

On this day, we honor the lives lost and the heroes who rose on **September 11, 2001**. We remember the strength, unity, and resilience that followed. Whether you're on the trails or at home, we hope you take a moment to reflect on what we were then and pay tribute.

"All gave some. Some gave all."



AUTUMN IS TIPTOEING IN

The calendar says fall, even if the temps still feel like summer in the afternoon. You might spot a few golden leaves along the trail, but for now, it's dry, dusty, and perfect for long rides. Enjoy the grip while it lasts—mud season will be here soon enough.

Upcoming Riding Restrictions

As hunting season approaches, please be aware of riding limitations:

NO RIDING BEFORE 9:00 AM FROM OCTOBER 4, 2025 - JANUARY 19, 2026

NO RIDING BEFORE 9:00 AM ON SUNDAYS FROM OCTOBER 5 – DECEMBER 7, 2025

Special Restrictions:

No riding until NOON

Saturday, October 4 – Deer (Archery) Saturday, October 18 – Black Bear & Deer

No riding ALL DAY

Thursday, October 23 – Deer (Junior/Senior) Monday, November 24 – Black Bear Saturday, November 29 – Deer (Buck) Saturday, December 13 – Deer (Buck)

Please check gate signage and plan your rides accordingly.

October 26th RORR Hard Enduro Race -Trails Closure to TBA

Fri Partly Cloudy 79° F | 53° F Sat Scattered Sunshine 82° F | 54° F Sun Sunny 83° F | 56° F

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NEED THE LOCKBOX

Combo for the gates?

Call the office at 570.682.1075 and give the following info:

- **Member Number
- **Member Name
- **Campsite Address

RIDING OR NON-RIDING ALL GUESTS MUST BE SIGNED IN UPON ARRIVAL! THE GUEST WAIVER IS ON THE OUTSIDE OFFICE WALL 24/7.



NEXT GUIDED GROUP RIDE

Saturday, September 20 Kickoff at 10:30 AM

Join us for a guided group ride through some of RCTR's best trails. All skill levels welcome—just bring your rig, your gear, and your trail spirit. Meet at the pavilion by 10 AM for check-in and trail briefing.



The **Coal Cracker Smacker** is a high-intensity Hard Enduro event set to challenge even the most seasoned riders. Taking place on rugged sections of **Trail 1 and Trail 6** near the **Rausch Creek Gap Street office**, this race blends the technical precision of trials with the endurance demands of cross-country riding. Competitors will face steep climbs and unforgiving terrain designed to push both rider and machine to their limits. The event will span several hours, testing stamina, skill, and mental toughness.

During the race, portions of the trails will be closed to general riding, but staff will be on hand to direct spectators to prime viewing spots—so whether you're racing or watching, you'll be right in the heart of the action.

Stay tuned for final maps, rider lists, and spectator tips!

OCTOBER 11 HALLOWEEN BASH

OCTOBER 12 RORR DUAL SPORT

OCTOBER 26 RORR HARD ENDURO

NOVEMBER 1 FALL FOLIAGE RIDE

> NOVEMBER 15 TURKEY FEAST



2025 EVENT SCHEDULE

LOCAL TO DOS

Every Friday afternoon and evening, Crossroads Farmer's Market, Route 25 between Gratz and Berrysburg

**The Gratz Fair: agricultural & horticultural exhibits, queen contest, harness racing, carnival, entertainment—September 14-20

**Craft Fair @ Hegins Park— September 20

**Sept 6-7 Schwartz's Farms Opening Weekend Crafters & Vendors; Good Spring Road Hegins

**Saturday Bands @ Valley View Park 7pm

TIP OF THE DAY

Happy National Chocolate Milkshake Day! September 12 is the perfect excuse to indulge in one of the most iconic sweet treats around.

Whether you like yours thick and rich, topped with whipped cream, or blended with extras like peanut butter, Oreos, or espresso—today's all about celebrating the creamy, chocolatey goodness that's been a diner staple for nearly a century.

FUN WAYS TO CELEBRATE:

DIY Shake: Blend chocolate ice cream, milk, and a splash of chocolate syrup. Bonus points for toppings!

Local Treat: Swing by your favorite ice cream shop or diner and ask for their best chocolate shake.

Trailrider Twist: After a dusty ride, cool down with a frosty shake—because chocolate tastes even better after adventure.

Chocolate milkshakes first gained popularity in the 1920s, and they've never gone out of style. So go ahead—sip, slurp, and celebrate!