



## Portage County IATA Chapter

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**Volunteer Hours are due April 2, 2015.**

**Spring Meeting: February 24, 2015 4-6 p.m.**

**County Annex Bldg. off Arlington Street, Room 1**

Agenda: Annual meeting, Officer elections, Hartman Creek Mobile Skills project

### ***Executive Board Nominations:***

Chapter Coordinator: Julie Schneider

Treasurer and Trail Maintenance Coordinator: Marty Wacker

Webmaster: Ron Harris

Landowner Relations: Alan Haney and Bob Freckmann

Events Coordinator: Ruth Sommers

Volunteer Coordinator: Jean Klein

Newsletter: Lora Hagen

### ***Hartman Creek Mobile Skills project:***

Tim Malzhan and Brad Cary from the IAT headquarters in Cross Plains will give a presentation about the Mobile Skills Project planned for Hartman Creek this fall.

## UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR

**February 15, 1-4 PM:** Snowshoe Hike at Emmons Creek (rescheduled from January) Meet at the parking lot along Stratton Lake Road at 1:00 PM. (Take highway 54 to Portage County Highway D, one mile west of the Waupaca County line; drive south on D for 2.5 miles and where D turns west, continue south and east on Stratton Lake Road 1.5 miles to the parking area at the Ice Age Trail head). We have three options for the hike: north to Hartman Creek State Park, south to Second Avenue, or south and west following the Far-away-valley loop of the Ice Age Trail. All three trails are about 3 miles. We will decide by hike time based on weather and trail conditions.

For more information or in case of dangerous road conditions or severe weather, call Bob Freckmann, 715-344-0686.

**March 10, 4:30-5:30 PM:** Reception to celebrate Sally Freckmann's retirement and years of service to the IAT.

Gallery Q, 1108 Main Street, Stevens Point WI 54481

*Mark Balhorn, trail maintenance volunteer for the Emmons Creek Road to Hartmann Creek Park boundary, takes a break after cutting a downed tree at the beginning of January.*



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