

## 2014 Chapter Officers

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## Upcoming Events

**Dec 11:** Christmas Party at Hoff's  
Rainbow Ranch Hangar – 6 p.m.  
social hour and 7 p.m. dinner

**Jan 8:** Chapter Meeting 7:00-9:00  
p.m. at the South Room of the Idaho  
Falls Activity Center, 1575 North  
Skyline Dr., Idaho Falls

**Feb 26-28:** 77th Annual VMCCA  
Membership Meeting & Awards  
Banquet in Corpus Christi, TX.  
Contact Pat or Jamie Crandall, 281-  
468-6175 or patandjamie@hughes.net

## Christmas Party – December 11



Come join us for the Eastern Idaho VMCCA Christmas Banquet on Thursday, December 11 at Hoff's Rainbow Ranch Hangar, 10623 S. Hoff Lane, Idaho Falls (see map on page 3). Please bring a unisex gift for exchange and dust off your Pinewood Derby cars for a friendly race. We will have two classes – traditional cars and unlimited cars.

Social hour starts at 6 p.m. and dinner begins at 7 p.m. Dinner is \$21 per person. Please RSVP to Darla Hoff at 521-9094 or Dawn Schwartzberger 523-6384



Assignments/Reminder

**Activities**

December – Christmas Banquet – Darla Hoff

**Treats**

December – Christmas Banquet

For Sale or Wanted

The chapter has an **electric flattop grill** of restaurant quality that is no longer used regularly, so we want to offer it for sale to chapter members in case someone can use it. If no chapter members are interested, we will offer it to the general public. Please contact Dawn Schwartzberger at 523-6384 for more details.

Wanted: body parts for 1952 Chevy Hardtop (doors, hood, trunk lid). Contact Yale Harker at 523-9274.

Lynn Saxton in Pocatello has the following cars for sale:

- 1956 Cadillac convertible with 365 ci engine, red with white top, power everything, continental kit, 14,035 miles on new engine.

- 1958 Edsel Pacer convertible with 361 ci engine, black with white top, 3 speed manual, continental kit, 27,945 miles on new engine.

- 1928 Model A with pickup bed on back, engine rebuilt.

Contact Lynn at 237-2599 for more information.

Questions on the newsletter? Contact Jeff Pack, Newsletter Editor at [jpack@pintlar.com](mailto:jpack@pintlar.com) or 552-1264. Eastern Idaho website is at <http://www.eivmcca.org>

Food Drive for the Idaho Foodbank

Diane and Mark Schwartzberger are leading another food drive for the Idaho Foodbank. The Foodbank serves several thousand people in our area that are unable to provide enough food for their families, so all donations are greatly appreciated.

Last year, the chapter provided 30 cans of food and helped make the Christmas season more enjoyable for several families, as well as raising awareness about our club in the local newspaper.



We would like to double our donation this year. If each attendee brings two canned food items to the Christmas Party, this should allow us to reach the goal. Diane and Mark will deliver the donations to the Foodbank on behalf of the chapter.



Several chapter members enjoying treats before hitting the road in the 2015 Pumpkin Daze Membership Drive.

## President's Message

Friends and Club Members,

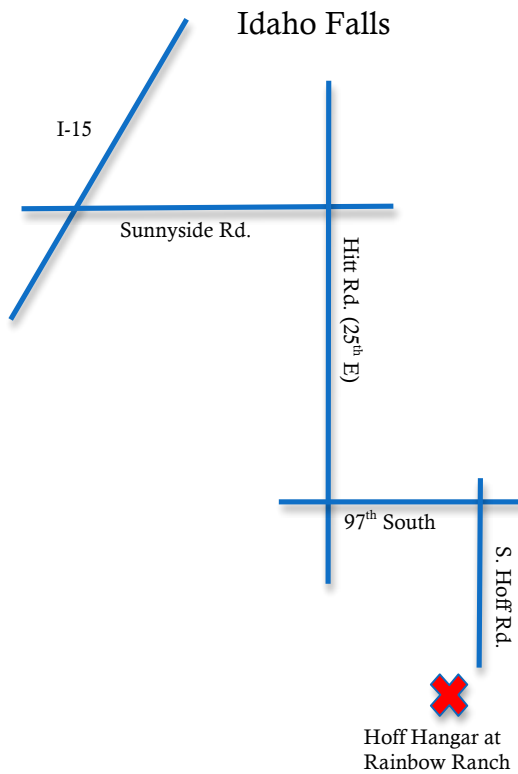
Hope you all had a Happy Thanksgiving. Clyde and I are thankful for your friendship and fellowship for this past year.

2014 is winding down in a flurry of holiday activities with family and friends and we hope to see you on the 11<sup>th</sup> for the VMCCA Christmas party. Right now we are in San Diego, on our way to see Mickey Mouse before we head to Idaho to see you guys. While we were here I got a chance to see the Mecham Classic Car auction. 'Be still my heart'.

Drive safe this holiday season,

Larry

## Map to Hoff Hangar for Christmas Party



## In Memoriam - Egon Lamprecht

Egon Lamprecht passed away on November 22, 2014. The following is from his memorial service:



Egon Lamprecht – June 8, 1935 to November 22, 2014

Describe this gentle guy. His favorite fragrances were gasoline, oil and grease. Anything that involved a motor – not necessarily in working condition – delighted him. A rusting frame gave him a reason to dismantle, analyze, reapi

and then stand back and admire. Enter a shop filled with parts and he glowed.

He was a busy guy – always finding projects needing his expertise. He joyfully helped friends. Nothing was more important than



helping others, especially if it involved gasoline, oil and grease. He had to be of service to people. Friends benefitted always from Egon's gift of gab and repair.

Many will look around their homes and find places and objects he made whole. Close, everlasting relationships were formed from his desire to help.



Egon's smile lives in the memories of all who knew him.



# 77<sup>th</sup> Annual VMCCA Membership Meeting

## 77<sup>th</sup> Annual VMCCA Membership Meeting & Awards Banquet



### Join us for fun & meetings!

- Welcome dinner at Hotel Thursday evening
- Tour the USS Lexington- Aircraft Carrier at Battle of Midway
- Great Seafood!
- Texas State Aquarium
- Historic Ocean Drive

*The Sparkling City by  
the Sea*

**Corpus Christi,  
Texas**

*Sun and Fun  
location for  
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### Host Hotel

Holiday Inn, Downtown Marina

- Heated indoor/outdoor pool
- All rooms have an ocean view
- Telephone 361-882-1700
- Ask for Block Code "VMC"
- \$112 per room
- Cutoff date 2/05/15
- Discounted parking \$5