

2012 Chapter Officers

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Market Lake Fall Cleanup

September 15 at 8 AM

We will meet at Mitchell's Restaurant (615 E. Iona Road) for breakfast and then head to the Market Lake Wildlife Management Area for our cleanup project. Come enjoy the wildlife and scenery at Market Lake.



Upcoming Events

Sep 5-8: Bonneville Region Tour – Motoring Along the Oregon Trail - Logan, UT

Sep 13: Chapter Meeting 7:00-9:00 PM @ the South Room of the Idaho Falls Activity Center, 1575 North Skyline Dr., Idaho Falls

Sep 15: Market Lake Cleanup, 8 AM at Mitchell's Restaurant

Sep 15: Shelley Spud Days and 50th Reunion – contact Patty Weenig pfweenig@msn.com

Sep 29: Butte City Auto Cruise – includes show and shine, parade, cruise and slow drag – contact Julie Hayward 869-6880 or jmhayward47@hotmail.com

Don't forget – 17th Annual Apple Squeezin' October 6



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THE
17th ANNUAL
“ OLDE TIME APPLE PRESSING BEE ”
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2012
1:00PM - 6:00PM

BRING YOUR OWN APPLES & CIDER JUGS
(If you haven't got Apples this year - come anyway to help out, share the cider and join in the fun!)

Period Conveyances & Attire Encouraged

Good Grubbed Good Cream served afterwards - please bring baked item to complement

"Edgerton Farm" - 6175 E. River Road, Idaho Falls, ID
(2.6 Miles north of Railroad Xing on E. River Road - look for the Apple sign)
(Bring a lawn chair to relax in during pressing & sampling breaks)

Assignments/Reminders

Activities

Sep - Market Lake - Marty
 Oct - 17th Apple Squeeze - Brian
 Nov - Pumpkin Daze Membership - Judyth & Joy
 Dec - E I Christmas Dinner - Joy

Treats

Sep - Yale & Bonnie
 Oct - Rich & Joy
 Nov - Gary & Dawn
 Dec - Christmas Party

Future Events

Oct 6: 17th annual Apple Squeezin' 1-6 PM - Edgerton Farm, 6135 E. River Road - contact Brian Edgerton edgerbtg@gmail.com

Oct 11: Chapter Meeting 7:00-9:00 PM @ the South Room of the Idaho Falls Activity Center, 1575 North Skyline Dr., Idaho Falls

Nov : Pumpkin Daze Membership Drive

Jan 17-19: National membership meeting in Phoenix, AZ - contact Dorothy and Mert Houdek booklady@middendorf.com

Apr 21-26: Chrome Glidden in Borne, TX - contact Steve and Debbie Mergele spm@gvtc.com

May 19-27: Heritage Tour in Tiffin, OH. - contact Mike and Shirley Doherty our31modela@gmail.com

Jun 9-16: Eastern Nickel Tour in Alexandria Bay, NY - contact Bill Preston avantey@excite.com

Jun 23-29: One and two cylinder IN Marion, OH - contact Dave and Debbie Vasel

President's Message



We've had a very eventful summer and the Bonneville Regional Tour that seemed so far away is now upon us. It is my hope that you have signed up and will be able to join us on the tour. September also includes the Market Lake Clean-up and Marty has September 15, 2012 planned for us so please plan to attend.

We have just returned from the Lake Erie Circle Tour. We were part of the 25-car journey around Lake Erie. We travelled 2,000 miles to the tour, drove 1,000 miles around the lake and then drove another 2,000 miles home. It was a wonderful time - loads of scenery, descriptions and depictions of the War of 1812, boat trips on the lake and Detroit River, interesting cars, and most importantly outstanding people. We visited several forts along the lake, a fire protection museum, a glass museum, an 80 car Cadillac museum, a Buick restoration shop, a distillery (Canadian Club in Windsor Canada), Put-in-Bay Island in Lake Erie, unique shops, wonderful restaurants, and lots of windshield time!

On our way to the tour we made a stop in Auburn Indiana to visit the Auburn, Cord, Duesenberg Museum. The museum is located in one of the 2-story buildings used to manufacture and assemble the Auburns, Cords and Duesenbergs. If you have a chance this one is definitely worth the time. On the way home we made an unplanned stop in Le Claire Iowa and discovered home base for the History Channel's American Pickers. Their shop, Antique Archeology is located on the western bluff on the banks of the Mississippi River. Road trips are a wonderful way to see the USA. The Circle Tour around Lake Huron is scheduled for late August 2013. Perhaps you might be interested in attending.

August Breakfast - Shari's Restaurant Appreciation

We had a great time at Shari's Restaurant in Idaho Falls on August 4th. The chapter wanted to show its appreciation to Shari's for their generous donation of pies for our Swap Meet and Car Show in June. Chapter members signed a card and presented it to Shari's manager.

We also got to see the new pinstripes on Gary and Dawn Schwartenberger's Dodge and check on some of the other great vehicles. Thanks to all that participated - we appreciated the camaraderie and good food, and even the weather cooperated, as it was a nice, cool morning.



Meeting Highlights – 8/9/12

Meeting was conducted by president – Mike Derbidge, minutes taken by secretary - Joy Eagle. Treasurer's report was given.

Shari's Breakfast – We had a great crew for breakfast at Shari's Restaurant to thank them for their great pies for the Swap Meet.

Regional Tour – Motoring Along the Oregon Trail – September 5-8, 2012
Contact Dee Bair 435-258-2906 or normcanfield@carthink.net 20 cars have signed up to attend the tour.

Drive Me to the Moon - 2013 75th/50th Anniversary VMCCA Tour – Mike & Judyth Derbidge

To-Do List is out with many simple items that are looking for someone to complete them.

- The members decided to have a 60's theme for the final banquet since our chapter was started then. Perhaps a DJ or Karaoke for the banquet.
- Membership requirements for the tour will include national and membership in a local chapter of VMCCA; past tours have included the option to join our chapter if desired.
- The newest issue of the Bulb Horn has a nice article about the tour.
- We will have 15 of the 100 tour registrations reserved for our chapter, please remember to register early and we will have no problem!
- The club voted to purchase a projector for use at our events.

National VMCCA Concerns – Mike mentioned that reading the minutes of the National Officers meeting would answer many questions that chapter members have; they were posted in the last issue of the Bulb Horn. There is also an excellent Officers Handbook that identifies roles and responsibilities for the regions and officers, etc. The handbook is always available at the VMCCA website www.vmcca.org. If you have a problem with the club – let's have a conversation!

Election of Officers – Nomination will be held soon for local and regional officers. If you could/would be willing to fill an office – please consider volunteering to run.

Market Lake Clean-Up – Saturday, September 15th – Marty & Ann Littleton. Meet at Mitchell's Restaurant at 8:00am for breakfast before heading out to Market Lake. Wear comfortable work clothes, bring gloves and sunscreen.

Edgerton's 17th Annual Apple Squeezin' – Saturday, October 6th – Brian & Deb Edgerton (see flyer on Page 1). This will be an engine play day, with BBQ and pot luck at noon, and apple squeeze starting at 1:00pm. Bring your apples – worms are OK too!

Cruise Nights – the 3rd week this month will be at the Firehouse Grill on Hitt Road, they are giving \$5 off for people that bring cars to their show.

West Yellowstone Rod Run – It happened last weekend, but no one attended.

National Circle Tour of Lake Erie – Mike and Judyth will attend, it will take about 2 weeks! Too bad they can't take their new (to them) 1936 Chrysler Airflow, 8 cylinder, overdrive, 120" wheelbase and thin black paint.

Thanks to Brian & Deb Edgerton for the homemade cider, chocolate chip cookies and brownies!

Items for Sale or Wanted

1977 AMC Pacer, 66k mi, 2dr/wagon w/cloth bucket seats, automatic, yellow w/wood sides, one owner, asking \$5,000.
1986 Buick Riveria, 2dr/automatic, 103k mi, asking \$3000. Both cars stored inside for past ten years. Call Barbra at (208) 754-4374

1953 Cadillac Sedan, 4D Deville, 321 V8. No major dents, some rust. Back seat has no tears, front seat covers need replacement. May see at 1651 Whitney St., Idaho Falls - 524-8285

1965 Jawa 125cc street bike. Runs and looks great – very few miles on it. Great gas mileage. Call Terry Parsons @ 233-0776 or Sam @ 234-2917.

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@al.com



The Bulb Horn has a new editor – knowing Dennis, he will have some great updates planned. Check out the latest issue.

Questions about the Newsletter?

Contact the Newsletter Editor
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1978 Cadillac

Owned by Mike and Judyth Derbidge

Car of the Month

This month's car is Mike and Judyth's 1978 Cadillac Eldorado. The picture was recently taken on the shores of Lake Erie--somewhere in Pennsylvania. We purchased this low mileage (45,000 miles) in Idaho Falls. We have successfully driven it around Lake Erie and Lake Superior and to the Grand Canyon and back. The combination of circling both lakes is about 2500 miles. This is a great car and is the last in the line of the "huge" modern Cadillacs. In 1979 Cadillac began their downsizing and weight loss programs. This car is truly one of the last "land yachts".

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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