In Case you Missed It:

- Learn more about a fantastic mountain biking mentorship program available for girls ages 7-13 through the Little Bellas program in Rhinelander led by the amazing Val Foley
- We've got a group working hard in Eagle River getting a new trail system started at **Sucker Springs**. If you are interested in learning more about the project and helping with the fundraising, send us an email..
- We are Wisconsin's first NSP Bike Patrol. We have both Outdoor First Care and Outdoor Emergency Care certified volunteers. Interested? We assist with NSP Membership dues and provide training and certification.

We still have an opening for the Secretary position amongst the LAMBO Officers, if anyone is interested send us an email.

LAMBO Calendar

- Monthly meetings are every 2nd Wednesday at 6 pm, location varies, check website or Facebook
- Zip Trail Social (ride) every Thursday at 6 pm, location varies, check website or Facebook
- Raven Work Day scheduled for Saturday, September 16th; check Facebook for updates
- LAMBOO Haunted Trails | Saturday, October 28, 4 7 PM at the Zip. This year will be better than ever. Food and S'Mores available for sale. The event is free but donations are appreciated.
- Fat Bikes by Candlelight | Wednesday, December 27, 5 8 PM at the Zip
- And we do the occasional road trips to Copper Peak, Copper Harbor, Cuyuna, Marquette, even Bentonville. These are informal, but open to anyone who might be interested in checking out new areas.

For details visit our website calendar or our Facebook page.

Other Events and Clubs: Copper Peak Trails Fest Sept. 9-10 with SISU in Ironwood; RASTA in Rhinelander, PASTA near Steven's Point, Fern Ridge near St. Germain, Dirty Squirrel Gravel Grind at Minocqua Winter Park.

Thank you to renewing members: Carl H, Kenneth W., Matt H, AJ C, Marjorie R, Robert C, Mike O, Bryon B, Ryan M, Scott M, Karen S. Thank you to new membership drive members: Jack and Lisa S. (BONUS #25 and #26), Mason and Nolan P. (#17 and BONUS #24) Justin R (#23), Margaret and R Scott (#21 and #22); Kevin O. (#20), Jim & Stacy Swenson (#18 & #19), Rebecca P. (#17), Daniel K (#16), Isaac C, (#15), JD R. (#14), Taylor B (#13); Paul M (#11), Mike T (#12), Up Lift Printing (#10), Dusty (#9) Dominic F (#7), Rodney B (#8), Diane S. (#6), John H (#5), Kaitlin D (#4), Michael T. (#3), Eric S (#2), Jonathon S (#1). And donations from Brian F, Richard D, Amy M, Joshua J, Sarah B, Dan L, Benjamin B, James D, Pat M. and Bryon B. We couldn't do it without your support.

Individual Membership starts at \$35 annually. Annual dues support trail building.

Thank you to our Business Members! We are very grateful for your ongoing support.

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We are very grateful to all of our volunteers, members, and supporters. Thank you! And if you are interested in getting more involved, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. Contact information and many ways to follow us is listed below.

Please <u>update your contact information here</u>. (We do not sell or distribute your contact information.)

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