

# Welcome to Watercross 2008

We look forward to seeing you at the 2008 World Championship Snowmobile Watercross on July 18, 19, and 20th. Thank you for paying for your site(s) in advance. The campground you are staying at is noted on your sheet with a letter and number. **No refunds are given on camping cancellations after July 8th.** Enclosed is your camping receipt, a map and information on the events, rules and details. The IWA Drag heat races begin on Friday at 1 pm and race until Sunday late afternoon. The Vintage sled races will begin about 5 pm Friday and race until the start of the street dance.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Campground: \_\_\_\_\_ Site (s): \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE READ ALL OF THIS!

## Campgrounds

- 1. Fairgrounds camping (FG)**- check in located ¼ mile south of the stop light intersection of Highway 70 and Highway 48-87 (approximately 8 blocks from the event). A shuttle bus will run 12:00 am to 1:00 am on Friday, 7:00 am to 1:00 am on Saturday, and 7:00 am; making trips about every 30 minutes. The family camping area quiet time is at 10:00 pm. The rest of the camping quiet time is at 1:00 am. Shower facilities are located in the bathrooms.
- 2. Memory Lake camping (M)** – check in at Olson Drive and Russell Street. Camping is on Memory Lake in downtown Grantsburg. Quiet time is at 1:00 am
- 3. Park Street camping (PS)** – check in is at W. Jackson Street and North Park Street. Camping is located adjacent to Memory Lake on the north side. Quiet time is at 1:00 am
- 4. Racers' camping (R)** – check in is at W. Jackson Street and North Park Street. Camping is located adjacent to Memory Lake on the west side. Quiet time is at 1:00 am

**For all campsites:** An attendant or security personnel will check-in campers. You will need your confirmation sheet and/or receipt of payment. One Watercross vehicle permit will be issued at check-in and must be displayed on your vehicle's mirror. Additional vehicles must be parked in the overflow lot near Memory Lake, next to the Laundromat or at the Fairgrounds. There is only one sleeping unit and one vehicle allowed per camp site. Drive slowly through the campgrounds and keep vehicle movement to a minimum. All campgrounds will be monitored by security and police-patrolled.

**Breakfasts:** Scrambled eggs, ham, pancakes, milk, juice and coffee breakfast will be served Saturday and Sunday at the Fairgrounds for an anticipated fee of \$7 for all ages. It will be served from 7:00 am to 10:00 am. The shuttle bus will provide transportation to and from the Fairgrounds for breakfast.

**Arrivals:** You are free to arrive any time after 8:00 am on Thursday, July 17<sup>th</sup>; unless pre-approved with the camping directors. If you come earlier, the portable toilet facilities may not be available.

**Departures:** You must depart by Monday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 am. Please clean your campsite and deposit your litter in the containers provided.

## Campfires

The WI DNR has stated no one is allowed to bring fire wood across state lines due to diseased trees in the surrounding states. No kidding! We will have campfire wood available to purchase for \$3 per bundle or \$5 for 2 bundles. Campfires are only allowed in elevated campfire rings with enclosed bottoms. Elevated campfire rings are available to rent for \$10.00 for the weekend. We have a limited supply of rings so get one early; you don't even have to clean it. All campfires will be subject to weather conditions and DNR approval.

## Admission Charges

Wristbands for the event can be purchased at all gates. The 3-day pass wristband covers all days of racing and admission to Friday and Saturday night street dances.

Adult 3-day pass (ages 16 and over) .....	\$20
Adult One day (ages 16 and over) .....	\$12
Friday night dance only (admission begins at the end of the races).....	\$5
Youth 3-day pass or One day (ages 10-15).....	\$12
Children ages 9 & under .....	Free

### **Vintage Snowmobile Club of America**

We are pleased to host the VSCA at the 2008 Watercross. Several classic and antique snowmobiles will be on public display at no charge. Please feel free to view the snowmobiles and visit with the owners. Please do not touch or sit on the snowmobiles. The VSCA will be located near the northeast section of the spectator area.

### **Two Great Bands**

There will be street dances on Friday and Saturday night starting at 8:00 pm. The Key Stone with Brittany Lee [www.keystone-country.com](http://www.keystone-country.com) band will be performing rock-country music on Friday night. The Brat Pack Radio [www.bratpackradio.com](http://www.bratpackradio.com) band will be playing 80's music on Saturday night. The Brat Pack Radio performance will be interrupted for the fireworks display at dusk. They will resume playing when the fireworks end.

### **Watercross Fireworks**

Thanks to the support of the fireworks boosters, listed in the Watercross program, we are able to provide one of the best fireworks displays. The spectacular fireworks display over Memory Lake will occur at dusk on Saturday evening. We welcome any donations you can contribute to the fireworks fund by helping fill the donation buckets that are passed at the end of the fireworks.

### **Medical Help**

Qualified ambulance personnel are on hand during the Watercross event to treat any situation that may arise. If you require medical assistance during the Watercross, please notify Security personnel, watercross staff, or the Command Center. Burnett Medical Center and Hospital is only a few blocks from Memory Lake.

### **Carry-On Coolers**

**Carry-on coolers with alcohol and soda pop are not allowed.** Coolers containing ice and/or beverages for infants or young children will be allowed. **Coolers will be checked at all gates leading into the spectator areas.** We encourage you to purchase food, beverages, and other treats from our concession stands in order to support the many community organizations helping host the Watercross event.

### **Rules**

**Pets are not allowed** in the campgrounds or at the spectator area except for seeing-eye dogs for the sight-impaired. **No fireworks, firearms, assault items, bicycles, scooters, ATVs, or remote-controlled toys will be allowed.** Security has the right to remove any item that they deem offensive to neighboring campers or spectators. **Umbrellas or shelters are not allowed** due to spectator space limitations. Please do not play loud music at your campsite. **ID's will be checked and underage drinking of alcohol will be enforced by the Police.** There are no refunds in case of inclement weather. Please use common sense and enjoy our event without disrupting others. We reserve the right to evict anyone who does not comply with the rules.

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