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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

Sun. Mar. 30 TRAINING-FWD-Chiva falls
9:00am Tv & Sabino
Fri. Apr. 04 SARA-Annual Meeting
8:00pm St. Marks ELECTIONS!!
Sat. Apr. 05 TRAINING-Scree Evac.
8:00am Tv & Sabino
Sat. Apr. 12 BASIC ORIENTATION
7:30am Tv & Sabino
Sun. Apr. 13 BASIC ORIENTATION
8:00am Tv & Sabino
Wed. Apr. 16 Council & Callout Review
7:30pm AFSC 6120
Sun. Apr. 20 TRAINING-FWD-POSSE
9:00am Lazy "Be" Ranch
Sun. Apr. 20 Fwd general meeting
9:00am Lazy "Be" Ranch
Sun. Apr. 20 Barbeque ALL GROUPS
12:00pm Lazy "Be" Ranch
Wed. Apr. 23 FWD Board Meeting
7:30pm Richardson's
Thur. Apr. 24 SARA Board Meeting
7:30pm To Be announced
Sat. Apr. 26 TRAINING-Dog Practice
Date and time to be announced

MEETING PLACES

St. Marks-St Marks Presbyterian Church,
half block W of Alvernon, use 2nd St.
Entrance.
Tv & Sabino-Tanque Verde & Sabino Can.
Meet W of the Jack-in-the-Box.
AFSC 6120-Az. Health Science Center
(University Hosp) Use S door, 2nd floor
6120 is on the 6th floor to the right.
Richardson's-11462 E Holster, call for
directions.
Lazy "Be" Ranch-see map below, 2929 S.
San Joaquin Road. Avra Valley

Council

ID cards have been approved by the
Council and the Sheriff's Dept. The
logistics are being worked out for
there issue. These cards will be
available to all field qualified
members upon request. The design of
the card will be similar to the old
IS cards but with the council logo in
background.

Basic Orientation schedule:

0830 Basic introduction
0900 Packing your pack
0930 Map and compass
1000 Radio and radio procedures
1030 ropes and knots
1130 Helicopters
1200 Lunch
1300 Search technique
1330 More Knots
1400 Stokes lashing
1430 Stokes handling
1445 Hauling and lowering systems
1530 Recap/ Q&A

Sunday

0830 SARA/ Orientation
0900 Ropes and Knots
0930 Anchors
1000 Belaying and Rapelling
1100 Simulated Rescue

If you are missing a part of your Basic
come and make it up. Everyone is welcome
at Basic, come and brush up your skills

The schedule of activities for April 20
(9:00am-General Meeting and Practice)
(12:00pm-Lunch)
(1:30pm) Fun time, sack race

Steaks and hamburgers will be available
for a small donation to the Posse.
Please call Jack Richardson if you are
going to attend this activity.

New, additional rendezvous points:

For Mt. Lemmon: Catalina Hwy & Snyder
(The intersection of Cat Hwy, Snyder &
Melpomene) meet on Snyder, East of
Catalina Highway.
For Beehive Peak area: Cardinal &
Drexel Rd. Use Mission South of Ajo to
Drexel, West 1 mile to Cardinal.

Newsletter News

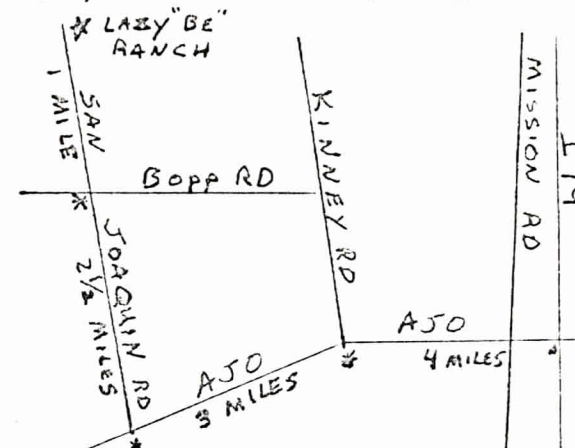
I hope everyone is pleased with are new
expanded format, it has been a long
time in the works. I would like your
suggestions on content. Please call me
at 790-0004 or 623-9448 ask for Clair.
Also, the deadline for submission to the
state newsletter is April 1st. Thier
address is 610 W. Broadway, Suite 120
Tempe, Az. 85282.

PIMA COUNTY FOUR WHEEL DRIVE S&R UNIT
PIMA COUNTY SHERIFF'S MOUNTED POSSE
SOUTHERN ARIZONA RESCUE ASSOCIATION
SEARCH AND RECOVERY DIVERS

Meeting Programs

SARA- Elections, the list of nominees:
John Bownds, Don Morris, Tom Harlan,
Marvin Stafford, Nate Shechter, George
Simons, Dave Kreamer, Rich Kunz, Randy
Bennett, Doug Marcoux, Dave Brown, Rick
Sparrold, Mykle Raymond, Scott Clemans,
Debbie Buecher.

FWD- A short general meeting will be
held prior to the practice on April 20.
come out and have some fun. All groups
are invited to this activity. Following
the practice there will be a barbeque
and lots of fun afterwards. A donkey
race, sack race and rally are planned.



Medical

The council has appropriated the money
necessary for the purchase of a Mulae
kit, it will be available for FA and
practice simulations.

Training

Sara has announced a training schedule
for the upcoming year. The schedule
is flexible and expandable, a schedule
is enclosed with this newsletter.

PIMA COUNTY FAIR
APRIL 11TH - 20TH
ALL GROUPS URGED
TO SET UP DISPLAY.
WE WILL PROBABLY
HAVE SPACE IN THE
LAWENFORCEMENT AREA
CONTACT RICH KUNZ 886-2216

Robert Fish died on March 13 of comp-
lications resulting from his life long
respiratory problems. We have all
lost a dedicated, committed and
respected friend. Bob unselfishly
gave his time, energy and talents to
S&R, volunteering for the most
and unpopular jobs in the field. He
was unable to go into the field.
Another contribution of Bob's was in
the area of the Council. Bob recognized
the importance of an efficient S&R
organization for the residents of Pima
County, and having become involved in
S&R initially through Emergency Service
S&R, he knew that the Council was the
only way to maintain order and
efficiency on a county wide basis.
To the best of our knowledge, there
was not one time that Bob said no to
one more meeting, committee, or job.
May we remember Bob's fighting spirit
and courage in confronting life itself.

FWD: Due to the death of Bob Fish, FWD
will be electing a new treasurer at
the April meeting. Please be present.

COMMUNICATIONS:

FWD has just been granted a repeater
licence for low band. Plans are being
way to aquire the necessary equipment.

SOUND OFF!

OPEN COMMENTS BY OTHERS STIMULATE
IRRITATE ABUSE OR AMUSE THIS EDITOR'S
MIND.-- Malcolm Forbes

WATCH THIS SPACE: This is going to be
a new item in the newsletter starting
this month. Basically what I am
looking for is general items of interest
for the readers. Anyone may submit
items for this column, on any subject.
I may have to edit for length. To
start this month off, I would like to
make a comment on the carrying of
certain items of equipment into the
field. I have noticed some fairly
recent and some not so recent members
going into the field without a hardhat,
headlamp, or enough water. I have been
guilty of this at times but let's all
make a effort to be properly equipped
at all times. Clair Copeland, Ed.