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BENTON COUNTY SNOWMOBILE CLUB

Well, we made it to the official beginning of the 2024/2025 season! The lyrics to one of Russel Watson's songs comes to mind: "It's been a long road, getting from there to here; it's been a long time, but my time is finally near!" And it is! After last season, it IS our time to shine, and have a little fun. We all had a good time at the Landowner's Appreciation Banquet and Fundraising Event. Our team really puts the fun in fundraising. People are like "Just take my money, please!" Thank you to all who showed up to help. Maybe we can start tentatively planning some snowmobiling trips? We are in a La Niña climate event. What that generally means for our state, is that the deepest snow ends up in the Northwestern part of the state. One of my favorite sledding trips was the Northwest Angle trip a few years back. We rented an entire cabin pretty cheaply, and there were several restaurants within walking distance. That was sick! So much fun and camaraderie, all staying in the same place. Remember the next big event is the Youth Safety Training on January 11th at the groomer shed, starting at 9 am sharp. The second big event is the MNUSA Rendezvous held in Bemidji Mn, on February 6-9. Get your registration sent in before the end of the month to qualify for some pretty steep discounts. ALWAYS be thinking ahead, and don't wait for the last minute on anything, esp. snowmobiling!