



Elkford Trails

Annual General Meeting and Pitch-in Cleanup, Saturday May 30

The Annual General Meeting of the Elkford ATV club will be held at the Elkford Motor Inn, downstairs in the board room May 30, 2009, at 9am, for the purpose of the election of officers and directors for the following positions: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, Safety, Public Relations, Recreation, Membership.

A motion will be made to add corporate sponsors to our bylaws.

If you are unable to attend, and would like to nominate an individual for a position or stand for a position, please submit

your name (printed and signature) and the position in advance of the meeting to:

Nominations
Elkford ATV Club
Box 699 Elkford, BC V0B 1H0

Or contact our nomination chairman Gary Grieser at (250) 865-2368

Annual Pitch-In/Clean-Up

Time: 10:30am
Where: Race Trac Gas
Route: Upper Elk Valley

Following the completion elections and changes to our bylaw, we will host our annual Pitch

In/Clean Up of our trails north of Elkford after the meeting, weather permitting.

Bring your gloves, rake, shovel, truck or ATV, a friend, garbage bags, pack snacks and a drink AND BRING A SMILE!



Join us for a family day of clean-up, north up the valley and back again.

Trucks and trailers are needed; we take several loads each year.



Elkford to Host 2009 ATV/BC Jamboree, August 21-23

After attending the ATV BC AGM in Revelstoke in August, it became apparent that no club had stepped forward with a proposal to host next years ATV BC AGM and Jamboree. Elkford ATV Club stepped up to the plate and have tentatively put

our club's name in to host ATV BC Jamboree 2009, upon approval of the board members.

Our club hosted this very successful event in 2004, thanks in no small part to Gordon Galloway's hard work, dedication

and incredible organizational skills.

A list of volunteer requirements is listed on our website. If you're interested in volunteering, please contact Gordon Galloway at 865-2674.

Elkford ATV Club

2009 Schedule

- > May 9, Newgate area family ride to Chain Lakes
- > May 30, AGM and Upper Elk Valley Pitch-in Cleanup Day
- > June 20, ATV/BC Poker Run - Princeton
- > June 21 - Wildhorse / Ram Creek Ride
- > July 4 - Big Weary Ridge - Elkford
- > Late July - Flathead trip - Fernie
- > August 15-19 - 5 Day Ride
- > Aug 21-23 - ATV/BC AGM & Provincial Jamboree - Elkford
- > Late Sept - 2nd Annual Toy Run

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Munro Lake



“third party liability of \$200,000, the minimum requirement to legally ride on a FSR at an annual premium of \$75”



Ride Details

May 9—Newgate Area Ride

Meet at 10am, ride at 10:30am

From Elkford, cross over Koo-canusa Bridge, left on Newgate Rd. go approximately 10 km, turn right on Waldo Rd. proceed 3km. staging on left in large clear cut.

June 21 - Wildhorse / Ram Creek Ride

Meet up the Wildhorse Rd. aprox 4 Km. staging on right. start time 9:30 sharp

We'll ride to Ram Creek hot springs.

Some of us may ride from Elkford and meet

July 4 - Big Weary Ridge

Meet at Race Trac Gas in Elkford at 10am

Ride up the east side of the Elk River and then up Big Weary Ridge for a spectacular view of glaciers and the Elk Valley.

Late July—Flathead

Details not yet finalized

August 15-19 - 5 Day Ride

Start Bull River Dam, north to Quinn, up over to Blackfoot, down to Whiteswan, east to 43km on White River Road, camp here first night. A number of us will stage from Elkford and ride over Crossing Creek to meet them.

Second day, up North White, over pass into Palliser, taking in gorge, from gorge down river to Albert River, up Albert to Miller Pass cut off, camping on height of land near Miller pass.

Third day, down Miller to Cross River, hopefully we can get a tour of the Gypson mine on head waters of Cross, leave mine heading down Cross, take in natural rock bridge on Cross, over Kootenay River, heading south to White river bridge on the Kootenay, camp here.

Fourth day, along the Kootenay River to Canal Flats haul road, south on haul road to Whiteswan road, cross over and proceed south on Sheep Creek to Ram Creek road, camp near hot springs.

Fifth day, up and over Ram Creek to Lussier, south past Top of World Park to Wildhorse Pass, down Wildhorse to trucks waiting at finish.

Sept—Toy Run

Details not yet finalized

Reduced Dues and Insurance

This spring ATV/BC created a new "secondary" membership type which applies to spouses living in the same household.

Because of the reduced dues associated with this new membership our club is able to reduce the rate of our secondary memberships:

Primary: \$50

Secondary: \$30

Reduced Insurance for 2009

Oasis Insurance is pleased to

announce the following rate changes for ATV/BC members effective January 1, 2009:

- Introducing a new option of a third party liability limit of \$ 200,000, the minimum requirement to legally ride on a FSR at an annual premium of \$ 75 for members
- Reduced the premium for a \$ 1,000,000 limit from \$ 125 to \$ 100 for members. Elkford residents who ride from home need at least

\$1M liability

- Introducing a \$ 2,000,000 limit now available at a premium of \$ 125 for members
- Launch of website www.openskiesins.ca where members can purchase memberships and liability insurance all in 1 location. Payment must be made by credit card when purchasing insurance online.

Provincial Jamboree & AGM at Elkford

Friday Aug. 21 2009

- Manufacturer and Dealer displays
- V.I.P. Ride
- Early Bird Rides
- Registration
- District of Elkford Plates
- ATV/BC Annual General Meeting

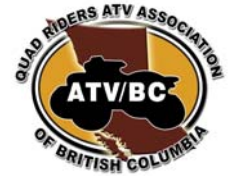
- Wine and Cheese Social Sponsored by Oasis Insurance

Saturday Aug. 22 2009

- Registration for late comers
- Choose one of several ride opportunities
- Dinner
- Guest Speaker

Sunday Aug. 23 2009

- Choose one of several ride opportunities
- Closing session



Bombardier Cash for ATV/BC Clubs... and for you too!

In a week or so all Elkford ATV club members should receive two coupons in the mail from ATV/BC. These coupons entitle you to up to \$500 discount against the purchase of any

new Can-Am ATV.

The second coupon allows a \$10 donation to be made by BRP to the Elkford ATV club for each member who simply visits the store and drops off the coupon.

With 382 members in our club throughout the East-Kootenay this could grow to a sizable donation!

"coupons entitle the bearer to up to \$500 discount against the purchase of any new Can-AM ATV"

WIN A 2008 Can -Am outlander 400 XT

******* EXTRA *******

ATV RAFFLE...WIN A 2008 Can -Am outlander 400 XT EFI

SPONSORED BY ATV/BC, Rechert's Tulameen & Can Am ...

Draw to be held in Princeton BC. June 20, 2009 Check out

www.atvbc.ca for more Details

Only 1900 tickets printed ... \$10.00 EACH

BC Gaming License # 13980

2008 Can-Am Out-lander 400 XT EFI



To obtain raffle tickets contact the ATV/BC office at atvbc@telus.net or phone toll-free 1.866.766.7823

We're on the Web!

www.elkfordtrails.com

Membership Renewals

Memberships can be renewed at any of the following locations:

Elkford: Contact Lynn, Gordon or Peter

Sparwood: Falkins Insurance or Sparwood Communications

Fernie: Falkins Insurance or Quality for Less Furniture

Cranbrook: Falkins Insurance

Online: You can also renew on our website and pay with PayPal.

Elkford ATV Club Meetings

Where: Elkford Motor Inn – board room downstairs

When: 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7pm from March to November (note: due to the BC election our next meeting is rescheduled to Thursday May 14)

How long are the meetings? We do our best to keep the meetings short, typically 1 hour, occasionally 1.5 hours. If you are unable to attend meetings, we would love to hear from our members. This is your club!

Tell us about your summer, rides, activities, events and what you would like to see our club do. Check out the on-line forum on our website!

Our club would like to thank Don Lutzak of the Elkford Motor Inn for the free use of room facilities for our club meetings.

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Working with ATV/BC to
"Protect your right to ride"
and having a little fun while we're at it



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ATV Club

Club Contacts

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5th ANNUAL QUAD RIDERS (ATV/BC) POKER RIDE Saturday June 20st 2009 Rodeo Grounds (PXA)



Info: www.atvbc.ca

RV Camping
\$10.00 per
Night
Wed 17 - Mon 22

PRINCETON BC



1ST PRIZE (Best Hand)

2008 Can-Am DS 250

Showers
Washrooms
Potable water
ON Site

Concession Stand



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SUCH AS



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\$10.00 EACH
Buy 5 & get 12
Chances to win

RIDES FOR ALL
LEVELS
INCLUDING KIDS



MORE INFO POKER RIDE 2009

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