



### Mission:

*To continually develop and promote ATV riding as a safe and family oriented recreational opportunity that is friendly to the environment and other users of the resources.*

### Upcoming Meeting Dates:

**February 9th**

**March 9th**

**April 13th**

**May 11th**

### **Meeting Location & Club Sponsor:**

**South East Polaris**

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Todd & Ellen Meyers

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# SEATV News

### Club Officers:

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## Upcoming Events

### **FEBRUARY MEETING**

This month's guest speaker is **Chad Wilberger**. He is the "Recreations Program Manager" for Wayne National Forest. He wants to discuss with us an increase in riding fees to help cover maintenance costs and a volunteer safety patrol he would like us to get involved with. There will be time dedicated for questions and answers on both topics.

**CPR Class February 26th** is being offered to all members and their families. To be held at the Chagrin Falls Fire

Department. It will last 4 hours and will start at either 12 noon or 1 pm. This is a requirement for those wishing to volunteer for the Wayne National Forest (WNF) adopt a trail program. RSVP to Harry Edwards by Friday February 18th.



**Cleveland Sportsman Travel & Outdoor Show** is scheduled for March 11-19. Todd Meyers through South East Polaris will have a booth and has graciously once again offered us

space to publicize our club. Volunteers are needed to staff our table from 6 pm till 9 pm weekdays, Saturdays from 10 am till 9 pm and Sundays from 10am till either 6 or 7 pm. A sign up sheet will be available at the February meeting in 2-3 hour increments. Contact Harry Edwards for further information.



## Getting to Know You

New member in January is **Renzo Calabrese**, of Mayfield Heights. He is married to Tish. They have 3 children ages two, five, and eight. Renzo started his riding adventure with us in November of 2004. We stayed at the Browning Fork Trailhouse on the Hatfield & McCoy Trail

systems. This ATV enthusiast rented a quad so he could join in on the fun. For a beginner he handled those trails quite nicely. In November of 2005 he joined us again at Browning Fork Trailhouse but this time he had his own quad. Renzo is now riding a blue Yamaha Bruin 350.

He has his own auto repair business in South Euclid called **RC Repairs**. We look forward to him joining us on many other ATV trips in 2006. With 3 small children I think Four Seasons would be a GREAT one for him and his family.

## Money Matters

**REVERSE RAFFLE** tickets are **AVAILABLE!** 62 of the 150 tickets are now spoken for, WE NEED TO GET GOING & SELL! SELL! SELL! Tickets are \$100 per couple or \$65 for a single. Each table seats 8; that's you, a date, and 6 friends. Tickets and Flyers will be available at the meeting. The Reverse Raffle committee will be meeting this Sunday, February 5th at 1pm. They'll be meeting at Rich & Rebecca Wiseman's house. Call Wayne Hickin, our committee chairman, at 330.678.4208 if on the committee and unable to attend or if you want to be on the committee and attend the meeting. REMEMBER the SUCCESS of this event funds our club sponsored rides and other activities.

## Let's Ride! Ride! Ride!

### February 11-12 weekend at "Dale's" in Southington Township

Riding is available both days starting at 10 am. These trails have a little bit of everything from mud to rocks to woods to hills. If you have cabin fever like I know I am getting then plan for the day or even the whole weekend. Primitive camping is available. Contact Tom DeSantis at 440.476.1007 for more information. Maps will be available at the February meeting.

### March 26th at Bear Creek (weather permitting)

Located in East Sparta with 26 miles of trails on 180 acres. Includes creeks, woods, and mud. A 250 foot hill climb for those who dare. Cost is \$12 for adults and \$8 for children ages 11-17. More details to follow.

### April 8th begins 2006 at Rumble on the Ridge

Ride starts at 10 am. Primitive camping is available for Friday and/

or Saturday nights at \$20 for 1 night or \$30 for both nights. Cost to ride on Saturday only is \$15. For more information call Jim Piskac at 216.990.9901 Other dates for 2006 listed below.

### April 21-23, Bubba's Shack at Wayne National Forest

Camping available at Camp Ohio by the shack. Wayne National Forest riding permit required. Pancake breakfast on Sunday. More details to follow from Keith Wyant.

## Mark Your Calendar

### 2006 Rumble on the Ridge Schedule

April 8, May 20, July 8, September 16 Riding starts at 1000, camping available, cost \$15

### 2006 Four Seasons in PA Schedule (partial)

Parents Stress Free Weekend  
May 20-21

Patriotic Weekend, ATV Scavenger

Hunt May 26-29

Las Vegas Weekend June 2-4

July 4th Weekend, ATV Scavenger Hunt

ATV Rodeo and Mud Drags  
August 4-6

Poker Run Weekend Sept. 30

ATV Mud Drag Weekend Oct. 21

### Other Ride Areas for 2006

Harlan County, Kentucky

Maumee State Forest in Ohio

Twin Hollow at Hatfield & McCoy Trail Systems in West Virginia

Hungry Hollow ATV Park in Scioto County, Ohio

Mountain Ridge Trails in Pennsylvania

Michigan, not the dunes

\*\*stay tuned for more details\*\*

## Lookin Good in the Neighborhood

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Edwards at 440-247-0329 or by email [maryanne62@adelphia.net](mailto:maryanne62@adelphia.net), new easy and improved order forms will be available at the February meeting.



Got NEWS or a TIP for the newsletter? Hosting a ride? Let us know. Send an email to [newsletter@seatvclub.com](mailto:newsletter@seatvclub.com) by the 25th of the month.



## "Trash & Treasures"

### 2001 Yamaha Warrior 350cc

Looks GREAT, runs GREAT. Has new sprockets and chain; newer brakes too. Club member price is \$2000. Selling it to buy a small 4x4 quad for the Mrs. Call Keith Wyant at 440.949.2988 (DEC)



### 2003 Sportsman 400 4x4

\$5000 or take over payments. Accessories: Rack bag, windshield, and full pack. Very well maintained. Contact Larry Jadrych: 440-781-8977 (NOV)

### 2004 Suzuki Vinson

Camo, 2WD/4WD, Auto, extended warranty, alum. wheels, plow, warn winch. Must sell. Best offer. Scott Robison 330.325.0989. (NOV)



## "Trash & Treasures" (cont'd)

### 1200# Reese Dual Cam Weight Distribution System

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2 5/16 ball



**1 year old.** Selling because toy hauler we have has a loaded tongue weight of 1300# so we upgraded to a Class 5 hitch system with 1400# bars. Total retail is close to \$700. **Asking \$500 OBO** Call Harry Edwards at 440.247.0329 for more information (JAN)

January's 50/50 Raffle was

**\$66** and the lucky winner was once again ...

**Karen Teichman**

How many tickets does she buy??



## Info on the Go

### Editor's Comment:

Last month we hosted Bill Daehler from the ODNR along with several of his team members and guests from the Ohio Snowmobile Association and from Ride the Red Forum. Showing them respect by listening to what they came to say and not carrying on your own conversation with friends is what we are supposed to do. Let's try harder this month with our guest speaker from Wayne National Forest. I know you would want the same courtesy shown if you were talking! Mary Anne Edwards



The latest **BUZZ** is that our **NEW** Website is up and running. Check it out there's the history of our club, a calendar of events, pictures, a forum and so much more.

**WWW.SEATVCLUB.COM**

## TIP BOX

### WINTERIZING YOUR ATV:

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#### FUEL

There are several options. One way is to add a fuel stabilizer. You can also turn the gas off and run your ATV until it starts to sputter, and then engage the choke to burn the last bits of remaining fuel. I prefer to do it the "old fashion way", just keep on riding during the winter months and enjoy using up the gas that way.

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