

HF - Sports &amp; Recreation

## Preparing the trails for a busy weekend



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Weldon Lewis, front, and Brian Tingley groom the snow as they ride through the Riverview Cross Country Ski Club trails after Wednesday's dumping of snow. The club, going on its 30th year, is maintained and operated by the pair, Brian since its opening in 1981, and Weldon since 1967.



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Brian Tingley removes frozen snow and ice from the machine dragged behind the snowmobile to create grooves for the skiers.

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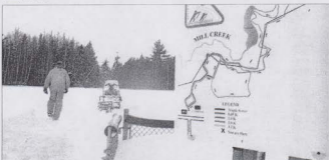
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Brian Tingley and Weldon Lewis plan their trail-grooming strategy at the Riverview Cross-Country Ski Club's trails. See photo feature/NEWS A8.



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After getting stuck in the snow, Brian Tingley helps Weldon Lewis right his grooming machine along a trail.



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Showing the Riverview Cross Country Ski Club trails map, Brian Tingley walks out to his snowmobile to continue grooming the trails.



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Brian Tingley started the Riverview Cross Country Ski Club in 1981 in Riverview's Bridgedale area.



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Brian Tingley takes a moment and listens for Weldon Lewis' snowmobile, to see if he has gotten stuck anywhere along the trail while grooming.



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Brian Tingley creates grooves in the freshly groomed snow for skiers to follow.



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