



## Our First Poker Run



♣ On September 26 Westshire ATV Club held the groups first Poker Run. ♥ What a great success! ♣ ♦ ♥ ♠

♥ We started out with a cold clear morning. A little chilly on those ATVs with the wind at your heels .But by the time the run started the sun was being most cooperative and it turned off to be a beautiful day!

Riders joined us all the way from the state of Connecticut. And is far away as Derby in VT, with a total of 35 riders. ♣ ♦ ♥ ♠

♠ Our members had a great time the week before finding spots to place different themes on the trails. This made added enjoyment for the riders especially the five children who participated .They were told at entry time that if they found all 9 of the themes such as welcome to Bear Notch and recorded them, their card would go into a special drawing, most riders did this. ♠ ♥ ♦ ♣

♦ The run was the total of about 16 miles and took nearly 2 hrs to complete driving at 15 miles per hour. ♦ ♠ ♥ ♣

♥ The local businesses were most generous and we had over 20 prizes to award in different categories. ♥ ♣ ♦

♣ Our club contributed the food sold at the end of the ride.

All profits went to the West Fairlee Food shelf here in the town of West Fairlee. We will be able to donate two large boxes of food plus over \$200.00 from the event. ♠ ♥ ♦ ♣

♦ The best part being that not only did we earn cash and food for a great cause but that everyone had a great time preparing for and participating in the event. ♦ ♣ ♥ ♠

♠ Many Thanks go out to all those club members who put forth an effort to make this happen! We hope this will become a annual event for our club and strongly suggest it to other clubs as a great fund raiser! ♠ ♦ ♥ ♣



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