

Trail Riding Safety Reminders

- Warmer weather brings more riders on the trail. Slow at blind corners and when meeting on the trails.
- Dust impairs vision and obscures obstacles normally seen. When group riding, spread out and minimize the dust.
- Never ride right behind someone.
- When crossing the bridges keep your speed at or below 5 mph and only one rider on the bridge at a time.
- When meeting walkers, bike riders or horseback riders on the trail, slow and yield the right-of-way as a gesture of courtesy.
- Helmets, goggles, gloves, boots are highly recommended for all to wear while riding. ALL children under 16 years old must wear a helmet. No exceptions. Helmets are available at the Hoghouse.
- Stay on the trail. Failure to stay on approved trails will result in the entire club losing trail privileges.
- Have a good time!!

Riding Around The Hoghouse and New Hartford City Streets

- Operating ATV's on Roads and Highways (Iowa Law):
 - A person shall not operate an all-terrain vehicle or off-highway motorcycle upon roadways or highways (including the ditch area) except as provided in section 321.234A (agriculture exception) or on a designated and signed trail approved by the county board of *supervisors*.
- Although not approved by the Co. Board of Directors, Beaver Creek ATV Club members are allowed to drive to the local Kwik Star for gas and snacks. This means to and from and no extra hot laps.
- Speed is not to exceed 15 mph on city streets and is recommended at 10 mph.
- Failure to abide by the speed limit will ruin it for everyone!
- Riding double is against the law and you will be fined \$300 or higher.
- There are several families with children that reside near the Hoghouse. The speed limit in this area is 10 mph or less. All children have the right of way!
- When riding around the Hoghouse, keep speeds at or below 10 mph.