

# Water Watcher

OCTOBER 2014

Mark your calendar!

CHAPTER MEETINGS:

**Wednesday**  
**October 1, 2014**  
 6:30 Dinner  
 7:00 Meeting  
 VFW Hall  
 8990 Kruitof Way,  
 Fair Oaks, 95628

UPCOMING:

Meeting  
**Wednesday**  
 November 5, 2014

**Christmas Party**  
 FRIDAY  
 December 12, 2014

**January 7th, 2015**

## Presidents Message

Santa's Summer Get Away was absolutely spectacular. What a great way to end the summer. Jack Emlay brought every comfort of home there. He set up a full service kitchen and a hot water shower. The camp ground was nicely set up with a great recreational area right on the lake. The campsite accommodated tents and trailers perfectly. We had an additional group camp site which helped keep everybody comfortable. The view was spectacular and the lake water was so refreshing. There were three boats running throughout the weekend for skiing, and tubing. Thank you very much to the boat owners and their drivers, Scott Houseman Leisure Time Pools, Tim Towne Pentair, and Daniel Spatz Bulls Eye Leak Detection. The weather was amazing. We had the entire area to ourselves. It was a great group of people, everything could not have been more perfect. We had so much fun with the Pine Wood Derby. What a competition. The kids were hilarious with how competitive they were. The adults were ruthless. The open class car that took first place and literally blew all the other cars off the track, was Wendy and Tom's car from Roseville Pool Service. They made a car with a battery operated fan that propelled it down the track. Congratulations to all the winners and all those who participated you all built some great cars. Some cars were built at home and looked like model cars, but most were built that day with what was found around camp and out of the craft boxes. This activity was a big winner 100% of the kids participated and most of the adults did too. With how successful this year was, next year is already being planned out and will be even more spectacular. We are all looking forward to it.

This year was a huge success because of all the people who volunteered, and everybody who came to enjoy the festivities. I would really like to thank Jack & Charlene Emlay for all that they did. They brought so much of the supplies and the materials needed to put the whole thing together. They had two trucks, and a travel trailer packed full. I'm sure it took them a couple of weeks or more to load and unload all of that camping gear. You guys rock it, gets more impressive each year. The camping committee: Jack & Charlene Emlay, George and Shaleen Stevenson, Jamie and Taylor Jordan, & Larry Hughes did a wonderful job organizing the whole thing. Thank you Shaleen and George for the organization of the Pine Wood Derby, shirts and signs, registration and much, much more! Meals were provided by our chapter supporters. Thank you John Adams Handy & Hayward Pool Products for the food Friday night, and Jack Emlay, Scott Houseman, Larry Hughes and Shaleen Stevenson for making dinner. Thank you Lorne Early & Tim Towne, Darren D. from Pentair, Rick Savajo, & Dave Shepard from Hasa, for the meal on Saturday night, they cooked a fantastic fiesta meal, including Margaritas. George and Shaleen Stevenson, and Larry Hughes made breakfast

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Saturday. Scott Houseman & George & Shaleen Stevenson made breakfast on Sunday. Thank you Kim Spatz for helping with breakfasts. All of the meals were fantastic, and we were all so grateful for the work put into them. Special thanks, to Jamie & Taylor Jordon and others who helped do the clean up after every meal.

Thank you very much to our Chapter Supporters and Sponsors of Santa's Summer Get Away:

**Platinum Sponsors:**

Zodiac, Inc. Pool Corp HASA Pentair Hayward Bullseye Leak Detection

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Put it on your calendars for next year. The Santa's Summer Get Away will be September of 2015. We hope to see you all there.

This month's meeting will be presented by The Sacramento Sheriff's Toy Project. You may bring donations to the chapter meeting as well as the Chapter Christmas Party. Remember cash, check, unwrapped toys, and bikes are always great to bring for donations. It's not a bad idea to ask your customers for help with this charity too. I personally send out a notice in November that I am collecting, and my customers appreciate the opportunity to learn more about the Sacramento Sheriffs Toy Project. Let's make our fundraising for this year's Sacramento Sheriff'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. Please keep your eyes peeled for it. We will need RSVP's

Thank you Deck O Seal for the great presentation at our last meeting, everybody that attended the meeting really took away something. We all should be able to install the Deck O Seal product properly to our customer's expansion joints. Thanks for giving us the knowledge to offer this product to our customers.

It is the official end of summer, time to switch gears and button everything up for the change in seasons. Pool sweep bags, sweep repairs, filter cleanings, and basket replacements should be at the top of your to do list. Please also remember to turn off and winterize solar and set clocks for winter hours and run times. Don't forget about your vehicle maintenance, tires, wiper blades, coolant, battery, and other repairs. This is so important for your safety and others.

Watch out for kids on Halloween night. Drive Careful. Have a Happy and Safe Halloween.

"Keep up the good work"

Sincerely,  
Gregg Simon  
President Capital Valley IPSSA Chapter  
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**Capital Valley IPSSA  
Chapter Meeting**

**Wednesday October 1, 2014**

**6:30 Dinner**

Pizza provided by  
Monte at American Leak Detection  
**7-9pm Meeting**

Featuring  
**Sheriff's Toy Project  
Golftoberfest Ticket Raffel**

VFW Hall - 8990 Kruitof Way,  
Fair Oaks, 95628



**Santa's Summer Getaway September 2014**

## WRITERS?

**Share your knowledge!** Here is your chance to help educate the pool community. Send me your article or photos to be in the next Water Watcher. [contactus@pollywogpools.com](mailto:contactus@pollywogpools.com)

## MEMBERSHIP

Please welcome our new Membership Chairman **Bob Martell**. He is excited to volunteer and looking forward to seeing you at the membership table next meeting. Thank you Bob!

Capital Valley IPSSA Membership number  
916-860-7115.

Have information to include?

Want to write an article, submit pictures, or have news to share?

Please send it to  
[contactus@pollywogpools.com](mailto:contactus@pollywogpools.com)  
by the 20th to be included next month.

We are always looking for industry news, event, stories, and pictures.

Want to help with this or many other volunteer positions?

Contact one of our Board Members or Committee Chairmen today!

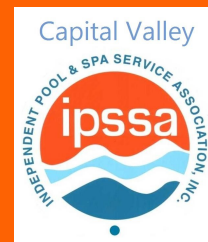
Advertising space available! Contact newsletter for monthly pricing.

## SICK ROUTE

**Chuck Catilus,**  
CK Pool Service  
is our new  
Sick Route Chariman!

Thank you Chuck for stepping up for this very important volunteer position! It is greatly appreciated by all of our members.

**Thank you for your support!**



## -Classifieds-

### FOR SALE:

**3hp max pump \$450 - contact Jack Emlay for details [jjemlay@comcast.net](mailto:jjemlay@comcast.net)**

This section is for members who would like to advertise the selling or buying of their pools, looking for subcontractors, selling pool related stuff, buying pool related stuff, etc... ([contactus@pollywogpools.com](mailto:contactus@pollywogpools.com) to submit your classified ad)

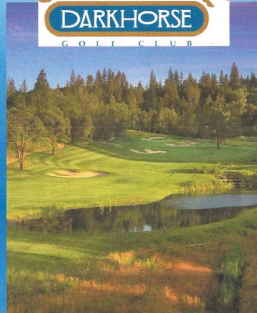
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- ★ Closest to Pin
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- ★ Pick A Club Hole

## Proceeds Will Be Presented To FPSIE

Saturday-October 11, 2014

10:00 a.m. Putting Contest  
 11:00 a.m. Scramble Starts Promptly  
 4:00 p.m. Dinner Tri-Tip & Chicken

Mail Checks & Names of Players To:

\$800 Per Team  
 El Dorado IPSSA  
 P.O. Box 1751  
 Shingle Springs, CA 95682

We will be filling to capacity so checks must be received before October 4, 2014.

Shawn Panico (916) 201-6245 / Mark Becker (530) 676-1500



## Trick or Treat...

Capital Valley IPSSA Chapter will be raffling off 4 individual tickets towards a golf team for the Golftoberfest event at this months meeting (October 1, 2014). Must be a member and present to enter and win!

## EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:

Sales Link, Inc., is inviting IPSSA members to an upcoming triple Certification Class opportunity at the FPSIE Campus in Sacramento

Wed. 19th of November from 4:30 – 9:00pm

Waterway Plastics (Randy Johnson)

Training 6 – 7pm

Delta UC (Dan Tillman) UV Certification 7 – 8pm

Natural Chemistry (Steve Arb) Pro Series Certification 8 – 9pm

Reception at 4:30, Dinner at 5:00 pm

Price is \$15 in advance as seating is limited and includes dinner, Tee Shirt with Certification Logos on the sleeves..

Please call Sales Link, 559-275-3337 Katrina to register and give your shirt size in advance for this event that Chuck Stetler is putting on for a strong start to 2015...

Pat Smith with Natural Chemistry will be in attendance as well.



Welcome new volunteer

Chuck Catilus to Sick Route!!



www.toyproject.org

## Capital Valley IPSSA Chapter



## 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 [contactus@pollywogpools.com](mailto:contactus@pollywogpools.com) to be added to the list.

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## Thank you from Capital Valley IPSSA Chapter!

### Please get to know our Chapter Supporters

**They are here to help you be your best!**

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