

NMBA Board Meeting

9/15/2014

Upcoming events:

September 21 — Trail work on Lower Trail. Meet at 2:00 at the shed.

October 4 — Take a Kid Mountain biking. Clay is working with Centre Region P&R to hold the event at Fairbrook Park.

- Matt will make sure to add the event to the NMBA insurance coverage.
- Looking for volunteers to spread the word
- Talk to shops about support—maybe bikes and/or helmets?

October 12 — Beginner Ride at Black Moshannon (Ho leading)

Other Business:

Fall Group ride—debating about holding on October 19 at Greenwood Furnace or November 9 at Tussey

Three piece folding tool purchase with McCloud and saw options. Exceeds \$200 limit, Neil will send out for board vote. Other Clubs find the tool incredibly useful.

The Public Hearing for the Pennsylvania Game Commission's proposal for charging user fees for non-hunting activities will be held on September 22 at 8:30AM. No NMBA members are attending (that I'm aware of); however, IMBA plans to attend.

Tom Kissler has been working with private land owners and will talk with DCNR to see what can be done to maintain use of existing Camp Trail.

Jersey Orders: Minimum order for VGear jersey orders is 10 (per color—orange or blue). Jerseys can be any made up of any combination of short sleeve, long sleeve, or sleeveless. No decision was made on number of jerseys to order.

we received the notice below via email today from Jacob Mazzei:

“Starting Monday, September 15, the Musser Gap parking area and trail, located in Ferguson Twp. Centre County, will be closed for trail maintenance work. This temporary closure will be in effect Monday through Thursday and is expected to last two weeks. This temporary closure is necessary to protect both the public and employees. The area will be gated and signs posted during periods of active operations. The maintenance staff of the Rothrock apologizes for this temporary inconvenience.”