



Search & Rescue Council, Inc.

Southern Arizona Rescue Association
Pima County Four Wheel Drive
Search & Rescue
Pima County Search & Recovery Divers
Pima County Sheriff's Mounted Posse, and
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FEBRUARY 1982 NEWSLETTER

Meetings, Practices and Trainings

All Mondays,
Feb. 1, 8,
15 & 22

NEOTOMA COMPOSITE SQUADRON (CAP) meetings: 7:00 p.m. at Flowing Wells Fire Station # 2, corner of Curtis & Davis. Programs TBA.

Wed.
Feb. 3

PIMA COUNTY S&R GENERAL MEETING: 7:30 p.m. at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 4th Av. and University in Activities Building to east of Main Building. Program: Don Morris will share the experience of what to expect on a Baboquayri rescue. PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF NEW MEETING PLACE!!

Thu.
Feb. 4

POSSE general meeting: 7:30 p.m. at Fraternal Order of Police Lodge on Dodge Blvd. Program TBA.

Fri.
Feb. 5

SARA general meeting: 7:30 p.m. at St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, 3809 E. 3rd St. Program: Major Moreno will talk about DM rescue and search procedures with helicopters. Slides will be shown. The lecture is a prerequisite for the helicopter training on the 6th and SARCI Orientation on the 7th. ALL GROUPS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND!!

Sat.
Feb. 6

SARA training: 8:00 a.m. rendezvous at DM's main gate off Craycroft Rd., to helicopter hanger at 8:30 a.m. for helicopter practice in conjunction with DM. This is 2nd prerequisite for attendance at SARCI Orientation on the 7th. ALL GROUPS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND!!

Sun.
Feb. 7

SARCI NEW COUNCIL ORIENTATION: 8:00 rendezvous at Tanque Verde & Sabino. All new people and people that have not had Council orientation must attend. Pre-requisites for this Orientation is attendance at SARA lecture on the 5th and attendance at SARA helicopter practice on the 6th. People attending these trainings must be first-aid qualified and an accepted member of a component group.

Sat.
Feb. 20

PIMA COUNTY S&R snow outing: 10 a.m. rendezvous at Tanque Verde & Sabino. Bring picnic lunch and your family. We plan to go to Palisades Ranger Station.

Sun.
Feb. 7

DIVERS meeting: 9:00 a.m. at home of John Loutz, 233 N. Constitution for nomination and election of Board members.

Sat.
Feb. 13

PIMA COUNTY S&R training: Drill with Drexel Heights Fire Dept. at their fire station at 5960 S. Cardinal. Purpose is for SARCI groups to be able to cooperate with the fire dept. in rescue situations. We are hoping to get SARA van so fire dept. can see what our capabilities are. Talk will cover river and rock rescue. Call Darren Cummings, 883-7126, for more info.

MEETINGS, PRACTICES & TRAININGS (continued)

Wed. Feb. 17	<u>PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE</u> meeting: 7:00 p.m. in U of A Hospital classroom, Room 6120, 1501 N. Campbell. See SARCI Council Briefs for more details.
Wed. Feb. 17	<u>SARCI</u> council meeting: 7:30 p.m. in U of A Hospital classroom, Room 6120, 1501 N. Campbell.
Thu. Feb. 25	<u>SARA</u> board meeting: 7:30 p.m. at the Simons'. All board meetings are open to any SARA member.

SARCI COUNCIL BRIEFS (January meeting)

Funds for paying bills are very low, and we are checking into doing another News Bulletin for fund-raising. An orientation with Drexel Heights Fire Dept. will be held Feb. 13.

The Publications Committee will hold a meeting 1/2 hour before the February Council meeting (at 7:00 p.m. on Wed., Feb. 17) in Room 6120 of the U of A Hospital. We would like Publications representatives from all the component groups to attend or send an alternate.

DM Air Days will be held around March 13-14. The County Fair is in April. Please be thinking of something to do for a display for your component group. Contact Richard Kunz for further details.

By-laws changes mentioned in previous newsletters were passed. The Records Committee turned in summaries and member responses at call-outs. In the future we hope to have a Response Driving Course given at DM and coordinated by Brian Metso.

The Bownds Committee Report, Sections 1, 2, & 3 were accepted by SARCI. Section 2 is reproduced below:

2. We recommend that volunteers who have completed Basic Orientation should be observed on several practice sessions by officers of their group before a decision is made to place a person on the group's call sheet. Each group must be responsible for the competence of its own members, both new and present, and should not have members on call-outs unless they have clearly established their qualifications at training sessions or previous field operations.

LOST!! Richard Thompson is missing his heavy, large red nylon REA down jacket after the Jan. 17th call-out on Santa Rosa Mt. Would anyone with any information about this jacket please contact Richard, 325-9725.

CALLOUTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Situation</u>
Dec. 22	Limited search, Finger Rock, overdue male hiker, found OK.
Dec. 29	Full rescue, 2 males 22 & 26, cliffed out on Cat. Mt. No injuries, OK.
Jan. 1	Steve Smith, overdue. Found okay.
Jan. 17	Full call-out for rescue of 3 teen-aged female Indian students from Santa Rosa Boarding School. Helicopters from DM, DPS, & Customs participated in rescue. Subjects were removed by hoist from Santa Rosa Mt. Subsequently found to be uninjured at Arizona Medical Center.
Jan. 20	Search for missing 31-yr-old female in area of I-10 & Ruthrauff. Search called off early evening and matter referred to deputies.

NOTE: INFORMATION ON CALL-OUTS IS SKETCHY FOR THIS NEWSLETTER DUE TO LACK OF INFORMATION. IF YOU PARTICIPATE IN A CALL-OUT PLEASE LET ME KNOW THE OUTCOME. CALL ME AT 791-3300 DURING WORK DAYS OR 887-8777 AFTER 6. EDITOR



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February

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

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