

Mark your calendar!

Next Chapter Meeting:

January 6, 2021

Zoom Meeting 7:00pm

Upcoming Meetings & Events:

> **February 3rd** To be announced

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# CAPITAL VALLEY IPSSA CHAPTER

# Water Watcher

# JANUARY 2021

# Featured Speaker for January

# **IPSSA Region 1 Director and Chief Financial Officer**

David Hawes is currently serving as the IPSSA Region 1 Director and Chief Financial Officer. He is also the President and CEO of H & H Pool Services, Inc.

His company operates in the San Francisco Bay Area and services approximately 600 accounts weekly. David started his company at age 12, and is in his 50th year of operation. David has been teaching business seminars for pool service company owners for 32 years to help the industry improve profit and professionalism. He is a frequent contributor to articles for several trade publications.

David will discuss the benefits of joining IPSSA, the value that comes from being a member, and the state of the service industry and opportunities in 2021. He will also touch on the newly formed Pool and Spa Apprenticeship and Training Committee (PSATC), of which David is the Chairman. The PSATC is a coordinated and focused education and apprenticeship training program that will make newcomers to this profession out-of-the-gate successes in their particular pool and spa service skill area. This was discussed in the November <u>IPSSAN</u>.

David is a wealth of information, and is a great advocate for IPSSA, its members, and the pool and spa industry in general.

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# **Sick Route**

Please welcome our new Sick Route Chairperson
Kim Barber with Pineapple Island Pool and Spa.
Thank you Kim for filling this critical position.

Kim can be reached at: Kim Barber Pineapple Island Pool and Spa 9309 Dovewood Court Orangevale, CA 95662 916-889-6529 Kimberlynn1221@gmail.com

She recently sent emails notifying members to submit the annual Sick Route Summaries. They are due by January 31 to avoid a penalty.

The sick route policy is at <u>www.cvipssa.com/</u> <u>sickroute.html</u>

# Membership

For membership information please contact: Mike Assenza Membership Chairman 916-837-8525 <u>mike@rivercitypoolcare.com</u>

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# January Chapter Meeting Info

We have moved to a Zoom format starting with the January 6<sup>th</sup> meeting, and it will remain that way until we can resume physical meetings.

Members will be required to attend 1 meeting per quarter, same requirement as before. We encourage everyone to try to attend all the meetings to show our support for our chapter supporters and to stay current on our industry.

The Zoom meeting link was emailed to members and supporters last week, and will be resent before the meeting. The link will be the same for future meetings, until notified otherwise.

Contact Jason Hilton for any Zoom questions or issues, as he is the meeting host.

# HAYWARD

To stay current on upcoming local training and product specials -

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# **NEWSLETTER CONTENT**

What tips do you have to share?? What problems have you encountered this year? Did you have a really great picture of an account you would like to share? Safety warnings? Local water news? Pools or equipment for sale? Events? PLEASE share!

Want to write an article, submit chapter pictures, or have news to share? Please send it to **mike@rivercitypoolcare.com** 

by the 25th to be included. Want to help with this or many other volunteer positions<sup>2</sup>

Contact one of our Board Members or Committee Chairmen today!

# A Message from Monte...

# Freezing

Be prepared for freezing temperatures that are sure to be on the way. Everyone knows what a freeze can do to pool equipment that sits idle, so remind your clients to insulate the equipment pad and be prepared to run the equipment during the coldest period of the day. Ideally the pumps are equipped with temperature sensors to avoid any damage if temperatures get too low. However, most pipe related freezing issues do not involve pool plumbing systems.

In the Sacramento area we do not have an issue with pipes freezing underground, most of the problems are above ground with exposed pipes. When a pressurized water line freezes, it is not the ice forming in the line that bursts the pipe, rather it is the pressure that forms inside the pipe between the expanding ice and a closed faucet. The rupture usually occurs at the weakest point in the plumbing system. Obviously, it is a good idea to insulate any exposed exterior main lines, irrigation valves, and faucets. Use insulated hose-bib covers, wrap main lines at the house service, cover and insulate all irrigation valves, use pressure relief valves on exterior faucets, and disconnect all hoses from hose bibs. During extended cold spells, do not turn the heat off in your home, especially if going out of town. Pipes in ceilings and attics can freeze if the interior temperature in the home or attic gets too low. Leave a faucet open with a slow trickle to relieve any pressure that may build in the line if ice forms.

We are fortunate to have fairly mild winters, most of the time, and do not have a serious issue with freeze damage. Having said that, I am already looking forward to Spring and some warmer weather!

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# Sheriff's Toy Project Donated Items For Sale

Although we didn't have a Christmas party, our chapter supporters still donated a variety of items to support the Toy Project, some of which are for sale. All sale proceeds will be donated to the Toy Project.

HASA: 1 pallet (36 cases) of Chlorine (6 vouchers for 6 cases) - \$70/voucher. Fluidra: Polaris TR28P sweep - \$465 Leisure Supply: 50# bucket of Tabs - \$115 Raypack: Kid's Sweatshirts Pooltime: \$500 Check

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