

EASTER SEALS CAMP SNO-MO
SNOWMOBILE SAFETY EDUCATION WEEKEND
FRIDAY JANUARY 8 THROUGH SUNDAY JANUARY 10, 2009

- WHO:** Children over the age of 12 and their parents. The Fish and Game Department and the NHSA Safety Awareness Committee developed the idea to conduct a Snowmobile Safety Education Class, which is required for all children over the age of 12, but with a new and interesting twist. Join the fun and make a weekend out of it, but with this class both parents must attend.
- HOW:** Class space is limited; so if you are interested here is what you must do to be chosen for this great opportunity. Since the weekend is promoting safety education it is mandatory for both the parents to attend with their children. The child must submit a maximum 200 word essay. The essay must explain the importance of Safety Education and why the child thinks it is important for their parents to attend this class with them. Submit their entry to either the NHSA Office by fax or email, 603-273-0218, NHSAoffice@nhsaoffice.com or to NH Fish and Game, 603-271-8859, OHRV@wildlife.nh.gov with your parents name, address and phone number.
- WHERE:** Camp Sno-Mo located at the Hidden Valley Boy Scout Reservation in Gilman Iron Works will be the setting for this new and exciting safety education class. The staff at Camp Sno-Mo and Easter Seals New Hampshire wanted to give back to the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association and offer the facilities for a snowmobile safety related activity.
- COST:** This is the best part, the cost is absolutely free.
- AGENDA:** **CHECK IN TIME** will be **Friday** evening at approximately 5:00 pm. There will be an ice breaker introductory dinner of pizza. The Instructors will outline the plans for the weekend and provide some introductory safety education lessons with a lot of group discussion about the importance of safety education. **Saturday** after breakfast the safety education lessons will continue focusing on riding techniques, planning a ride. By mid morning we will embark on a practical experience application of the previous lessons with a ride on the local trails. Lunch will be somewhere on the trail. Upon our return to the camp we will review the important topics and the lessons of the day over a relaxing dinner. **Sunday** after breakfast you will have the opportunity to prove to us the lessons of the weekend with a final written examination, which is required for certification, and an optional practical examination, another trail ride. The class will end with lunch and the possibility of exchanging contact information with the people you met throughout the weekend with possible plans to get together for another ride.

The most important consideration is space is limited; if you have any siblings who are younger than 12 plans must be made for them to spend the weekend with Grandma and Grandpa or their favorite Aunt and Uncle.