



MEACHAM MEANDERER



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Bruce Johnson uses the loppers on Loppet!

NEW GROOMER FOR MEACHAM DIVIDE NORDIC AREA

Thank You Thank You THANK YOU!

Our new machine has arrived! In late January or early February we'll have a celebration at Meacham, and we'll roll the new groomer out for all to see. Many, many **club members** contributed, and we appreciate you all. You'll be receiving a letter of thanks for your donation in December, which can also serve as a receipt for your tax records.

The total cost of the machine was \$16,000, and we couldn't have met this goal without



The new groomer arrived in October

generous grants and donations from the many organizations (see sidebar).

Additionally, we wouldn't have received any of these grants if it weren't for the tireless efforts of **Steve Antell and Anne Greenlee**. They made the whole thing possible. If you see them on the trails this winter, stop them and give them an enormous hug!

CLUB MEMBERS COME OUT TO CLEAR TRAILS

Thanks to all club members who came out to widen the trails at Meacham on October 14th and again on October 21st. **Bruce Johnson, Steve Antell and a**

crew of 20 other club volunteers cut brush and readied the trails for our new machine. Great progress was made, and your efforts will be appreciated by

all members this winter as we enjoy the wider groomed trails.

Photos: Kent Coe

MEMBERSHIP FORM

Please complete the form and mail to:

BMNC, PO Box 2764

La Grande, Oregon 97850

Renewal Time

It's time to renew your yearly membership. Rates are the same this year as last. Memberships in BMNC help keep Meacham Divide Nordic Area groomed for skiers all winter. Check the website for conditions and upcoming events.

Name _____

Phone# _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____ (We'll send you regular club and grooming updates and we won't share your e-mail address).

Business memberships:

Individual/Family memberships:

\$1,000 Lifetime _____

\$75 Yearly Associate _____

\$250 Yearly _____

\$40 Yearly Family _____

\$100 Yearly _____

\$25 Yearly Individual _____

Can we call you to help with fall trail maintenance? Yes / No

Questions? Anne March, President BMNC, amarch@eoni.com

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