

Water Watcher

SEPTEMBER 2013

MEETING:

September 4, 2013
8990 Kruitof Way, Fair Oaks, 95628

6:30 pm Dinner
7:00 -9:00 pm Meeting

UPCOMING:

Camping Trip!
September 13-15

October 2nd

November 6th

Christmas Party
December 13th

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President's Message

Attention...School is back in session. Keep an eye out and drive careful in school zones, and residential neighborhoods. Children walking to and from school are even more distracted these days with cell phones, portable gaming systems, and MP3 players. We all need to be super cautious, and drive careful.

Just because the kids are back in school doesn't mean the swim season is over. The weather may stay hot through mid to late October. As the night time temperatures start to drop though, customers will switch gears and start using their spas again. Check your spas for safe drain covers, and that all the customer's equipment for the spa is working properly. Check spa covers to see if they need replacing. SCP and Pool Covers Inc. can help you out with replacement covers and lifts. Auxiliary pumps for spas need to be checked for shaft seal and gasket leaks. Check for proper grounding and electrical safety equipment such as GFCI receptacles, and breakers. It's time to consider setting the run times back on pump control systems and timers for fall hours. Be ready for the falling leaves and make sure your pool sweeps and cleaning equipment is up to par.

Summer is not over for Capital Valley IPSSA, we have our annual camping trip September 13th, 14th, & 15th. Don't miss all the fun this has become the premier event for our chapter each year. We are really looking forward to the festivities this year. Please show your support and attend this event. You can come for the day on Friday or Saturday, or stay and camp Friday through Sunday. Please contact Linda Eggers at Deep Blue Pools to make arrangements. Please see the application and contact info for the camping trip in this newsletter. We will have several of our chapter supporters there, and more to do than we can do in a weekend. A great time is waiting for you and your family. We really hope to see you there.

Andrea Bernard with Pool Master will be our featured guest this month for our chapter meeting. They feature some great products. Make sure not to miss this.

Monte Routon from American Leak Detection will be serving pizza. Thank

you in advance Monte. We appreciate you and the pizza every time.

Please keep in mind that we have nominations next month for new chapter officers. If you or anyone else, are interested in being a chapter officer please let any of our board members know. We can also let you know what each position entails and what the benefits are. I can personally tell you, I have enjoyed my time working with this board, and this chapter and have found it very educational, and rewarding. I plan on running again in the future for President, Vice President, or maybe Regional Director. I think anyone who does this will see how easy and fulfilling volunteering for this wonderful organization is. Thank you very much to everyone who has helped me along the way. I will help anyone who steps up to do any of our board positions, to have an easy transition.

Don't forget to attend the PIE Show in Monterey CA next month. September 26-28. Check the IPSSA website for details.

Finish the summer strong, and make it a point to communicate with your customers about things that may still need to be replaced after the summer is over, to prepare for the fall leaf and debris loads. This is a great time of the year to find and make that extra money.

HAVE FUN, GO CAMPING!!!

"Keep up the good work"

Sincerely,



September 4th

Dinner at 6:30 provided by

American Leak Detection

Sick Route

Nothing to report.

Thank you for your continued support!

~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...
(contact newsletter editor 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 OBO.
Contact Jack Emlay, 530-644-7750,
JJEMLAY@COMCAST.NET.



4th Annual Capital Valley IPSSA Santa's Summer Getaway

Dates: Friday afternoon through Sunday afternoon, September 13 - 15, 2013

Place: Sly Park Recreation Area, Group Camp Site 5, 4771 Sly Park Rd., Pollock Pines (off Hwy 50 & Sly Park Rd)

Price: \$35.00/per adult (age 14 & over) \$15 per child (age 5-13) Under 5 years, Free

What you get: Camping for 2 nights at Sly Park Recreation area, breakfast on Saturday & Sunday mornings, dinner and dessert on Friday and Saturday nights, crafts for the kids, campfires, swimming, horse-shoes, many recreational activities, and 2 days with nothing to do but have fun - no cooking, clean-up or hassles!

Space is limited! Submit your Registration Form ASAP!!

Please send in registration form by 9/3/13

Need More Info: General Info: Jack Emlay at jjemlay@comcast.net
Reservations: Linda Eggers at linda@deepbluepool.com

Registration Form

Names of all Campers: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Phone: _____

Free T-Shirt for every registered & paid camper by 9/3/13. List Quantity. Adult Sizes: Sm. ___ Med. ___ Lg. ___ XL ___
2XL ___ 3XL ___ Child Sizes: 18-20 ___ 14-16 ___ 10-12 ___ 6-8 ___ (Adult sizes available in tank tops, please make a note with "T" above size)

_____ # of Adults @ \$35.00 each - Saturday use only \$20.00 each

_____ # of Children Ages 5 -13 @ \$15.00 each - Saturday use only \$10.00 each

_____ # of Children under 5 years of age, free

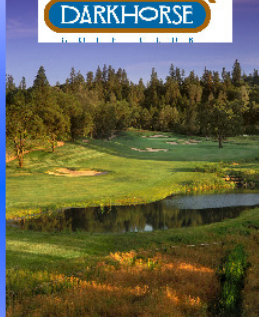
_____ I'll be in a trailer (Length: _____ ft.) How many tents? _____

Make checks payable to: Capital Valley IPSSA and mail with registration form to: Linda Eggers 1705 Chelsea Way, Roseville, CA 95661.



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Prize- \$10k Cash
- ★ Hole In One
Prize- \$30K Cash
- ★ Longest Drive
- ★ Closest to Pin

Proceeds for Soldiers' Angels



Saturday October 12, 2013

- 10:00 a.m. Putting Contest
- 11:30 a.m. Scramble Starts Promptly
- 5:00 p.m. Dinner- Tri Tip & Chicken

\$200 Per Person
Sign up early-Limited Space Available

Mail Checks & Names of Players To:

El Dorado IPSSA
P.O. Box 1751
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

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



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Tuesday, October 1, 2013

8:15am – 5:30pm

Lunch is on your own form 12-1

at:

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11211 Point E Dr
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916-638-1100



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Limited seating!

Call your Hayward rep, John Adams-Handy,
at: 916-826-8214

Registration Deadline
September 24th, 2013

Have special information to include?
Please send it to contactus@pollywogpools.com to be included next month. We are always looking for industry news, stories, and pictures.

WELCOME!

Our new members:

Mike Assenza and Nick Sirman

Capital Valley 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 to be added to the list.



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Please

Patronize Our Chapter Supporters

**They are here
to help YOU!**

If you are interested in submitting information or news, or would like to be Newsletter Editor please e-mail Jillian Simon at contactus@pollyvogpools.com.

The deadline is the **20th** of the month for the following months issue.

Thank you
From Capital Valley
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Capital Valley



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