

# The Gas Line

Eastern Idaho Chapter of VMCCA

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## Fall Leaf Tour

Saturday, October 10 - 10 a.m. at the Indian



The leaves are turning golden and the nights are getting cooler. Time to take the Fall Leaf Tour. Gary Odell is your host on Saturday, October 10. Meet at North Tourist Park at the corner of N. Yellowstone and Lincoln Road (the Indian) in Idaho Falls at 10 a.m. The tour goes via Rexburg and stops in Driggs at O'Rourke's Restaurant for lunch. The route goes back via Swan Valley and tours through some great scenery. Looks like the weather is going to be great - don't miss this one.



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## Upcoming Events

Sep 30 - Oct 3: Bonneville Region Tour, Homestead Resort in Midway, UT. Contact Mike Knodel (801) 949-5933 or [saltlakevintagemotorwork@gmail.com](mailto:saltlakevintagemotorwork@gmail.com)

**Oct 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

**Oct 10: Fall Leaf Tour** - Take a tour through the beauty of the Teton Valley and Swan Valley

**Nov 14:** Pumpkin Daze/ Membership Drive - More details to come

**Dec 4:** Christmas Banquet - Darla Hoff

## Meeting Treats

Oct: Gary & Dawn Schwartzenberger

Nov: open

Dec: Christmas Banquet

## Meeting Minutes - September 10

President Yale Harker conducted the meeting and secretary Joy Eagle read the August minutes and provided a treasurer's report.

WESTERN NATIONAL TOUR IN DURANGO - August 16-22. Gary & Dawn Schwartzenberger noted that all of the tours were uphill, with no downhill stretches. It was a beautiful, nice red rock area of the country! The cliff dwellings were a highlight of the tour. Jeff Pack was the big casino winner!

MARKET LAKE CLEAN UP - September 12. Marty & Ann Littleton are hosting. Meet at Mitchell's Restaurant where we will caravan up - there will be donuts and water on site.

2017 EIVMCCA HERITAGE TOUR MEETING - Dixie's Diner at 7:30p.m. on September 15<sup>th</sup>. The Tour Committee is currently Gary & Dawn Schwartzenberger, Mark & Diane Schwartzenberger, Brian & Deb Edgerton. Everyone is welcome; we need lots of good ideas to make a great tour. We will be discussing tour locations. Hotels, banquet facilities, day tours, and mileage will be considered. Mike Derbidge may be the tour director (?)

EDGERTON'S APPLE SQUEEZ'N - September 26th, Brian & Deb Edgerton. Brian says that this will be the last year for this event, so let's make it the best ever!

BONNEVILLE REGIONAL TOUR - September 30 - October 3, Homestead Resort. Yale Harker and Lynn Erickson are scheduled to go. The Bonneville Regional meeting will be held during the tour.

FALL LEAF TOUR - October 10th, Gary O'Dell. See the Fall beauty on this tour then on to O'Rourke's in Driggs for lunch.

PUMPKIN DAZE & MEMBERSHIP DRIVE - November 14th, Judyth Derbidge & Joy Eagle. Are you lucky at games of chance?

CHRISTMAS BANQUET - December 4th at the 17th Street Catering Place, Darla Hoff.

Joe Keller - Feature Article in the Bulb Horn



The annual Trunk or Treat event at the Eastern Idaho Technical College (EITC) in Idaho Falls is scheduled for October 27<sup>th</sup> from 6 to 8 p.m. Cars can start to line up for parking starting at 4:30 p.m.

This is a special event for our chapter as we award our scholarships for EITC during Trunk or Treat.

Please contact Joy Eagle at 521-9344 or [joyfuleagle@aol.com](mailto:joyfuleagle@aol.com) if you want to attend - there is a form to fill out and Joy will coordinate all cars from the chapter.



Judyth and I attended the Chrome Glidden Tour in Sequim Washington. There were 55 cars from all parts of the United States including two cars from Alaska. Sequim is a beautiful ocean port that prides itself in being the lavender capital of the world. The annual lavender

festival brings in about 35,000 people from around the world but what people really want to see is the ocean and the rain forest, and eat lots of Dungeness crab and ocean-caught salmon. We had our sampling of both.

We had a seafood lunch in the rainforest. The food was prepared outside over hot embers and under a tent to protect the food and the embers from being drowned by the rain. We ate our food under the tree branch canopy on the trunk of the Lincoln. The food was excellent and the setting couldn't have been better. On one of the tour days we were treated to a salmon bake prepared by the Makah tribe at the Makah Tribal Museum. The salmon and the museum were quite outstanding.



We drove tree-lined roads adjacent to the ocean and toured historical homes and buildings in Port Townsend. We even had a garage tour of Scot Taylor's collection of early Ford cars and we were able to see his workshop where he is in the process of restoring a 1903 Cadillac. His collection is impressive.



We also toured Sandy Keys' Lincoln collection. He has some marvelous post-war Lincolns housed in a restored 100-year-old barn. The roads, the cars, the food and the VMCCA camaraderie were outstanding.



## Newsletter Editor

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## Chapter Events

October - Fall Leaf Tour - Gary O'Dell

EITC Scholarship - Trunk or Treat

November - Pumpkin Daze  
Membership Drive - Judyth Derbidge & Joy Eagle

December - Christmas Banquet



# President's Corner

Congratulations everyone - our "Trash to Treasures Award" will be published in the November - December issue of the Bulb Horn. I am excited to see the stories of nominees for the first award.

I was not able to attend the Market Lake cleanup, but I did hear that everything went well. I want to thank Marty and Ann Littleton for their dedicated service on this important service project.

I was able to attend the "Apple Squeezin" activity put on by Brian and Deb Edgerton. This year there were plenty of apples and it took a giant effort to process them. Thanks Brian and Deb and all who helped.

I will also be attending the Bonneville Region Tour in Utah.

On October 5, we will hold our second meeting of the Exploratory Committee for the National 2017 Heritage Tour. As was the case for the first exploratory meeting all are welcome to attend. The second meeting will be held at Dixie's Diner starting at 6:30pm. At the first meeting we came up with five possible tour venues and assignments were made to explore each venue and present a probable tour scenario for each venue. We are emphasizing that the tours accommodate older vehicles and provide for time to leisurely visit the sites. We plan to present a report at our next chapter meeting.

Be sure to put on your calendar the fall colors tour planned by Gary Odell coming up on October 10th.

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## Chrome Glidden Photos

