



Hello everyone,

We thought we would keep you in the loop by giving you an update on what has happened, what is happening and what will be happening.

### **1. Santa Parade**

We will be participating in the Christmas parade on December 7. We will meet at Selkirk College at 6:15 p.m. We will be handing out candy for the children. If you can put light on your quad or decorate please do so.

### **2. New Horizons for Seniors Project**

Seniors Play Day was held on October 20 at the old motocross site above Grand Forks. There were guest speakers including Don Frew, the west Kootenay representative. Gordon Galloway, BC ATV chief safety officer, gave a safety demonstration on using quads. A group ATV ride was taken to Lost Lake. Delicious refreshments provided by Mrs. B & B's were available. The event was well attended and quite a success. There is a great article in the BC ATV newsletter this month,

### **3. Partnership Agreement with Parks and Recreation**

We entered into an agreement with Parks and Recreation to maintain the following sites: Granby Burrell, Gable Creek, St. Anne's Meadow, Howe Creek, Bluejoint Creek and 28 Mile Flats. The sites would be visited once a month from June to September and Bluejoint site will be the main staging area for club trips. One of the first things to do is develop a sign for 28 Mile Bridge Kiosk and the Kiosk at Blue Joint Camp ground. The club is also looking at developing unloading areas for both locations. Loading and unloading is one of the leading causes of accidents.

### **4. Maps:**

Maps are being made for the new kiosks located at 28 Mile Flats and Bluejoint Creek. These maps are metal and measuring 2' x 3' and will have a finish that will make them graffiti proof.

Map booklets are also being developed and will be available for sale sometime in the new year. Price not yet determined.

These map projects to be completed by March 31, 2013

### **5. Fall Fair Days**

We participated in the parade. An ATV Rodeo was held by the club. Several members participated and put on a good show.

### **6. Upcoming Events**

\*Spring Reverse Draw again in May.

\*Quaders Fun Night in February: showing of GFATV Club DVD, guest speakers, prize draws, information session and much more. Location and date to be announced.

**Cody, Doug, Jim and Pat wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and lots of love and laughter with family and friends during the Yuletide and best wishes for only good things in 2013.**