

### August 2009 News Letter from Topsham Trailriders

Although we have had a lot of rain so far this year we have still been able to do trail work and do some great rides with many more things in the works

On June 7,2009 a group of us went up to The Top of the world ATV club in Concord VT. We had a great day with some of the folks there. They have some very good riding. We went from black top rd to goat mountain trails. I can't wait to go back for another ride



David Laflower President of the Topsham Trailriders thanking Lincoln Paquette the President from the Top of the World for a great day of riding

On the fourth of July we did the parade in East Corinth, VT. We had 12 members we had lots of fun.



Here are a few of us.

July 19,2009 a group of us went up to Harts field where we put up an off the clubhouse shelter to help keep the rain and sun off us. We fixed up some picnic tables and started painting them. Oh by the way we had some fun today. Some of the guys went out for a ride after we got things done as far as we could today.



Here the frame



Mark and Brandon working on picnic tables

We had to change the date for the scavenger hunt to August 1, 2009 because the good old weather man said we were going to get rain it was 95% chance of rain. Oh Boy was he wrong. We will be having 10 Raffles and a 50/50. We have things from a helmet to a pizza and lots of things in between to raffle off.



Larry Eastman from The Fast Squad rescue a check from the Topsham Trailriders first scavenger hunt to help pay for a battery for the defibrillator.

August 2, 2009 is the Mt Washington ride – All tickets will be on sale at base of the mountain and NOT in advance this year. You should be able to arrive as early as 8:00 am to participate. The Southern VT Trail Riders will be “catering” this event. They will have hotdogs; soda and chips for \$4.00 and you can buy additional items for \$1.00



Some of the view you will see on Mt Washington

August 9,2009 we have been invited by West Fairlee club to come riding from 11:00 to 4:00 and than have a cook out. At 5:30 we will be having our ATV's blessed at the West Fairlee Center Church. We will be passing the hat around to give to the church.

Please if you would like to go let me know so I can call West Fairlee to let them know how many are coming so they can have enough food.

A few of us are going to go up to Island Pond on August 15, 2009. If you would like to go with us please let Anah Tuttle know.

September 20,2009 will be our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Poker Run

September 27, 2009 will be our Landowner Dinner to show how much we appreciate them letting so use there land.