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Darin Stegelmeier assists his sons in shooting a 22 rifle at one of six stops on the trail. Awards are handed out to the winning shooters the evening of the event to the pee wee, youth, adult women and adult men divisions.

Moody Powder Pushers host 21st annual Scoot and Shoot

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REXBURG — The Moody Powder Pushers Snowmobile Club is hosting its 21st annual Scoot and Shoot fundraising event on the Rexburg Bench on the edge of the forest Jan. 15.

Moody Powder Pushers is a nonprofit organization that performs service projects pertaining to the sport of snowmobiling. With the money raised from the Scoot and Shoot event, the club is able to keep performing their services and donate money to the scholarship fund for the Idaho Snowmobiling Association.

The Scoot and Shoot started as a small club in Ashton wanting to have a fun snowmobiling day and has grown into the Scoot and Shoot event.

"It's a family fun day where you get to ride your snowmobile around a groomed trail," said Clint Hansen, president of the Moody Powder Pushers Snowmobile Club.

Along the trail are stops where riders are able to shoot guns at targets of varying distances.

Scoot and Shoot

Registration: at the AmericInn, Friday 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to noon.

Racing begins at the trail (Rexburg Bench): 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

At the first stop, participants will be able to shoot shot guns. The next four stops, participants will shoot .22 rifles, and the last stop will be sling shots. At each stop, the guns are provided as well as darts. Participants may shoot guns, throw darts or do both if they choose.

The different stops are ran by club members and local organizations.

To be able to participate in the shooting and throwing darts portion of the event, shooting cards must be purchased. Participants may purchase as many cards as desired.

There are four divisions participants may register for, pee wee, youth, adult women and adult men.

Prizes are awarded to the winners of the events on Saturday evening at the AmericInn. There will also be a raffle. Prizes have been donated by vendors and local businesses.

This year there will be some Klim snowmobiling gear awarded in both children and adult sizes.

Registration for the event will be in the lobby of the AmericInn and will begin on Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. and continue Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon.

Participants may start the trail at 8 a.m. and must be to the first stop by 1 p.m. The goal is to have everyone through the six stops by 4 p.m.

"(We) just want to invite people out to have a good time," Hansen said.

For more information, call Clint Hansen at 709-6350.



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