

My questions/scenario posed to AWSC:

Hi Sue,

At our last meeting, a few (or many, LOL) questions came up that didn't seem to be addressed in prior information released to clubs. So after re-reviewing the AWSC site, the printed info flyers from the AWSC office, and the DNR website, here's the ones that didn't seem to have clear answers, or at least that I could find:

1) How is the AWSC membership number going to be tied into the DNR website? Meaning, do members just give their name to the DNR trail pass site when they are trying to buy their passes, or will they need to provide the actual number?

2) For paid AWSC memberships that are in the name of a husband and wife (what our club calls a family membership), are both the husband and the wife able to buy the discounted trail pass? As the FAQ's read, the paid member can buy one trail pass for every sled they have registered. Here's where it seems to get confusing....is the name that is registered on the sled the only one that can get the discounted pass and does that name need to be the only name on the AWSC membership? I will give you an actual scenario so you can answer this question.

- AWSC membership no. xxxxxx is for Kevin and Linda Roon
- AWSC membership no. xxxxxx is for Travis Roon (our son)
- We have 4 sleds registered with the WI DNR
- Registration on 2 of them: Kevin Roon listed first and then Linda Roon listed on the next line, as the second but joint owner
- Registration on the other 2: Linda Roon listed first and then Kevin Roon listed on the next line, as the second but joint owner
- Travis is 22, wants to support our club and AWSC but none of our sleds are registered in his name

Can only Kevin get the discounted trail pass for the 2 sleds that have him as first name on the registration, and I cannot for my 2 sleds on the registration, or will the DNR trail pass sites see both names on the DRN registration and the AWSC membership?

And here's AWSC's reply:

Hi Linda – We've been fielding a lot of questions on the trail pass and I really hope this helps. If not, please send another email or give us a call.

Question 1: First off, the DNR does not sell the \$10 discounted trail pass. The \$10 discounted trail pass can ONLY be purchased through the AWSC office the following ways:

1. Ordering online at www.awsc.org with a credit card
2. Mailing in an order form with payment
3. Calling the AWSC office and placing an order with a credit card
4. Walking into the office and placing an order

Members will need to list their AWSC ID# when they apply for the discounted trail pass; the AWSC office will verify their membership in the Association.

Question 2: As long as Kevin and Linda Roon are married and current in the AWSC, it doesn't matter who is listed first or second on the snowmobile registrations. You would be eligible to get 4 trail passes.

Because Travis doesn't have a sled registered in his name, we don't really need to worry about him. However, he is not covered under your family membership because he is over the age of 19 so he is only eligible for the accidental death and dismemberment policy and get the Wisconsin Snowmobile News because of his own membership. Were he to purchase a sled and registered it under his name, he would be eligible for the discounted \$10 trail pass because he is a member of the AWSC.