

The Grant County Snowballers Club

The **Grant County Snowballers club** was formed in the late '60's primarily as a "racing" club. In fact, one of the original members, John Saunders, from Seneca and now in his 90's participated in a race a year ago! We are a Grant County based club representing about 70 families in the area. We can be reached through our web site grantcountysnowballers.com. or at PO Box 337, John Day, Or., 97845.

This year our president is Bob Phillips and the vice president is Monty Bond. Dave Hannibal is our grooming chairman and director at large for our district of the Oregon Snowmobile Association.

Our club has two grooming machines and we have more miles of groomed trails here in the county than any other county in the country! We have a great team of volunteer drivers that keep the trails open and safe for all the folks that like to experience our beautiful country during snow season.

Our primary mission is to provide training for new snowmobilers in the safe operation of their sleds, have fun activities for the group and provide a place to ride.

Each year we try to have a raffle for a rifle, a yard sale, and a poker run among other activities to help raise funds for our "giving" projects. We usually sponsor one or two kids for the summer 4-H camp at Logan Valley and adopt a deserving family at Christmas time to help with food, clothing and gifts. We also have had group visits to the care center in Prairie City and bring gifts for the seniors during the holidays.

