

# Water Watcher

NOVEMBER 2012

#### November 7th, 2012 8990 Kruitof Way, Fair Oaks, 95628 Dinner 6:30 pm Meeting 7:00 to 9:00 pm

#### UPCOMING SPEAKERS

November Sheriff's Toy Project

December Christmas Party

> January TBA

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# President's Message

November and December are very busy months for our Chapter Board and the Members. We all get very wrapped up in the Holiday season. There is a lot to look forward to, and much more to be Thankful for. Enjoy the season, your families, the extra time, and the great food; this is our time to recharge before next year.

First off I want to thank everyone for doing Sick Route this year, I know it has been exhausting please hang in there. Everyone is almost back on their feet. I know the members who needed the coverage really do appreciate it. Everyone assigned pools right now is doing a fantastic job. The Sick Route Summary cards are going out in the mail this month and are due in January. Please turn them in ASAP: fines will go out after January's deadline. We are also sending out a very important form with the Summary cards. It is a Waiver form allowing our chapter to receive information from the suppliers about purchases made that qualify you or our chapter for rebates for equipment purchases through our suppliers. If you're not eligible to receive a rebate on your own for those equipment purchases, our chapter is eligible collectively with everyone's combined purchases. The rebate money from these programs helps our chapter fund special events and raise money for charities. Remember IPSSA is a non profit organization. We rely on all of chapter supporters to donate money from their companies to help support us. This helps them out too.

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO FILL OUT THIS WAVIER AND SEND IT BACK WITH THE COMPLETED SICK ROUTE SUMMARY CARDS. This is something we will send out each year with the Sick Route Summary Cards.

Our chapter meeting this month will host The Sherriff's Toy Project. This is to help our chapter learn the importance of raising money for this charity. This will be a fundraising opportunity please don't miss it. Next month Thursday, December 13th is our annual Christmas party which will involve The Sheriff's Tov Project and more fundraising. Please bring donations to the chapter meeting as well as the Chapter Christmas Party. Remember cash, check, unwrapped toys, and bikes with helmets are all great to bring for donations. Make checks payable to Capital Valley IP-SSA we are hoping to also get matching grants to go towards The Sherriff's Toy Project. It's not a bad idea to ask your customers for help with this charity too. Let's make our fundraising for this years Sherriff's Toy Project better than ever. The Chapter Christmas Party will be held at the Carmichael Elk's Lodge, Invitations will be coming soon by email and Evite. Please watch for your invitation they are not coming by mail this year. Please RSVP right away.

Thank you Jade from Jandy for the great presentation and the pizza at last months meeting. It was very educational and informative. You did a good job.



Daylight savings time is here the days are shorter colder and wetter it is time to switch gears and button everything up for the change in weather. Pool sweep bags, sweep repairs, filter cleanings, and basket replacements should be at the top of your to do list. Batteries in your control systems like Jandy RS panels and remote controls should be changed out, as well as the batteries in your smoke detectors and carbon monoxide alarms should be changed too. Please don't forget about vour vehicle maintenance, tires, wiper blades, coolant, battery, and other repairs, for your safety and others.

Happy Holidays, Drive Careful and Please Don't Drink and Drive.

"Keep up the good work" Sincerely, Gregg Simon Capital Valley I.P.S.S.A. President

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Christmas party invitations are going out by e-mail this week. They are coming from e-vite and will say they are from Capital Valley IPSSA. If we have your e-mail and you did not get it, please check your junk or spam mailbox. If we do not have your e-mail address please give it to us. If you don't have e-mail please call Larry or Shaleen to get details and RSVP.

The Sherriff's Toy Project is the guest speaker in November. They will be telling you all about where your donations go and why they are so very important! You don't want to miss out on either Charity filled night!

#### Sick Route Corner



Karl Eggers is out on sick leave

Thank you to those that are assigned pools, please treat them as you would treat your own pools.

- Sick Route Summary Cards are being sent out and are due January 1, 2013
  - Rebate Waiver Form is being sent with the sick route summary cards

#### American Leak Detection

Thanks to everyone who stopped by the American Leak Detection booth at the PIE show in Monterey. The late-September show had a terrific turnout and I was especially glad to see the Sacramento area so well represented. The momentum American Leak Detection had coming out of Monterey was definitely maintained at Golftoberfest, the annual golf tournament hosted by El Dorado IPSSA. This year's tournament was held at Dark Horse Golf Club in Auburn on October 13th. American Leak Detection Sacramento was proud to support the tournament and its benefitting organization, Soldiers' Angels, by fielding a foursome (we didn't win) and the putting contest (not even close to winning). We look forward to participating again next year, and I'll need at least that long to perfect my swing.

As always, American Leak Detection Sacramento appreciates the opportunities earned through its association with IP-SSA. Please know that we remain committed to providing the best possible customer service, while giving your customers the benefit of our extensive experience. Information about our franchise can always be found at <a href="https://www.americanleakdetect.com">www.americanleakdetect.com</a> or by calling me at 916-765-5734, or by email at: <a href="mailto:aldsacto@yahoo.com">aldsacto@yahoo.com</a>.

See you at the next meeting and at the Christmas Party!

Thanks,
Monte Routon
American Leak Detection, Sacramento

# News you will want to use right now:

#### **California Building Code Revision**

# CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE SEPTEMBER 1, 2012 SUPPLEMENT REVISION RECORD FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SUPPLEMENT

September 1, 2012 2010 Title 24, Part 2, Vol. 2 California Building Code

### New Sign Required September 1, 2012

http://www.iccsafe.org/cs/codes/Errata/State/CA/520S1205.pdf

3120B.11 Diarrhea. A sign in letters at least 1 inch (25 mm) high and in a language or diagram that is clearly stated shall be posted at the entrance area of a public pool which states that persons having currently active diarrhea or who have had active diarrhea within the previous 14 days shall not be allowed to enter the pool water.

HEALTH DEPT APPROVED DIARRHEA SAFETY SIGN GPS & SCP Part #TKP-42-0002

# ~Classified Section~

This section is for members who would like to advertise the selling or buying of their pools, looking for sub-contractors, selling pool related stuff, buying pool related stuff, etc... (send an email to jneronde@yahoo.com to include your classified ad)

#### **VAC-ALERT FOR SALE**

The chapter has a VA-2000L we need to convert to cash.
Wholesale is \$499.00. We are asking \$400.00.
Contact Jack Emlay, 530-644-7750, JJEMLAY@COMCAST.NET.

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#### Insurance Membership Education Networking Friendship



Newsletters are being sent out via e-mail! If you do not receive a newsletter via e-mail its because the IPSSA financial office does not have your e-mail address. Please e-mail me at jneronde@yahoo.com and I will be sure to add you to the list.

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Chapter Supporters if your name is not on this list and you believe it should be please contact our program chairman George Stevenson (916) 863-1700.

If you are a Chapter Supporter and are interested in submitting monthly articles, or news, please e-mail info and artwork to Jennifer Neronde at jneronde@yahoo.com. The deadline is the **20th** of the month for the following months issue. Thank you.