

MVATVR Annual Member Appreciation Banquet

When?

Saturday, January 21
Social Hour: 5:00 p.m.
Dinner: 6:00 p.m.



Where?

Twin Falls Reformed Church
1631 Grandview Drive North
Twin Falls, ID 83301

Corner of Pole Line
and Grandview

Dinner

MVATVR will be furnishing sliced pork loin for dinner, as well as cake and other dessert items.

We will also provide the table service, water, and coffee to drink. Bring a non-alcoholic beverage if you like.

We would appreciate if you could contribute a salad or other side dish for the potluck along with a serving utensil.

Don't forget-put your name on the utensils and dishes you bring.

To help us make sure we have enough food, please fill out this [Registration Form](#) by Sunday, January 15th if you think you will attend. It is not mandatory, just helpful to us when buying food\supplies.

No internet? Call a board member to sign you up!

Raffles

Hey guys and gals - we have TWO raffle items this year!

1 – Ladies package!

2 – \$400 in cold hard, \$100 bills!



Door Prizes

Prizes are still being finalized, but may include:

Three, \$50 gift certificates from each of our local dealers (Action Cycles and Sleds, Adventure Motorsports, Let's Ride, and Young Powersports). Also, tons of physical prizes such as straps, camp chairs, tool kits, and much more!

Please note: You must be current on your 2023 membership and must be present to win. You can pay ahead (this will speed up the sign in) or you can pay at the banquet. Every membership that is current on their dues will receive a ticket for the door prize drawings. One ticket per membership (family). There is an updated membership form on the website, please download it, and fill it out to save time.

Giving Back to the Community

This year the raffle money will be split 80\20. 80% of the money will be donated to the Buhl Senior Citizens Center and the tickets will be \$5 each or 5 for \$20.



away anything that is expired!

We are asking everyone to bring a non-perishable food item(s) to contribute towards one of the local food pantries. We understand that their shelves are pretty bare after helping many local community members get through the holiday season. Let's see if we can fill the foyer with food, which will in turn help refill their shelves! Greeters will collect your canned food donation(s) as you enter. Please make sure to check the expiration date as they have to throw



We sincerely hope all of you can attend the banquet. This is a great opportunity to see old friends, make new ones, have a great meal, and possibly win a prize! Invite a friend!

If you have any questions or would like to donate a prize, please contact Dixie Best at 208-308-6418.

Magic Valley ATV Riders

Jan 2023



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, active organization of almost 400 members! – Photo: October 2, 2021, YE 100 Ride.

Message from Gary

Here we are again newsletter time, and it's almost a new year. We have survived Christmas and the bitter cold - so far! I would like to wish everyone a very happy new year. I am looking forward to doing a lot more riding and camping than Linda and I were able to do last year.

Our club is planning on doing a little more trail work in 2023. We will be working with the Forest Service on several projects that will improve our trail system and make the trails safer for everyone. Please consider helping us.

I want to thank the club for letting me serve as the interim president. I also thank the board; they are a great group of people to work with.

The board is currently working on the details for the banquet and the 2023 club rides. We welcome ideas from members concerning either of those projects.

Thank you all and Happy New Year!

Gary Aufderheide – Outgoing President

December Social

We would like to thank everyone that braved the snow storm and attended the December Social at Idaho Pizza.



Lava Ridge Meeting

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Idaho Resource Advisory Council (RAC) Lava Ridge Wind Project Subcommittee meeting will be Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023, 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. Mountain Standard Time. In person and virtual via Zoom. Public comment from 11:30 to 11:45 a.m. Anyone interested can contact Heather Tiel-Nelson at 208-736-2352

Utah OHV Training

An FYI: Utah has a new law that requires everyone that is riding an OHV to take a free, once-in-a-lifetime online class in order to ride an OHV in their state.

The class will be available in January and the URL to take the class will be at <https://stateparks.utah.gov/activities/off-highway-vehicles/ohv-education/>

Note – As of the writing of this newsletter, the class has not been posted on their website yet.

OHV Sticker Reminder

This is a good time to get those stickers so you can go riding if a last-minute ride pops up in January of the new year!

Registration stickers are available at some of the OHV dealerships and local DMV offices. You can also renew online through the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation website. You can also renew them for TWO years now!!!!

<https://idpr.idaho.gov/Renewal/>

State Parks Passport Stickers

To purchase a State Parks Passport, you will need to call **1-800-247-6332** and ask for a State Parks Passport (\$10 one) for your ATV or SxS.

Make sure you get one for your tow rig as well.

Upcoming Rides & Events

Here are the rides and campouts that are penciled into the calendar. Please watch the calendar on the website for up-to-date information.

There are no rides currently scheduled due to the weather.

We will update the calendar on the website with more details on rides and other events as information becomes available.

Linda Laudert – Ride Coordinator

Ride Planning Meeting

We are planning on scheduling a ride planning meeting on Wednesday, January 11th at Idaho Pizza at 5:30 p.m.

We will meet in the meeting area in the back of the restaurant, and you will need to order off the regular menu.

Anyone that would like to be a ride leader, or just wants to have input on where to ride is welcome to attend.

Linda Laudert – Ride Co-Ordinator

Club Meeting Schedule

Jan 21 - Banquet\Twin

Feb 8 – Idaho Pizza Company\Twin

Mar 8 – Probably at Adventure Motorsports\Twin

Apr 12 – Probably at Action Cycles and Sleds\Twin

May 10 – Probably at Let’s Ride\Rupert

At a regular club meeting, dinner starts at 6:00 PM and the meeting starts at 7:00 PM or a little sooner if we finish eating. Meetings usually conclude at 8:00 PM.

Thinking of You

Everyone that is ill, recovering from being ill, family that is ill, lost a friend or family member, or otherwise needs extra support.

Lee Heinzelman had shoulder surgery.

We would also like to pass along that Warren Atwood, a long time member from Rupert, passed away on December 17th.

You may view his obituary [here](#). We would like to express our condolences to his family.

New Members

We would like to welcome the following new members to the club: None this month.

Linda Stimpson

Membership Dues!

Dues are \$25 for a single person and \$30 for a family.

Please mail your payment to PO Box 0767, Twin Falls, ID 83303, bring your payment to the next meeting.

Linda Stimpson

Flags & Hats

If you would like to buy a brand-new orange MVATVR flag for your ATV/UTV, there are still a few available. They are \$20 each



We also have American flags printed on the same material the club flags are printed on. They are also \$20 each.

Hats are also available for \$17 each!



Call Brad Stimpson (208-308-8526) to purchase them or see him at the club meetings!

Club Logos

If anyone wants to have the club logo printed/embroidered on a t-shirt, jacket, etc., [Quick Draw Embroidery & Screen-printing](#) has our logo on file.

You can buy the shirt/jacket/hat from them, or, bring your own. The price is reasonable and depends on how large you want the logo to be.

They are located at 3790 N. 3386 E. in Kimberly. 208-735-8804.

The Fine Print

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. Rides are open to current MVATVR members and invited guests

Thank You Dealers for Supporting the
Magic Valley ATV Riders



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www.actioncyclesnsleds.com



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270 ID-24, Rupert, ID 83350 -
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www.letsride-idaho.com



333 Overland Avenue, Burley, Idaho
83318 - 208.243.8814
youngpowersports.com

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, 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.



Club Rules

The Magic Valley ATV Riders (MVATVR), Inc. would appreciate you being considerate of others and observing the following rules/guidelines while participating in club activities.



Obviously, any actions that are unlawful or unsafe are prohibited.

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

2. Idaho State Law states that being under the influence and/or consuming alcohol or illegal drugs while operating an OHV is illegal and therefore will not be tolerated by MVATVR, Inc.

3. Generator use should be with consideration for others in camp and a recommended quiet time from 10:00 PM to 6:00 AM needs to be observed.

4. By operating your machine in a safe responsible manner, waiting at intersections and corners, you can insure that fellow riders will not be left behind and everyone will have an enjoyable ride.

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Magic Valley ATV Riders, INC. (MVATVR)

PO Box 0767, Twin Falls, ID 83301

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 \$25.00 per year Spouse/Family @30.00 per year

Photo Release: I / We grant MVATVR or its representatives to take photographs of me / us in conjunction with club activities. I / we agree that MVATVR may use such photographs of me / us with or without my / our name and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and Web content. If the listing of my / our name is protected by password, my / our phone and email may also be listed with or without my / our pictures.

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 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 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: _____