

Mark your calendar!

Next Chapter Meeting:

November 4th 2015 6:30pm Dinner 7pm Meeting

VFW Hall 8990 Kruitof Way Fair Oaks, 95628

Upcoming
Meetings & Events:

December 4th, 2015 Christmas Party

January 6, 2016

February 3, 2016

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#### CAPITAL VALLEY IPSSA CHAPTER

# Water Watcher

NOVEMBER 2015

## Presidents Message

Happy Holidays Everybody. The Holidays and winter are here. The weathers changed from 80s and sunny to 60s and wet. Hopefully this is the winter we say goodbye to the drought and hello to El Nino. Anyway you look at it, any rain is welcome. Our industry is in desperate need of it. Not to mention the more extreme the better for business. I have a feeling this will be a great year for all of us. I can't wait.

I want to thank everyone for all the volunteering and help through out the year for all of our chapters events. Thank you for your participation, hard work and dedication. We have some great volunteers each year for everything, and I personally feel blessed to have such wonderful help. If you have any ideas or would like to volunteer please let me know or come to one of our chapter board meetings. We have a lot of fun doing this and it is so rewarding to give back. Check it out.



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.

Next month **Friday**, **December 4th** is our annual Christmas party which will involve fundraising for The Sheriff's Toy Project. Please feel free to 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 IPSSA. We are receiving grant money from Region one, and Brian Duncan our Region one director is working on possibly getting other Regions to help donate to the Sacramento 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 mail and email. Watch for your invitation, and please RSVP right away.

Thank you, Chuck Stetler from Waterways for the great presentation at last month's meeting. It was very informative. We are looking forward to seeing you at the Christmas Party next month.

This month we have Advanced Coatings giving a presentation. We also have nominations/elections for new chapter leadership. Monte Routon from American Leak Detection will be providing pizza at this month's meeting and we would like to thank him ahead of time for that. Thanks Monte you're Awesome! We really appreciate it.

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. Make sure to set winter run times for all your customers' pool equipment. 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 your vehicle maintenance, tires, brakes, wiper blades, coolant, battery, and other repairs, for your safety and others.

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.

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

"Keep up the good work"
Sincerely,
Gregg Simon
President Capital Valley Chapter IPSSA
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Capital Valley IPSSA
Chapter Meeting

Wednesday
November 4th 2015

6:30pm Dinner 7:00 Meeting

Featuring
Advanced Coatings

\*CVIPSSA Elections\*

VFW Hall -8990 Kruitof Way, Fair Oaks, 95628 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 contactus@pollywogpools.com
by the 20th to be included.

Want to help with this or many other volunteer positions?

Contact one of our Board Members or Committee

Contact one of our Board Members or Committee Chairmen today!

Advertising space available!

Contact newsletter for monthly pricing.

Chapter Standing Rules at www.cvipssa.com

# Thank You!

Waterways and Chuck for last months dinner and presentation.

Thank You Volunteers!!

# Positions held in Capital Valley IPSSA are volunteer!!

It takes a lot of people to put on the events you enjoy and the meetings you attend, and the organization to keep it all going. There is much unseen work that goes into making this chapter what it is. Please take a moment the next time you run into a volunteer to thank them for helping create a better world for Pool Professionals!!

#### Membership

**November** is the **2nd meeting** of the **4th quarter**. It is the last regular meeting of the year (attendance to the December party counts as a meeting). You must make at minimum 1 meeting per quarter to avoid fines.

**\$50 referral** for bringing in a new member to Capital Valley IPSSA.

**Perfect Attendance Awards** for making all meetings during the year.

For more information please contact: Mike Assenza Membership Chairman (916) 860-7115 mike@rivercitypoolcare.com

#### **Educational Opportunities:**

International Pool SPA Patio Expo Las Vegas November 7-12, 2015 www.poolspapatio.com

Hayward Training

January 14, 2016 at FPSIE

**FPSIE** has a lot of great information and classes. CPO classes, SMUD and PG&E rebate, Title 22 requirements, online courses and much more. www.fpsie.org

#### - Classifieds -

#### For Sale:

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...

(<u>contactus@pollywogpools.com</u> to submit your Free classified ad)

#### **SICK ROUTE**

#### Thank you for your support!

Look for Sick Route Cards soon! Due in January.

Chuck Catilus
Sick Route Chairman
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Invites you and your family to our annual

Christmas Party

on

Friday, December 4th 2015

at

The Carmichael Elks Lodge

5631 Cypress Avenue

Carmichael, California 95608

5:00 pm

Monte Carlo Casino—No Host Cocktails—Silent Auction

Music with The Sundance Kid

6:00pm

Pictures with Santa—Sacramento Sheriff's Toy Project Children's Crafts

7:30 pm

Dinner and Awards

followed by Dancing and Raffle

#### Sacramento Sheriff's Toy Project

Please support this wonderful charity this season by bringing cash or checks for fundraising activities and an unwrapped toy or bike for donation. Thank you!!!

Members and Chapter Supporters
Please RSVP prior to November 30th 2015
Richard Lynch at
916-257-7982 or judi.rich@gmail.com



# NOVEMBER 2015



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4 CVIPSSA Chapter Meeting	5	6	7 Pool Spa Patio Expo Las Vegas
8 Pool Spa Expo	9 Pool Spa Expo	10 Pool Spa Expo	11 Veterans Day CVIPSSA Board Meeting Pool Spa Patio	12 Pool Spa Patio Expo Las Vegas	13	14
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## DECEMBER 2015

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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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