

# Ride Journal

## Sage Hen Clean-up — Emmett & Boise Chapters

### June 1 & 2, 2007

**Ride Leaders: Ray Ingram, Emmett & Bill Jones, Boise**

**Photos: Bill & Pauline Jones**

About fifteen members of the Emmett and Boise Chapters attended the clean-up on the Sage Hen trail system on Friday, June 2 and Saturday, June 3. The members trimmed brush out of the trails, cut out fallen trees or the trails, repaired bridges and built water troughs in the road to remove the water build-up.



Many of the members made it a campout weekend and stayed at the Antelope Swale campground. Some of the Boise group stayed across the road at the campground near the lake.



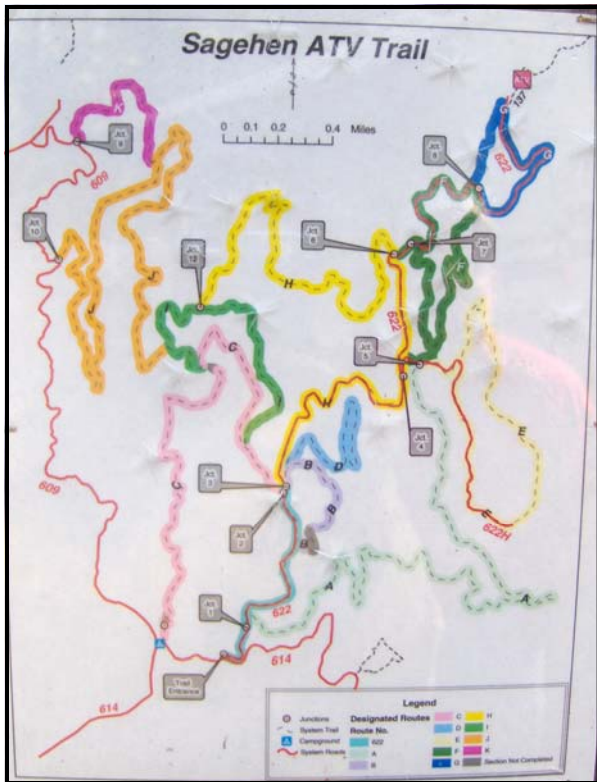
*Sagehen Creek — Inlet*

Some members came as early as Tuesday and staying later.

Sage Hen Reservoir is on Tripod Mountain west of Smiths Ferry and north of Ola. The Reservoir was built by the CCCs around 1930s to provide water for the Ola and Sweet area. As you can see on the map there are



*The Reservoir Dam*



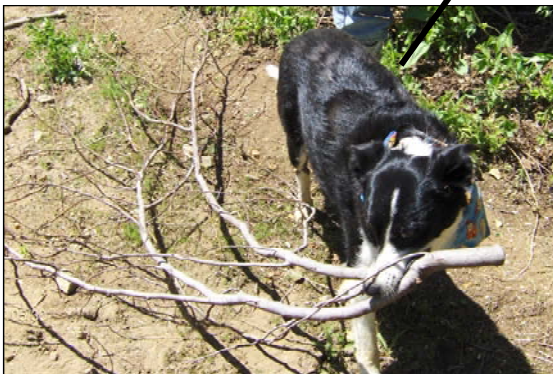
many roads and trails to keep clean with the Sagehen ATV Trail system.



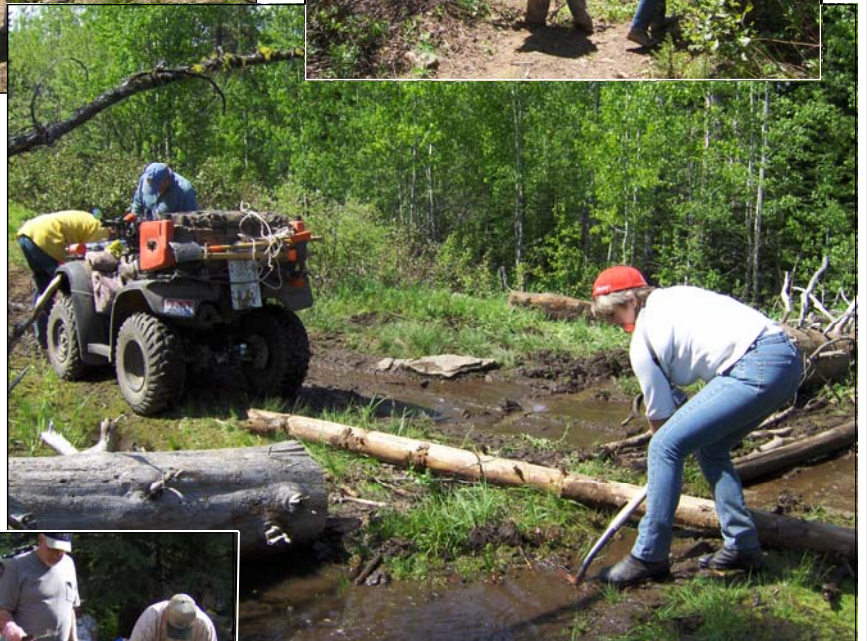


It was perfect weather for cleaning trails—cool in the morning; however, it warmed up in the after-  
noons, especially if you were on the sunny side of the hill. We came back to camp around 2:30 p.m.  
to avoid heat strokes and exhaustion.

*If you have never been to Sage Hen, it is a great place to ride.*



*Lilly was helping to remove brush from the trails!*



*Marijo digging a trench to release the water!*



Saturday evening, the Emmett ladies prepared pork spare ribs and they were yummy. Everyone brought a side dish to go along with the ribs. Good food and good friends, what could be any better! — *Pauline Jones*