

2012 Chapter Officers

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Upcoming Events

Jun 14: Chapter Meeting 7:00-9:00 PM @ the South Room of the Idaho Falls Activity Center, 1575 North Skyline Dr., Idaho Falls

Jun 16-17: EI VMCCA Swap Meet & Car Show, Tautphaus Park Hockey Shelter, Idaho Falls Sat. 8 AM-6 PM, Sun. 9 AM-4 PM.

Jun 16: Pizza's Run Car Show, Soda Springs City Park. Contact Sharon, 208-547-2426

Jun 21-25: VMCCA National Chrome Glidden Tour. Billings, MT. Contact Greg & Deb Childs, 406-628-2345

Swap Meet and Car Show

Our annual Father's Day Swap Meet and Car Show is a great way to meet other car enthusiasts and also support our chapter. Contact Larry or Lynn below for volunteer opportunities or for final booths or car for sale slots.

Eastern Idaho Chapter V.M.C.C.A. 34th Annual

SWAP MEET & CAR SHOW

June 16th & 17th, 2012
Saturday 8-6, Sunday 9-4

Tautphaus Park Hockey Shelter
Idaho Falls, ID



**Car Show Sunday
Free Admission**

For more information
or reservations call
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New chapter website at
<http://www.eivmcca.org>

Assignments/Reminders

Activities

Jun – Swap Meet – Larry Christian
 Jul –
 Aug - Back Road Tour - James & Jane
 Sep - Market Lake - Marty
 Oct - 17th Apple Squeeze - Brian
 Nov - Pumpkin Daze Membership - Judyth & Joy
 Dec - E I Christmas Dinner – Joy

Treats

Jun – Doug & Rhonda
 Jul - Larry Christian & Ike Ikard
 Aug - Brian & Deb
 Sep - Yale & Bonnie
 Oct - Rich & Joy
 Nov - Gary & Dawn
 Dec - Christmas Party

Future Events

Jun 21-24: Cool Classic Nights and Rusty Nuts Swap Meet and Car Corral, Twin Falls City Park. Contact 326-4541 (cruises) and Max Thurber 410-9138 (swap meet)

Jun 29: Car Show and Food Drive, Falls Baptist Church, 6070 15th E (north of Sandy Downs), 5 – 9 PM. Contact Dick Jorgensen 243-0539

Jul 7: Blackfoot Pride Days Car and Bike Show, Jensen's Grove, Blackfoot, ID, <http://www.blackfootpridedays.org>

Jul 15-19: Great Lakes Regional Tour in New Castle, IN. Contact Ramona & Darrel Wilkinson 765-932-5635

Jul 15-20: Heritage Tour in Cedar Rapids, IA. Contact Russ & Marj Bees 515-961-4120

Aug. 10-11: 12th annual Crusin By The Bay, missionvalleycuiser@gmail.com or Jackie Brown - 406-883-1042

Sep 5-8: Bonneville Region Tour. Logan, UT. Tour application on the EI VMCCA Web Site.

Oct 21-26: Glidden Tour in Brenham, TX

President's Message



We had two well-attended events in May—the Market Lake Clean-up and the Memorial Day Celebration at Mountain River Ranch--many thanks to Marty and Ann and Gary and Dawn for their outstanding activities.

As we move into June our largest event for the year is planned. The 34th annual swap meet and car show at Tautphaus Park happens on Father's Day weekend. Larry Christian heads up the swap meet and car show and Joy Eagle is coordinating the food for Saturday and Sunday. If you haven't had a chance to sign up please help us out with your time, pies or money for us to purchase pies to sell. We also will need help with the setup on Friday afternoon as well as the take down on Sunday afternoon so if you can't lend us a hand in other ways please help us at the beginning and the close out.

Our western national tour planning for August 2013 continues. We have a draft budget and draft tour schedule to discuss at our June chapter meeting. I hope you will join us for the discussion. We have the final proposal from the Shilo for room reservations and the food service arrangements for the closing banquet. Additionally, I will present our tour plans to the VMCCA board meeting on June 23 at the Chrome Glidden tour in Billings Montana. Please join us for the discussions at the June meeting. I would like to make sure that I represent the chapter properly at the board meeting.

Meeting Highlights – 5/10/12

Mike Derbidge conducted the meeting and Joy Eagle took the minutes. A treasurer's report was given and April minutes were accepted as read. New Members Gary and Marilyn O'Dell drove their Model A Coupe. The Dust-Off Tour (hosted by Gary & Dawn Schwartzenberger) to Dana Collins "New Village" did a great job showing his collection. A nice well-planned tour!

Larry Christian – Calls are coming in to reserve swap spaces for the 2012 Swap Meet. We still need help in the kitchen, pies, and organizing the car show. John Dawdy noted that the area around the hockey shelter needs to be posted to facilitate traffic flow and parking. Larry and Joy will meet with the Parks Department to go over things at the hockey shelter. Mike will arrange for insurance.

Drive Me to the Moon - 2013 75th/50th Anniversary VMCCA Tour will be limited to 100 cars. The tour will have a 50's theme to celebrate our Chapter's 50th anniversary. Proposed Tours: Day 1 – Sam Otero – To Pocatello, Day 2 – Lynn Erickson – To Craters of the Moon and EBR-I, Day 3 – Mike Derbidge – Car Judging or Free day with local points of interest in IF, Day 4 – Gary Schwartzenberger – Ashton, Driggs Mt. River Ranch, Day 5 – Brian Edgerton – Rexburg Flood Museum & Carousel evening banquet. A flyer is being organized for Mike to present at the Chrome Glidden in Billings and for the Bulb Horn. We will need help from arranging the dinner banquet, table decorations and ditties, to car judging and parking organization; please look for a spot where you can help! Mike's goal is to have the tour book, ditty bags, and arrangements for events completed by May 2013.

Gaslight Newsletter and web site online at <http://www.eivmcca.org>
 Looking into places to download pictures for the club; the website is up and running.

Thanks to Ray & Betty Born for the yummy treats!

Market Lake and Memorial Day

We had a great cleanup event at Market Lake Wildlife Management Area on May 12th - good breakfast at Mitchell's Restaurant, the weather was perfect and we had a good turnout. Thanks to Marty and Ann Littleton for leading the effort and providing lots of cold water and treats after our cleanup. I'm sure that the wildlife that call Market Lake home are appreciative of our efforts.

We also had good attendance at the 2nd annual American Hero Celebration at Mountain River Ranch in Ririe. While the weather was unpredictable, the salute to our armed forces, including speakers, music, food and other entertainment was impressive. A big thanks to Mountain River Ranch for hosting a great event and to Gary and Dawn Schwartzenger for coordinating the chapter participation.



Items for Sale or Wanted

1967 Buick Skylark Convertible runs great and looks great – Mark Bunce's former car. Contact Maribeth Alder @ 220-2093.

1930 Ford Model A Modified Needs some work but for the price – Mark Bunce's former car. Contact Trudy Bennet @ 254-3705



1967 Ford Mustang in excellent original condition with 75K original miles – contact Dawn Schwartzenger 523-6384

Wanted: Any local lead on a small steel frame or Model T chassis with axles to build a handcart to carry a large stationary engine. Any condition! Brian - 520-9434.

For Sale: 1953 Cadillac Sedan, 4D Deville, VIN 536246447, 5 previous owners, 321 V8. No major dents, some rust, engine seized. No radio, back seat has no tears, front seat covers need replacing. Front window is cracked and one side window - originally Dark Forest Green, now a turquoise blue. May see at 1651 Whitney St., Idaho Falls - 524-8285

For Sale: 1988 Chevy C 20 handicapped equipped Van w/ side access lift has some body damage \$800.00 or best offer. 1961 Studebaker Camp Pickup – desirable bed style. Partially restored with some new parts including windshield. Naomi Cole 522-4204 or Roy Cole - 522-8543 or dontbugmybuick@hotmail.com

Estate Reduction – Automobilia:

Over 200 automotive Books “coffee-table” items, history, museums, design, racing, etc. Over 100 items of automotive art from posters and photos to fine framed artwork, plaques, etc. All sorts of automotive toys from antique and vintage toy cars to die-cast models, games, etc. Hundreds of old automotive ads, sales brochures, magazines, historic articles, oddities, etc. All stuff needs a new home - Would be happy to show you – please call for appointment. Frank @ 208-523-4218, 208-589-8218 (Idaho Falls) or mfradburn@a1.com

Questions about the Newsletter?

Contact the Newsletter Editor
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Ford Model A Coupe
Owned by Lynn Erickson

Car of the Month

This month's car is Lynn Erickson's Model A. I asked him for a few details on the car.

"I bought my Model A in May of 1964. I was a senior in high school. I drove it around for a year or so then went into the Navy. When I got out of the Navy, I started to fix it up. I put it back together and had it mostly restored by 1978, just in time for the second Western National tour we did in Jackson Hole. I have been on few more regional and national tours with it. I took on the Glidden tour that was in Salt Lake City in 1981. It is a very dependable car."

The chapter is looking to reduce costs – we will **discontinue** sending hard copies of the newsletter to members that have not paid dues for the current year. We will send the newsletter via e-mail to anyone interested. If you have an e-mail address please send it to the Newsletter Editor (jpack@pintlar.com).

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