



# QUAD NEWS

Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. P.O.Box 0767  
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Please welcome our newest members:

*Dean and Linda Cameron*

*Jeffrie Lamley*

*Ron and Cheryl Stone*

*Gator and Kat Veach*

*Raymond & Lynn Aube*

*Our newest and youngest member joined at 1:17 PM on February 26 and weighed 7 lbs 10 oz. Her name is Maridith Allsison Minor, she is the daughter of Doug and Jessica Minor*

Mark your calendar for our April meeting. Date will be April 16th, at Action Cycles n Sleds. The Boulder White Clouds are again in the news. The latest attempt at restricting motorized access to this area is in the form of a National Monument. It is very important that the motorized community get involved in this process. Our special guest speaker for the April meeting will be Sandra Mitchell. Sandra is the executive director of the Idaho Recreation Council, with very good connections in Washington DC. Sandra will bring us up to date on the latest information on the proposed monument and explain the best course of action for the motorized community to take.

Next meeting

**Wednesday March 12, 2014**

Adventure Motor Sports

2469 Kimberly Road

Twin Falls, Id.

**FREE FOOD**

Yep, you read it right, the folks at Adventure will be furnishing dinner. They will be cooking up some of their world famous, Sloppy Joe's. Dinner will include chips, drink and Dessert

They will begin serving dinner shortly after 6:00 PM, the meeting will follow Dinner.

Adventure is the **Yamaha. Honda** dealer, so come on in early and have a look at the new machines and Accessories.

Kevin Balls, service manager at Adventure will be giving an informative talk on the care and feeding of your ATV.

Wes Wall the owner of Adventure will be offering a **15% discount** on all part and accessories ( in stock or special order) to all members and guests who Attend the meeting.

We have a new supply of MVATVR orange flags for sale, \$20.00 and will be available at the meeting.

If you are in need of a new pole for your flag Adventure will have special pricing on 6 ft. 1/4 inch poles for only

**\$10.50**

Please feel free to invite a friend to the Meeting

**Please bring a chair to sit on.**

## **North Rim of Snake River Canyon.**

There seems to be some confusion regarding our riding area north of the Perrine Bridge and east of Highway 93. A portion of the area was fenced because of some mineral operation conducted for the new freeway interchange. The rest of the area is still open. There are parking areas farther east along the paved road. In fact I would encourage you to utilize this area. There are some folks that would like to see this area used for other things.

We need to show everyone that we are using the area and care about it staying open to motorized recreation.

# FOR SALE



Polaris RZR 570 EFI, 2013 with 2,500 miles, 3500 lb Xtreme Winch, Parking Brake, 1/2 Windshield (not shown in picture), Modified Air Intake System, Rip-Stop Nylon Doors, 2 - Fabric Storage Bags, Mud Flaps, Horn, Mirrors. \$8,500. Please call Frank Stone at 934-5491

**For Sale: 2011 Can-Am Outlander 800R.** 2 stage power steering, 3000 lb winch, Large storage box with padded back rest. Serviced and ready to ride.  
1173 miles. \$9146.00 Call Matt. 208-731-5558



**Safety Tip:** Always use seat belt and restraints. UTV in picture did slow tip over in rut. Passenger did not have seat belts fastened, fell out and was pinned by UTV. Roll bar pinned passengers head to ground. The good news; passenger was wearing a helmet.



## Go Get LOST! - Only Kidding

Very soon, our resident computer expert Aaron Larson will be scheduling a one day GPS lab for our MVATVR members. For those members (like me) that are geographically challenged and missed out on "Homing Pigeon" class in school, this will be a great way to build up your confidence level when using a handheld GPS.

Should you find that you're not able to attend Aaron's class, I have another option you may want to consider. Stock up your car with ample food and water, warm blankets and all the emergency traveling extras you can think of, and head out with your GPS unit into your "local neighborhood." That's right, I'm talking ROAD TRIP! Let's use your GPS to save a track while traveling in a well known location and then use the GPS again to show you the way home. The principle is exactly the same as if you were in the back roads of Idaho and completely clueless on how to find your way back to your vehicle. Are you ready to get lost?

I can't stress enough the importance of first reading your GPS manual to get acquainted with the terms/steps needed to both save a track and start a trackback command. When I describe the steps needed below, the naming protocol and steps I use may be different from what your manual describes. However, if you recently reviewed your manual, it may be easier to interpret the commands you will need to follow. The good news is, should this big adventure fail miserably, you're already in a familiar area and will always be able to get back home for dinner.

How to first "Record" a new track:

Select "Main Menu" > "Tracks" > "Setup" >

Set "Track Log" to "On" >

Select "Clear Track Log" before starting each new track. This is a very important step because it will clear the memory of where your last track ended. This will help insure that the new track you are starting will not have any data included from a previous outing.

Now that your GPS is on and the TracBack command is set to record, jump into your car and head out into your neighborhood. After making a 2-3 mile track, stop your journey and "save your track!"

The "Save" feature on your GPS should be found just after you select the "Main Menu" > "Tracks" command.

Give your track a name or just accept the default naming (usually a date).

### Are You Ready To Start Back Home?

How to initiate a trackBack command from a previously recorded track:

Select "Main Menu" > "Tracks"

Select your previously saved track. A list of saved tracks should now be visible.

Select "trackBack"

Select Your Point to trackBack to. This is where some GPS units may respond differently. Use your mouse pointer to move to the location of your track where you want to go to. Now hit your enter/select button to select that location.

Now it should be a matter of just following the path (arrow) shown on the screen. Assuming your GPS has a sound feature, you will also hear a beep just before a turn is about to take place.

Please be VERY careful and pay attention to the traffic while navigating the streets. It would also be helpful to have another person driving the car as you work the GPS unit.

When you have returned home, be sure to select the "Stop Navigation" button.

*Submitted by Frank Stone*

# Past Ride

**Hammett– Saylor Creek Bombing Range** was the site of our February 22 ride. 17 machines enjoyed a great February day in the desert. Mother Nature was cooperative with lots of sunshine 50 degree afternoon temperatures with some wind to keep the dust away and remind us it was spring in Idaho. All in all a really good day to enjoy the outdoors with your friends. Great group of riders, with lots of smiles. Great job by our guide for the day, 11 year old Colton Leitch who did a fantastic job of leading the way.

When I was a boy I was told anyone could become President

Now I believe it.

*Clarence Darrow*



# Upcoming Rides

## *Lake Channel Ride*

**Saturday March 8th, 2014**

Meet at Ridgley's parking lot in Rupert

Directions to Ridley's :

Take exit 211 from I84, go north into Rupert, just after 3rd stoplight Ridley's will be on right.

We will depart Ridley's at 9:00 AM and caravan to unloading site.

Ride Length will be about 70 to 80 miles depending on the navigational skills of the leader and how much play miles you put on at the sand dunes.

Ride will be mostly 2 track roads with a sand play area in the middle of the ride.

Lake Channel is an old river bed that is now a sandy play area.

Lunch will be hot dogs about 1:00PM near the Lake Channel area.

Please bring hot dogs, condiments, cooking equipment, and if possible a small amount of wood.

Ride Host Jerry Kriegh 678-3489 or 312-5235

Winter Camp/ Hot Springs

## *Winter Camp/Hot Springs*

**Saturday March 22, 2014**

Meet at Balanced Rock view area at 9:00 AM

Balanced Rock is west of Castleford on 3700N.

We will caravan to unloading area from there.

Ride will be about 70 miles of mostly 2 track roads

Road down into hot springs is rocky with drop-offs Level 3

Winter Camp is an old unique ranch on the east fork of the Bruneau

River. (Ranch is private property, please treat it as such)

Ride Host:

Kent Oliver 731-0089

Below is press release, going to media regarding our donation from 50/50 raffle. Thanks to all you for your generosity in making this possible.



Banquet 50/50 Raffle

Pictured right to left: Melissa Rowe (Social Worker, MSTI), Gary Aufderheide (Board of Directors, MV ATV Club), Dave Burgess (Vice-President, MV ATV Club), Melissa Fender-son (Director, MSTI), Pat Mai (Secretary, MV ATV Club) and Nicole Thomas (Social Worker, MSTI)

Magic Valley ATV Riders making donation to St Luke's Mountain States Tumor Institute Cancer Patient Emergency fund.

Members of the Magic Valley ATV Riders donated \$700 to the Cancer Patient Emergency Fund from their Annual Member Appreciation Banquet held in January 2014. The Banquet organizers included a raffle in the evening's activities which raised the donated funds. The Magic Valley ATV Riders are a family organization with riders of all ages. The Cancer Patient Emergency Fund provides assistance for cancer patient's emergency needs such as medications, transportation through private companies, utilities and other needs.

**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** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work 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) New Yearly Renewal**

**(Membership Year is January to January. New memberships received after July 31st will be half rate.**

**If received after November 1st 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** \_\_\_\_\_ **Spouse** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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