

# SNOWMAKING REPORT Volume 4, Number 3, Spring 2017



## **Special Events**

Trail Workday April 22 9-12

Summer Solstice
July 8

### SnowmakingCommittee

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### Snowmaking Preference Survey

The snowmaking committee reports that 56 donors surveyed via Survey Monkey and a special email returned the following preferences for the future of snowmaking at Lapham Peak.

36 of 56 want us to complete phase 3 of the snowmaking trails first. 24 of 56 voted for purchasing 3 new Kid Polecat or Polecat Standard snowguns second. Third and Fourth place are less definite with many wanting a snowcat storage facility for the present snowcat and a similar number wanting us to purchase a new snowcat. Finally, snowmaking expansion up two tier and down hoot owl came in last place. Before we can expand the trail to finish phase 3, we must have a Memorandum of Understanding with the DNR. Hopefully, talks will resume shortly or we may have to proceed with preference 2: new snow guns. At least we would have the ability to make snow faster and more efficiently next year. We will keep you posted.

### Charitable Donations

Thanks to many of you who have donated through your workplace or various charitable distribution opportunities, we have many more donations coming in. Please remember to designate Friends of Lapham Peak-SNOWMAKING as the designated beneficiary, not just the Friends of Lapham Peak. If that isn't possible, please email me at jmaki4@wi.rr.com and give me a "heads up" that you are donating through a new source. Many of you have done so and we thank you for the clarification. Otherwise, we may have to call you to confirm. Thanks for your attention to this.

# 2017 12th Annual Bike Swap

Thanks to hosts Theresa McDonald and Carol Doebler, the 11th annual Bike Swap was another success. Anne Riendl reports that once our expense of the custodian is paid, we will realize a profit of approximately \$2300. Note: Bikes on sale now at: <a href="http://www.bikeswap-laphampeakfriends.org/">http://www.bikeswap-laphampeakfriends.org/</a>



### Ski League and Loppet

Wow! Thanks to our loyal ski series participants and the extra care of the rangers, we were able to have the Lapham Loppet and all 7 of the Wednesday Night Ski Series events. All participants are donors to snowmaking. How much did we make this season?

Net profit \$4873.93