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September

Lewis County OHV Trails

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**RIDE 4 KEEPS.**

**KEEP IT SAFE.**

**KEEP IT LEGAL.**

**KEEP OUR TRAILS.**

**KEEP THE PRIVILEGE.**

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# SINGING WATERS

## *Ribbon Cutting*

Join us to celebrate the opening of Singing Waters Park.  
Light refreshments will be provided.



**Wednesday, September 11**



**11:00 AM**



**Singing Water Park**

**7273 Fish Creek Road, Greig, NY 13345**

# What We've Been Up To



## Singing Waters Park

Come and visit Lewis County's hidden gem at 7273 Fish Creek Road in the Town of Greig, (It is accessible by your OHV) Park and walk in to discover a day use area, pavilion, tent camping, hiking trails and a beautiful waterfall on Fish Creek.

Lewis County also has remote tent sites with no amenities just off the trails on County land. Check them out on Map Area "D" Fish Creek and another site on the tributary to Fish Creek,, Map Area "K" Deer River, Map Area "B" Deer River

and Map Area "L" on O'Learys Pond . (Map areas on the back of the OHV Map)

We now allow self contained RV camping on various Remote Tent Sites Map Area "B" on Factory Road, Map Area "C" on Middle Road, Map Area "E" on North South Road.

**Camping at these locations  
requires a Lewis County Camping Permit,  
use the QR Code  
or see below for the Campspot  
website to book any of these locations.**



<https://www.campspot.com/book/singing-waters-campground>

# TRAIL CREW UPDATES

September means the end of the student portion of our seasonal crew. From left to right: Devin Mahoney, Wyatt Staring, Dominic Roes, Major Shue, Dominic Sweirnik, Danny Grunert, Kirk Thomas, Lukas Brown, Scott Davoy, Derek Walseman, Devin Sweirnik, Hunter Burke and Dawson Cole. Missing are Kylie Klossner, Ryan Battles, and Andy Grunert.



**Lee Gulf Reroute - on hold for NYSDEC Permit**  
**Ives Road Trails - waiting for NYSDOT permit**  
**Bald Mountain Trail closed August 31st**



**We are still working on access agreements for off road trails on private property to connect in areas that lack legal access. Community connections are vital to Lewis County's Trail System.**

**This will be an ongoing process that the clubs and ambassadors will be assisting with all year.**

# TRAIL AMBASSADORS

## Join our team:

Become a volunteer as a Trail Ambassador, you'll play a vital role in the expansion and retention of our trails. Your responsibilities will include riding the trails at your convenience (which you're hopefully already doing), helping after storms or events to check for damage such as fallen trees, mud holes, and water issues and reporting to Ryan Battles our Crew Leader.

You can assist in trail expansions by helping to attain new landowners for our Community Connections, provide assistance to trail users, and report where you ride and what you are seeing. By actively riding the trails, you'll help us identify areas in need of maintenance and repairs promptly, and help preserve our trail system, ensuring it remains accessible and enjoyable for generations to come.

For more information or to get the application, please contact Sherry at (315)376-5972. (Volunteer Application is for one season and unactive members will not be renewed)

## CLUB MEETINGS

**BLACK RIVER VALLEY FOUR WHEELERS:** Monthly meeting is the 1st Saturday of each month at Raven Campground at 9:00 AM

**BLACK RIVER VALLEY RIDERS:** Monthly meeting is the last Thursday of each month at Tuggers at 6:00 PM

**HIGHMARKET WHEELERS:** Monthly meeting is the 2nd Saturday of each month which alternates between the Hideaway and The Milkplant at 10:00 AM

**Tug Hill Adirondack ATV Association:** Monthly meeting is the 3rd Monday of each month at Towpath Restaurant at 9:00 AM

**Tug Hill Wheelers:** Monthly meeting is the 1st Wednesday of each month at Tuggers at 7:00 PM

**ATV Roundtable:** is the 4th Monday of each month (Open to the public) at Outdoor Services Building on the East Road at 4:00 PM

## Club Membership (sold with permits)

CLUBS	AUG	YTD
BRVR	2	113
HMW	3	158
THAATVA	35	447
THW	9	241
BRVFW	22	502
TOTALS	71	1461

# ROUND TABLE UPDATES

**The August 26th meeting opened with a request for volunteers to assist with the installation of signs. Many signs are disappearing and we want to get better signage installed for wayfinding. The NYSDEC permits have been delayed due to severe weather and road washouts. The NYSDOT Permits for State Route 26-Ives Road and State Route 12 have been submitted. The progress on opening the Martinsburg-Glenfield connection was reviewed, things are getting closer and it is hoped that it will be approved before year end.**

**Sales updates were provided, indicating an increase in sales and a trend of customers preferring full-year permits over three-day passes. The round table included the discussion of the Highmarket Wheelers pig roast and the member and landowner appreciation day. The ongoing efforts in Oneida County. The free weekend, and the condition of certain areas.**

**The Bald Mountain Trail will be closing August 31st due to the terms of the RTP with NYSDEC and some other trails will be closing early for hunting at landowner requests. The upcoming Black River Valley Four Wheelers meeting will be held at Raven Campgrounds in Brantingham.**

**For the recording of the full meeting, please go to [https://lewiscounty-my.sharepoint.com/:v:/r/personal/jackiemahoney\\_lewiscounty\\_ny\\_gov/Documents/Recordings/ATV%20Round%20Table-20240826\\_155848-Meeting%20Recording.mp4?csf=1&web=1&e=PLRXUe](https://lewiscounty-my.sharepoint.com/:v:/r/personal/jackiemahoney_lewiscounty_ny_gov/Documents/Recordings/ATV%20Round%20Table-20240826_155848-Meeting%20Recording.mp4?csf=1&web=1&e=PLRXUe)**

## Upcoming Events

**8/31/2024 Meat Grinder - A Ride with a purpose**

**9/7/2024 Timberview Poker Run**

**9/7 Ride for Ryan**

**9/21/2024 Buck Run**

**9/28/2024 Hagen Harvest Fest 2024**



# *The 2025 OHV Trail Permits are here and on sale now!*

2025 Maps are currently being updated,  
thank you for your patience!

## **THANK YOU TO OUR 2025 SPONSORS**

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| <b>Boondocks Restaurant</b>                | <b>Singing Waters Campground</b>                  |
| <b>Brantingham Station</b>                 | <b>Snow Ridge</b>                                 |
| <b>Beaver Creek Lodge</b>                  | <b>Snyder's Sugar Shack LLC</b>                   |
| <b>Dolhof Hardware</b>                     | <b>Terry Groff Auto Repair &amp; Rides 4 Less</b> |
| <b>Flat Rock Inn</b>                       | <b>The Edge Hotel</b>                             |
| <b>Florissante The Mansion</b>             | <b>The Depot Market (aka HumbleBee Farms)</b>     |
| <b>Golden Shamrock B&amp;B</b>             | <b>The Lodge at Headwaters</b>                    |
| <b>Grant Island Rentals</b>                | <b>Towpath Restaurant &amp; Lodge</b>             |
| <b>Kevins Tug Hill Hideaway</b>            | <b>Timberview Resort/Adventures</b>               |
| <b>Kovach Repair</b>                       | <b>Trailside Ranch</b>                            |
| <b>Lowville Sport &amp; Farm Equipment</b> | <b>Tug Hill Hook &amp; Ladder</b>                 |
| <b>Naturally Lewis</b>                     | <b>Tuggers Grill Bar &amp; Campground</b>         |
| <b>Raven Acres Campground</b>              | <b>Worlds Famous Osceola Hotel LLC</b>            |
|  | <b>3 Willows Event Center</b>                     |

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