

Come Ride With Us!

Apr 2022



WE RIDE! WE CAMP! WE MEET! WE WORK! WE PROTECT!
The Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. is excited for you to join us in exploring the many great areas around the Magic Valley and beyond. Come Ride With Us!

The Presidents Message

President/CEO, Gregg Roessler

2022 is starting out to be a banner year for the Roesslers. Cheryl and I were flattered to be asked to join the Board of Directors as Vice President and Secretary. We began our one year term on the first of January and started serving the Board immediately by helping with the Annual Appreciation Banquet.

Little did we know that we would be adding Banquet Emcee and Hostess to our Club resume so soon. What a pleasant surprise! We were grateful for the opportunity to share that experience with the 84 faithful members who joined us that night. What a great group of people you are! Thank you for being such a supportive audience, considering the loss of the PA system at the beginning of the event.

By February 26, we had added President/CEO and First Lady/Newsletter Editor to our resume. We truly appreciate this incredible opportunity to work with such an extraordinary team of leadership veterans. The mentoring began at the Emergency Board Meeting when Linda Stimpson said "after a very serious meeting, you should always have a very serious dessert," and we did!

Treasurer Linda Stimpson has been the liaison for the transition of all Club President Properties, and

has been the epitome of patience answering our many questions. We are also grateful for President Emeritus Kent Oliver for helping us obtain access to the club's website and solving other issues. In addition, we appreciate the knowledge and expertise of our son and new member, Ken Roessler, whose many years of experience in computer programming has allowed him to help us update and manage the website.

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The New Administration

AMBASSADORS

Club Ambassadors, Gary Aufderheide, Glen Duggan and Gregg Roessler headed out on their first official duty with The New Administration to meet with United States Forest Service Recreation Manager Daniel Fisher, and Recreation Specialist Jed Friedman on March 4, 2022 in Burley, ID.

Meeting discussion centered on the Club's cooperation with the Forest Service to address Trail Work issues. Trails discussed were Trout Creek, Swantee Springs, Kirkham, Third Fork, Trail 912 near FS Flats, possibility of connecting Trail 617 to 618 in the Wooden Shoe Butte area. In addition, barriers at Porcupine and other trailheads were discussed, along with access to Three Corners Road leading to the 3-sided ID-NV-UT Tri-State Monument twenty-five miles from Oakley, ID.



Bruce and Annie Thomason, Ride Leader Jerry Kriegh, Steve Osborne, Gregg Roessler, Ted MacNeil.



Annie Thomason, Cheryl Roessler, Steve Osborne



ID, NV, UT Tri-State Monument



NATIONAL CROSSCUT & CHAINSAW PROGRAM

Forest Service Chainsaw Training Class

Friday April 8, 2022, 12-6 PM. Twin Falls Fire Department: 345 2nd Ave E, Twin Falls

Roster of MVATV Riders Attending

- 1. Gary Aufderheide
- 2. Glen Duggan
- 3. Glen Fischer
- 4. Del Hansen
- 5. Labrry Hazen
- 6. Rob Hendrickson
- 7. Richard Keck
- 8. Jacob Metcalf
- 9. Kent Oliver
- 10. Gregg Roessler
- 11. Jim Smith

Welcome New Members

Micheal Akers, Cheri Akers, Brayden Garver, John Graham, Andy Graham, Robert Leitch, Ken Roessler, Harold Schroeder, Jim Smith.

Thinking of you

Please notify us of any illness or loss of family members. We will send Get Well and Sympathy cards from the club and make a mention of it in the Newsletter.

Treasurers Report

TOTAL IN CHECKING ACCOUNT:

3/23/2022 **\$3,708.03**

EMERGENCY RESERVE FUND BALANCE:

3/09/2022 **\$4,741.89**

Interest

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Transfer to Checking Account

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TOTAL IN EMERGENCY RESERVE FUND:

3/23/2022 **\$4,741.89**

GRAND TOTAL:

\$8,449.92

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda Stimpson, Treasurer/Membership

*The books are always available for review by request.

Emergency Board Meeting

Saturday, February 26, 2022 1:30-2:30 PM

Stimpson Residence, Kimberly, ID

>**Board Members present:** Gary Aufderheide, Dixie Best, Randy Graham, Linda Laudert, Ted MacNeil, Cheryl Roessler, Gregg Roessler, Brad Stimpson, Linda Stimpson.

>**Board Members Absent:** Ron Mothershead

>**Guest Member:** Robert Leitch

>**Purpose:** Elect New Board of Directors

New Board Member: Robert Leitch

New Newsletter Editor: Cheryl Roessler

New Vice President: Randy Graham

New President/CEO: Gregg Roessler



THANK YOU BRAD AND LINDA!

The New Administration

INTRODUCTORY CLUB MEETING

March General Meeting

March 9, 2022 Dinner 6 PM, Meeting 7 PM
Adventure Motorsports
2469 Kimberly Rd, Twin Falls, ID 83301

>**Board Members Present:** Gary Aufderheide, Dixie Best, Robert Leitch, Ted MacNeil, Cheryl Roessler, Gregg Roessler, Brad Stimpson, Linda Stimpson.

>**Board Members Absent:** Linda Laudert, Ron Mothershead.

>**Attendance:** (45)

>**Introduction:** New Members and New Officers.

>**Guest Speakers:**

1. USFS Recreation Specialist Jed Friedman.
2. Adventure Motorsports Co-Owner Jeremiah Higley. Topics: Maintenance and Communication/Radios.

Conratulations Steve Osborne!

Steve won the \$50 cash drawing prize donated by Gregg and Cheryl Roessler to celebrate the First Club Meeting under The New Administration.



THANK YOU ADVENTURE MOTORSPORTS!

Did You Know?

There were 38 Ride Opportunities in 2021. 12 Day Rides were offered, and there were 26 opportunities for rides during Camp and Rides.



Yamaha Side-by-Side Promotions



2469 Kimberly Rd, Twin Falls, ID 83301
- 208.733.5072
<http://www.adventuretf.com>

Don't Forget the Bug Spray!

Mosquitoes are especially bothersome in the summer. No-See-Ums, chiggers, fire ants, horseflies, and wasps are also pests to watch out for. Remember to take along sunscreen and First Aid supplies too.

March Board Meeting

March 23, 2022 Dinner 6 PM, Meeting 7 PM
Idaho Joe's 598 Blue Lakes Blvd N.
Twin Falls, ID 83301

>**Board Members Present:** Gary Aufderheide, Dixie Best, Randy Graham, Linda Laudert, Robert Leitch, Ron Mothershead, Cheryl Roessler, Gregg Roessler, Brad Stimpson, Linda Stimpson

>**Board Members Absent:** Ted MacNeil

*All Club Members are welcome to attend and observe Board Of Directors Meetings, but not participate.



THANK YOU IDAHO JOE'S!

UPCOMING RIDES & EVENTS

- April 16, 2022 Black Pine/Strevell.....Campout
Aaron Larson, RL 208-312-4867
- April 23, 2022 3 Corners/Dave's Pass.....Day Ride
Jerry Kriegh, RL 208-312-5235

UPCOMING CLUB MEETINGS

- April 13, 2022.....General Meeting
Dinner-6 PM Meeting-7PM Bring a chair!
ACTION CYCLES 'N SLEDS
2540 Addison Avenue East, Twin Falls
- April 27, 2022..... Board Meeting
Dinner-5:30 PM Meeting-6 PM
IDAHO JOE'S
598 Blue Lakes Blvd North, Twin Falls

Ride Leaders Committee: Ride Coordinator: Linda Laudert, Gary Aufderheide, Dixie Best, Jerry Duffy, Wayne Fischer, Randy Graham, Jerry Kriegh, Aaron Larson, Ron Mothershead, Brad and Linda Stimpson.

Spontaneous Rides: We welcome and encourage [spontaneous rides](#). If you decide to go riding, please give us three days notice. We cannot guarantee that it will get on the calendar or e-mailed to the club.

The Fine Print: I fully understand that ATV activities involve risks and danger of serious injury up to and including death. I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, cost, and damage I might incur as a result of my participation in any activity. Rides are open to current MVATVR members and their invited guests' only.

Board of Directors

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FIRST RIDE OF THE YEAR!

MINIDOKA CROSSING: RIDE LEADER JERRY KRIEGH

Saturday, March 26, 2022 16 Rigs/29 Riders

RIDE REPORT...by Jerry Kriegh

Members met at West Minico Junior High School. From there we went North to Kimima, crossed the Mainline Railroad, and on to the unloading area. A total of 16 machines started heading West. This was a new area. As Jerry's luck would have it; HE GOT LOST.

The trail to be traveled had a new fence surrounding new pivots, NO gates on fence. Tried to out run fence to find a gate. Fence won. Started around end of fence heading West to find trail that had been lost due to new fence only to not being able to find trail. Someone with new gadgets said go left, go right...maybe these gadgets were lost also.

Seeing power lines led to a good road and on towards the destination. See leader wasn't lost, just exploring new areas. On the main road we headed East to Peavy well. Took a break then headed North to the lavas. Lunch at 12:30. Waited a few minutes for three machines coming to us from the North across the lavas. We crossed the trail through the lavas, stopping a couple of times for pictures. Probably be live on news at later date. Caption (29 LOST SOULS FOUND.)

Heading West again to landing strip and then South to pickups. 52 miles traveled approximately. Ride Leader had a good time for being lost all but two miles of ride. Hope all that rode had a good ride.



The Duffys



OUR STORY... by Nancy Duffy

In September we will be celebrating **59 years together**. We started out dating in a 1952 Jeep Pickup! We have never been without a Jeep. Our Way of Life Jeeps, Guns, Hunting- Motorcycles, (Road bikes and Trail Bikes), ATV's and Side by Sides! We want to thank the man that invented Side by Sides! It lets old people go lots of places where they shouldn't.

We owned and operated Nat-Soo-Pah 1976-2000 (Retiring). We belonged to two different Jeep Clubs over the years! Jerry entered competitions. We banked at Farmers Bank. Pat Mai worked at the bank and she told us they were starting an ATV club, she knew we had an ATV.

We weren't sure we wanted that. After running the pool for so many years we were really sick of people. We are truly thankful for the Club and all it provides: Camping, Riding Trails, Campfires, Laughing Great Fun! God Bless each of you for sharing our Love for Mother Nature!

Membership Dues

Dues are \$20 Single/\$25 family. Mail your payment to PO Box 0767, Twin Falls, ID 83303, bring your payment to the next meeting, or [pay online](#). Debit & credit cards accepted. [Click here](#) to download an application. –Treasurer Linda Stimpson

Flags

American flags and the MVATV Riders orange flags are \$20 each. Call Brad Stimpson (208-308-8526).

Club Logos

Quick Draw Embroidery & Screen Printing
3790 North 3386 East, Kimberly, ID.

Quick Draw will print the Club's logo on your shirts, jackets, hats, etc, or you can buy the items from them for embroidery or printing. Price is determined by the size of the logo you select.

Thank You Dealers

ACTION CYCLES 'N SLEDS

2540 Addison Avenue East, Twin Falls,
ID 83301 – 208.736.8118

www.actioncyclesnsleds.com

ADVENTURE MOTORSPORTS

2469 Kimberly Rd, Twin Falls, ID 83301
- 208.733.5072

<http://www.adventuretf.com>

LETS RIDE

270 ID-24, Rupert, ID 83350
208.678.3858

www.letsride-idaho.com

YOUNG POWERSPORTS

333 Overland Avenue, Burley, Idaho
83318 - 208.243.8814

youngpowersports.com

Club Rules

The Magic Valley ATV Riders Inc., also referred to as the Club, is expecting your cooperation in adhering to the following rules and guidelines while participating in Club activities.

1. Any actions that are considered unlawful or unsafe are prohibited.

2. Pets should be kept on a leash of no longer than 6 feet during any rides, campouts or other Club events. Please be a responsible pet owner and respect the rights of others.

3. According to Idaho State Law, anyone under the influence and/or consuming alcohol or illegal drugs while operating an OHV will be breaking the law, which will not be tolerated by the Club.

4. Generator use should be in consideration of others at the camp. A recommended quiet time from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM must be observed.

5. Operating your machine in a safe responsible manner, and waiting at intersections and corners will insure that fellow riders are not left behind, and that everyone has an enjoyable ride. Thank you.

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 full-sized 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 and speeds will be 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. Also, May have short sections that are narrow. Trail 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. The trail 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, and large obstacles in trails. Can be narrow with big drop offs. Four-wheel drive required, may need winch.



SOUTH HILLS UPDATES

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO PLANT SAGEBRUSH Antelope Valley, South Hills

Volunteers are needed to plant 15,000 seedlings over two weekends to help restore wildlife habitat damaged by the 2020 Badger Fire. This is an opportunity to get directly involved in improving Public Lands. **Saturday April 9, 2022 9 a.m.-1 p.m.**
Saturday April 16, 2022 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

The planting location will be in the Antelope Valley area directly South of Hansen. Fish and Game staff will meet volunteers at the intersection of East 2900 North and North 4000 East at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, April 9 and 16, and then everyone will drive to planting sites. A 4 wheel-drive or high clearance vehicle is recommended. Planting equipment will be provided. Bring work gloves, water, and a lunch.

Contact the Magic Valley Regional Office prior to each planting day to ensure adequate planting equipment will be available. Contact Brandon Tycz, Regional Habitat Biologist, or Tanarae Alberti, Volunteer Services Coordinator at 208-324-4359 to sign up.

WILD TURKEYS RELOCATED TO THE SOUTH HILLS Big Cottonwood - Game Management Unit 54

In February 2022, 36 turkeys were relocated from Pocatello. Youth turkey season opens April 8 and

the general season opens April 15. Idaho provides some of the highest turkey success rates in the country. In the Magic Valley Region, turkeys are primarily found on or near Big Cottonwood Wildlife Management Area.

Jake Powell-Regional Wildlife Manager
Magic Valley

BADGER FIRE RECOVERY RECEIVES FEDERAL FUNDS

National Forest Service System Land that was managed by the Minidoka Ranger District gets \$1.7 million for projects.

The funding comes from H.R.5305 - Extending Government Funding and Delivering Emergency Assistance Act of 2021.

The act provided federal agencies with a total of \$28.6 billion in supplemental appropriations for disaster relief recovery.

Seen on the Minidoka Crossing Ride
Saturday, March 26, 2022



Sagebrush Buttercups
RANUNCULUS GLABERRIMUS





Magic Valley ATV Riders, INC. (MVATVR)
PO Box 0767, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0767
Application for Membership

PLEASE PRINT ALL ENTRIES

Spouse 1 Name: _____ Spouse 2 First Name (and last if different): _____
Mailing Address: _____ City, State Zip Code: _____ Total Family Members: ____
Home Phone: _____ Spouse 1 Cell: _____ Spouse 2 Cell: _____
Spouse 1 Email: _____ Spouse 2 Email: _____

If you have no email address your club newsletter will be mailed to you via USPS.

Type of membership. Select One: New Yearly Renewal

Membership year is January to December. New memberships received after July 31st will be half rate and after November 1st will be credited for next year. Your email address will be taken off the mailing list as February 1st of the new year if dues are not paid current.

Please select one: Individual \$20.00 per year Spouse/Family @25.00 per year

Photo Release: I / We understand MVATVR cannot control who takes pictures and of what on the rides. We also understand MVATVR cannot control what is placed on social media. We understand MVATVR receives photos and video from members which is posted on the web site. We understand it is our responsibility to tell anyone who is taking pictures or video on a ride or at a function we do not want to be photographed. We do give MVATVR consent to use our picture on the website with our name and limited demographic information in the "members only" section of the website.

Please initial: _____ Yes, I agree _____ No, I don't agree

READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK / HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I / We recognize that riding an ATV/UTV is a hazardous activity that can result in serious personal injury or death. I / We accept the risks inherent to riding with a group including, but not limited to, obstacles on and off the roads and trails, rapidly changing weather, limited visibility, variation of slope and steepness on and off the trails, surface or sub-surface conditions on and off the trails and roads, collisions with other ATVs/UTVs including other riders, and collisions with devices used to mark the boundary of trails or roads.

In consideration of my / our participation in the events and rides of the Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc., and related club rides/events, I / we hereby release and agree to hold harmless the Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc., its volunteers, officers, directors and agents, and all club members of the Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc., and their volunteers, officers, directors and agents from all claims and demands related to my / our participation in rides and events organized, sponsored, supported and/or promoted by Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. and/or its club members.

I / We have carefully read this agreement and the release of liability and fully understand its contents. I / We are aware that this release of liability is a contract between Magic Valley ATV Riders, Inc. (and its club members) and myself / us and I / we sign it of my / our own free will. My / our signature signifies that I / we have read and agree with this release.

The above and foregoing shall also apply to any minor child of mine accompanying me or participating in the events and activities above-described.

By signing this agreement, we agree to abide by all club bylaws and rules.

Signature: _____ Spouse: _____

Date: _____

