

OVER THE HILLS GANG

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What's New! Community News



The 2024 Riding Season is right around the corner!!

Here are a few highlights from our February/March meetings:

The Business Sponsor page of our website is getting a major overhaul to give a higher quality

return on investment for our sponsors. The page should go live in April!

New Club Policy!! If a person volunteers to work at 2 or more events OR does 4 hours or more on volunteer trail maintenance, the person can get a one-year membership. It cannot stack. If an existing member: gets a yearly renewal and if a non-member: gets a new membership for the year.

The Sno Barons Club donated \$750 to the OTHG ATV Club for Winter Riding.

January Potluck & ATV Trivia event was a smashing success!

The Emily-Blind Lake Trail counter recorded over 200,000 machines for 2023.

New Merch is coming!!

Check out our website for more news!

Media & Communications



Marketing

Clothing and merchandise can be ordered off our website and be shipped to you!

New ideas welcome!!

Want to see anything new with clothing or merchandise?? Feel free to send ideas to email below or join our committee.

Visit our Shop



Events

2024 Event Schedule was approved and posted to our website and Facebook page!!

NOTE: Time change for ALL monthly Club Meetings this year. Start time is now 9:30am @ Log Cabin Bar in Emily.

Plan ahead to join us and check back as we continue to add more!

Volunteers are needed and always welcomed!! If interested, let us know through the email below.

Check Out Our Events Calendar

Upcoming Events

April 1: Note date change!

Monthly OTHG meeting will be virtual from 6-7pm. Conference Call information: Call 605-313-5798, Access Code 3337593#

May 4: ATV Safety Training Class. 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. (The morningsession begins @ 8:30 am. Afternoon session begins @ 12:30 pm.)

Location: Crooked Lake Town Hall, 6300 Woods Bay Drive, Outing MN 56662 Pre-Registration:

Contact Cindy Thompson by email at cindythompson0203@gmail.com or mobile at 763-592-9330

(Additional course information will be sent after preregistering)

Cost: Hands-On Course \$0.00 – Sponsored by Over the Hills Gang ATV Club **May 5**: Monthly OTHG meeting will be on Sunday at Noon in Luscher's Park in

Outing. Picnic lunch will be provided and catered by Crooked Lake Cafe — Trail maintenance ATV ride to follow the meeting weather permitting.

Trail Updates



Winter Riding suspended until further notice on the Moose River Loops, spring closure in effect

Check the DNR site for closures due to logging and/or trail conditions.

Click here

Contact us if interested in helping: trailcoordinators@overthehillsgang.org

Grant Manager Report

Nothing new to report at this time



If you own an ATV, there will come a time when one of your friends wants to ride it. If that friend is between the ages of 16 to 36 years old as of July 1, 2023 they are required by law to have an ATV Safety Certificate.

They can get this by taking an online class. We also encourage EVERYONE to participate in one of the hands-on ATV Safety Certification classes offered by many ATV clubs around the state. OTHG ATV Club is one of them!!

ATV Safety Training Classes to be held Saturday, May 4th. See our website for additional information.

Watch the DNR website for additional classes and availability. MN DNR ATV Safety Class Schedule

Membership

Contact us if you would like to become a member!

New members are added to the newsletter mailings and will receive a welcome packet by the end of the month that they join. Included in the packet is a confirmation/welcome letter, Over The Hills Gang decal, a trail map, info on annual events and fun volunteer opportunities!

Trail repair volunteers that are not members are given a complimentary one-year membership. By becoming members they are also covered under the Club's insurance if injured working on the trail.

If you are a member and are not receiving the newsletter, please see contact information below.

Become a Member!

Contact Us: membership@overthehillsgang.org

Nominations

No new updates

Manage the collection of nominations for outgoing Club officers and Directors and recruit members for committees. The committee shall work under the oversight of the Secretary.

Committee members:

- 1. Becky Tuckenhagen
- 2. Dan Barrett
- 3. Kim Dylla
- 4. Mike Melberg
- 5. Rod Wegener

By-Laws

No new updates

Committee members:

- 1. Perry May
- 2. Tim Sink
- 3. David Thompson
- 4. Kim Dylla

Thank you to our Business Sponsors!!

Click on the link of the individual sponsors to be directed to their info/websites.

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Rod Wegner, Vice President: (term expires Oct 31, 2025)
Becky Tuckenhagen, Secretary: (term expires Oct 31, 2024)
Melissa Sink, Treasurer/Membership: (term expires Oct 31, 2025)
Mike Meelberg, Trail Coordinator #1, (term expires Oct 31, 2024)
Terry Sewill, Trail Coordinator #2: (term expires Oct 31, 2025)
Kent Korman, Trail Coordinator #3: (term expires Oct 31, 2025)
Perry May, Grant Manager: (term expires Oct 31, 2024)
Tim Sink, Director at Large: (term expires Oct 31, 2025)

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