



We are a family organization and welcome social interactions among all our members. Riders of all ages are welcome to join us. We are a growing, vibrant organization of almost 400 members.

MAGIC VALLEY ATV RIDERS, INC. QUAD MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

AUGUST CLUB NEWSLETTER

THANK YOU FOR AN EXCELLENT CLUB PICNIC!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

Thank you to all our members that came to the club picnic in Filer on Wednesday night. We had one of our larger picnic attendances ever with 94 folks! The club was able to give away over \$700 in prizes. A huge thanks to the donors who made this possible: Action Cycle n Sleds, Adventure Motorsports, Xtreme RV, Century Motorsports, Dairy Queen on Blue Lakes, and Dave and Kristi Burgoyne. Also, a



big thanks to everyone that brought a dish to pass and helped get set up. We could not do it without members like you!



AUGUST 1, 2013

THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO ATTENDED THE MVATVR PICNIC!

We would like to welcome our newest club members to MVATVR:

 Aaron & Amy Larson

PAST CLUB RIDES Soda Springs, July 13-20

MVATVR found several members of the club camping at 7400 ft in some of the most beautiful forest you could imagine. Tall pines, lush vegetation, very green, beautiful wild flowers everywhere, acres and acres of our "National Flower", very scenic views, and rocks, rocks, and more rocks (and some in the wrong spots)! The day-time temperatures were in the 70's dipping down to the low 50's at night and there were light rain showers to keep the dust down. Fantastic ridina! This is one of the best ATV trail systems in the state of Idaho. Our tax money was put to good use. This was fun technical ATV riding at its best. Check out the pictures at: http://www.mvatvr.org/images/galleryMaps/201 3/Soda%20Springs/Soda%20Springs.html.

Thanks to Joe and Larry for setting this ride up. The camping was great-lots of laughs and good food! Thanks Lisa for the lasagna, Lorean for your steak and noodles, Pat for the layered salad, Brad and Linda for your cabbage salad, rhubarb and berry cobbler and ice cream, Marilyn for your pineapple cake and Nancy for the strawberry shortcake. We ate way too much!! A special thanks to all to attended and had a great time.



A group photo from the trail at Soda Springs.



The camp where the group stayed....and ate!

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- 12 volt, Group 24, CCA 625
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UPCOMING RIDES Goat Lake Ride by Frank Stone August 10 & 11

Contact: Frank Stone at 934-5491

<u>Saturday Meeting Location</u>: The primary campsite is located 7 miles north of Pine (no fees/services) on Forest Service Road 061Z (left turn off the highway). Campsites can not be reserved. The GPS location is: N43 34.228 W115 16.235

Saturday Ride Time: Leaving at 9:00 am promptly

<u>Saturday Ride:</u> Attention all "Beginner" MVATV riders, the upcoming Goat Lake Walk- About is the one ride you won't want to miss. The Forest Service roads in this area will provide for GREAT riding and beautiful scenery.

What would you think of a 38 mile ride over well maintained winding gravel roads that follow the South Fork of the Boise River? Fantastic views along the river with breathtaking scenery of the steep mountains and rocky terrain that abound. Bring your fishing poles, camera and plenty of gas. Beginner riders, this is just what you have been waiting for to finally get the cobwebs off the ATV. The Forest Service's maintained trails and great scenery along the river are fantastic! Ride level of 1+/2.

Sunday Meeting Location: The same primary campsite. Sunday Ride Time: 10:00 AM

For all the more advanced riders, once we get past the scenic delights of the Boise River, the planned route will begin to climb another 8 miles into a MVATVR Ride Level of 3+ to our final endpoint of reaching the "Walk-About" pathway to Goat Lake. This ride IS NOT for beginners or those that do not like lots of rocks.



MACKAY CAMP & RIDE August 19-25

Pocatello Trail Machine Association is once again holding their annual Mackay camp and ride, and we are invited.

MONDAY AUGUST 19 THROUGH SUNDAY AUGUST 25.

Come for 1 day or 7 whatever you choose. Free camping at the Mackay Tourist Park. (No hookups at Tourist Park) There are other RV Parks in the area with hookups. Dump Station located in Mackay.

If you like history you will love the Mackay Mine Hill Tour Maps and brochures are available in Mackay. Self guided tour of Mining activity on the Mackay mine hill. If you look at everything it will take you at least 2 days to see it all. Very easy riding. In addition you have the opportunity of additional rides. Mackay is an ATV friendly town. ATV's are permitted on some streets. Speed limit for ATV's is 15 mph. Please do not do anything to make us look bad to local citizens. Would you like more info on Mackay and the area? http://mackayidaho.com Click on : Single tank adventures. Lots of information on their website. Lots of riding in other close by areas- Arco, Copper Basin, Antelope Valley. Gas is available in Mackay, as well as several restaurants, stores and a reservoir or tour the Mt Borah earthquake sight.

Directions: From Arco follow Hiway 93 to Mackay. As you enter Mackay watch for booth on right where they are selling mine tour maps. Go one block past Main Street and turn left on Capitol follow past golf course, turn right on Vadan Street, which goes into campground. Campground is shaded but a has a case of drippy trees. Sap will leave everything sticky but it washes off.

More information call ZeeRay Anderson with PTMA 208-520-9934.



Come ride the Bayhorse with us on August 16, 17 and 18. The main ride is on Saturday and will leave from the Land of the Yankee Fork Interpretive Center at 10:00 AM (at highway 75/93 junction). There is a \$5 day use fee upon arrival. This ride is open to machines 50 inches or less. Lunch will be provided on the trail for a donation. Plan on camping the entire weekend or just come up for the day. Camping is on your own and there are many great places to camp in Challis. The Challis Golf Course has full hook ups and a shower house for \$32-\$35/night. Call Heather at (208) 390-9568.

For more information or questions, please call MVATVR board member Jessica Minor at 490-0626. Please let her know if you are planning to ride the Bayhorse.

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"For the 100th time, I'm SORRY I went ATV riding and did not take you with me!"



I'm very excited about a new feature that was just added to the MVATVR "**Trails**" webpage. This feature will now allow our ATV members who also own an iPad, the ability to use this device to view "ALL" the Motor Vehicle Use Maps (MVUM) they need in one easy to view format...... On their iPad (or tablet).

I do realize that perhaps a small number of our members may currently own an iPad. However, after the non-iPad users see what is possible, I'm in hopes they will appreciate the advantages offered from this great device.

Have you thought that an iPad would be a useful device but just lacked the one extra nudge to go buy one? These devices are great for reading books or just catching up on the news/weather. Are you tired of folding those super large MVUM's or even trying to find just the one map you really need? Are you frustrated when you tear the map and need to pick up another?

The new and improved MVATVR "Trails" webpage may now have just the additional justification you were waiting for to buy your first iPad or to just extend its use for those who already own a tablet device. The Trails webpage now offers a link to see how to download your saved MVUM's (in pdf format) onto your iPad. Once these maps are available on your tablet, your ready for the trail and will rest assured that you have just the backup information you need to insure your back to camp in time for dinner.

Still not sure if an iPad is right for you? Talk with Frank Stone at the next ATV ride (Goat Lake) and he will show you just what an iPad loaded with MVUM's can offer.

We are pleased to announce some changes to the Board of Directors. Dave Burgess has been elected to the office of Vice President. Kent Oliver, Linda Burgess and Robert Leitch have been voted by the board to fill vacancies on the board. Our newest member of the Board of Directors is Linda Stimpson who has volunteered to assume the duties of Treasurer and Membership Chairman. Thanks to all of these fine folks for volunteering.



"If something goes wrong, try not to scream. I don't want you looking like a wimp on YouTube."

Application For Membership Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. P.O. Box 0767, Twin Falls, Id. 83303-0767
Name (Please Print)
Spouse (Print)
Mailing Address (Please Print)
City / State / Zip (Please Print)
Home Phone Cell Phone
E-Mail Address
Would you like to receive your newsletter by E-Mail? Yes No (email saves postage costs)
What type of riding and other activities do you enjoy?
Would you be interested in committee or board member positions?
Type of Membership: (Circle One)NewYearly Renewal
(Membership Year is January to January. <u>New memberships</u> received after July 31st will be half rate. If received after November 1 st it will be credited toward the next year.)
(Circle One) Individual: \$20.00 per year Spouse/Family: \$25.00 per year Make checks payable to: Magic Valley ATV Riders
READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING: I/we fully understand that ATV activities involve risks and dangers of serious injury up to and including death. I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, costs and damages I may incur as a result of my participation in the Activity. I/we (to include all family members and guests) hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. its directors, agents, officers, members, volunteers, other participants, any sponsors, advisors, and if applicable owners and lessors of premises on which the activity takes place, (each considered one of the "releasees" herein) from all liability claims, demands, losses or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in party the negligence of "releasees". I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim. I am 18 years of age or older, have read and understand the terms of this agreement, understand that I am giving up substantial rights, have signed it voluntarily and without any inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law.
By signing this agreement I/we agree to abide by all club bylaws and rules
Signature Date

TRAIL DIFFICULTY GUIDE

Level 1, Beginner:

Gravel or dirt surfaces that are relatively flat and wide. Generally wide enough for an ATV to pass a fullsized vehicle. May be dusty but are relatively smooth with no rocks or roots protruding more than three inches above the surface. Ride distance will be short, speeds very slow.

Level 2, Advanced Beginner:

Mild ups and downs, some narrow, mild rock, mostly roads and jeep trails, minor off camber. Two-wheel drive ok.

Level 3, Intermediate:

Loose gravel, sandy, rocky or rutty surface. May have short sections that are narrow. Can have blind turns, switchbacks, steep or roller coaster grades, some off-camber side hills, minor drop-offs, ruts and frequent changes in riding surfaces. Occasional obstacles may strike the frame. Four-wheel drive may be needed depending on conditions. Pace of ride will be a little faster, distances and length of ride will be longer.

Level 4, Advanced Intermediate:

Rocky surfaces, sharp turns, switchbacks, steep grades, narrow passages, low overhangs, ledges and large rocks. Can be slippery and muddy when wet. May have tree stumps, limbs or other debris. Machines with low ground clearance may strike or high center on obstacles. Four-wheel drive highly recommended.

Level 5, Expert:

Very rocky, steep, off camber, high water crossings, large ruts. Large obstacles in trails, narrow with big drop offs. Four-wheel drive required, may need winch.



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