

SEARCH AND RESCUE NEWSLETTER
JANUARY 1980

This newsletter is for members of all component groups of "Search and Rescue Council, Inc." Everyone is welcome at all meetings and activities. Practices may be limited to those who are eligible for field operations.

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Fri. Jan. 04 S.A.R.A.... GENERAL MEETING
7:30pm St Marks
Sun. Jan. 06 FWD S.A.R.. GENERAL MEETING
12:00pm Saguaro Nat. Mon. EAST
Sat. Jan. 12 Training-Victim Survey
9:00am T.V. & Sabino
Mon. Jan. 14 C.A.F. SEE NOTE BELOW
7:30pm Flowing Wells Fire St. #2
Wed. Jan. 16 ALL GROUPS: COUNCIL & CALLOUT
7:30pm AHSC 6120
Mon. Jan. 21 C.A.F. SEE NOTE BELOW
7:30pm Flowing Wells Fire St. #2
Wed. Jan. 23 FWD S.A.R.: BOARD MEETING
7:30pm TO BE ANNOUNCED
Thur. Jan. 24 S.A.R.A.: BOARD MEETING
7:30pm TO BE ANNOUNCED
Sun. Jan. 27 Training-Stokes Derby
12:00pm T.V.&Sabino See note below
Sun. Feb. 10 Az. Regional MRA Meeting
Picacho Peak See note below

MEETING PLACES

"St Marks"--St Marks Presbyterian Church
half block W. of Alverson, Use 2nd St. ent.
"Saguaro Nat. Mon. East"-- Meet at visitors
center, admission fee has been waived,
bring your lunch. We will be using the N.
picnic grounds.
"AHSC 6120"--Az. Health Science Center
(University Hosp.) Use S doors, 2nd floor.
6120 is on the 6th floor to the right.
"Flowing Wells Fire Station #2"--2811 W
Curtis Rd. take Davis Ave N from Ruthrauff
to Curtis

MEETING PROGRAMS

S.A.R.A.--Dr. Edward C. "Charles" Percy,
sports related medicine, Orthopedic Surgeon
will give a talk on extremity and joint
injuries. Also prophylactic care.
FWD S.A.R.--~~To be announced, possibly on~~
~~splinting using cardboard splints.~~
(BASIC SPLINTING + LINE SEARCHES)

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Victim Survey: all trainees please attend!
It will be a complete course with practices.
Everybody could use this.
C.A.F. meetings will have a course on land
navigation, class on the 14th, practice on
the 21st.

NEW RESCUE MEMBERS:

Teresa Ann Capeiland: 5am, 23 Dec., 9 lbs - to Linda + Clair
Brian Charles McHugh: 6pm, 24 Dec., 10 lbs - to Chuck + Patty

AZ REGIONAL M.R.A. Meeting

A joint practice is being scheduled on 10 February. It is expected
to be a technical rescue, to exchange methods and ideas. Other
interested groups are welcome. More details in next newsletter.

NEW CALLSHEETS are available for both SARA and FWD. Learn
which members live in your area and coordinate transportation.
Be all set to go BEFORE you get to rendezvous!

MORE TRAINING

Stokes derby-meet at T.V. & Sabino
at 12:00 noon SHARP. Teams will be
picked at rendezvous, so be on time.

FWD Election Results:

John Pedley-Captain, Joe Barr-Lt.,
Betty Henson-Sec., Bob Fish-Treas.,
Board--Linda Buczynski, Chuck Glover
Sr., Jan Lindstrom, Jack Richardson,
and Paul Stoklos. Finance Com.--
Bonnie Lindstrom and Randy Trowbridge

COMMUNICATIONS: There is too much
traffic on Hi-band, we are draining
the power from the portables, so
keep your traffic to a minimum. Also,
155.22 is to be called "RESCUE", not
"OLD MEDS" or "MEDS".

Congratulations to all members of
all groups. The response to calls
has been excellent. Give yourselves
a pat on the back and keep it up.

COUNCIL REPORT: The council has
established the position of training
coordinator. Nate Shechter has been
appointed. Also, the council has
voted to go ahead with issuing of ID
cards. Regs. are being drawn up.

Wanted: Steel 'biners. If you have
some that you would like to get rid
of, contact Joe Barr at 294-8619.

NOTICE TO PEOPLE WITH PAGERS!!

All search and rescue pagers use
rechargeable Nickel/Cadmium batteries.
Anyone who does not have a spare set
of batteries should inquire to the
Comm. Committee about obtaining one.
These batteries, when fully charged,
should last about 40 hours. NiCad
batteries can acquire a "chemical
memory" whereby after a period of use
on the same operation/charge cycle,
a set will eventually operate only
on that cycle. It is best to use
each set of batteries 24 hours,
changing them daily, and keeping
one set in the charger. This assures
good battery life and good pager
response. Under this procedure the
pager is never in the charger. A
full discussion of this phenomenon
will be available from Gary Young
soon.

CALLOUTS

DATE	TIMES	OF	PEOPLE	AIRCRAFT
26 Nov.	2030 ²⁵ -2100 ¹⁶	69		R29, DM, 87G
2 lost backpackers, Pima Canyon, "found" okay				
26 Nov.	0130-0800	70		DM
2 overdue teenagers (C.A.F.), Redington; returned okay.				
29 Nov.	1830-2000	71		R29, P-1
Unfounded report: fall victim on Beehive				
02 Dec.	1830-0200 ⁰⁵	72		
Lost 29y hunter, Corona de Tucson, returned safely.				
04 Dec.	1830-0200 ⁰⁵	73		
Inf. 20y girl, Lemmon Rk Trail, by Stokes to top				
05 Dec.	1700-	74		R29
Missing 70y male, Hacienda del Sol				
06 Dec.	- 1000	75		R29, DM
(continued search) found by DM.				
08 Dec.	1800-1830	76		
Missing 10y boy, Inspiration Rk: Rendezvous Only				