



Search & Rescue Council, Inc.

Southern Arizona Rescue Association
Pima County Search & Recovery Divers
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NEWSLETTER

MEETINGS, PRACTICES & TRAININGS:

September, 1984

Regular meeting times and places: (see calendar for true ones)

CAP Mondays, 7:00 p.m. at ALETA, Trail's End.
SARA First Friday, 7:30 p.m., St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, 3809 E. 3rd St.
DIVERS First Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
SARCI Third Wednesday of July, Oct., Jan., and April, 7:30 p.m. at Coco's, 2990 N. Campbell.
POSSE Last Thursday, 7:00 p.m., POP Lodge.

Other meetings, practices and trainings:

Fri. Sept. 7: SARA General meeting. Program will be "Cave Rescue Training."
Sat. Sept. 8: Cave Rescue Training. Rendezvous at Houghton Rd. & Spanish Trail at 8:00 a.m. for practice at 2 Cave.
Sun. Sept. 9: Divers' training at Kennedy Lake at 9:00 a.m.
Sun. Sept. 9: Radiological Monitoring at Squadron 104.
Mon. Sept. 10: CAP Senior meeting.
Sun. Sept. 16: Aerial Radiological Monitoring at Squadron 104.
Mon. Sept. 17: CAP ES meeting. Topic is "Advanced ELTDF".
Sept. 22 & 23: CAP Flight Clinic.
Sat. Sept. 22: SARA Basic Rescue Training for new trainees. Rendezvous at 7:00 a.m. at the home of Rich Kunz for all-day training. The Saturday evening SARCI Orientation will begin at 6:00 p.m. also at Rich's home.
Sun. Sept. 23: Continuation of SARA Basic Training. Rendezvous at 8:00 a.m. at Catalina Highway and Tanque Verde.
Mon. Sept. 24: CAP ES meeting. Topic is "ADEP".
Thu. Sept. 27: SARA Board meeting at the Palmer's, 4935 N. Calle Esquina.

SARCI NEWS:

As indicated on the calendar above, please note that SARA Basic Training will be taught the weekend of Sept. 22-23. Also, be sure to save Saturday night (the 22nd) for SARCI Orientation beginning at 6:00 p.m.

A new call sheet will be printed in late October. Please update any info by calling Mykle's answering machine (795-2303). If you don't want to listen to the message press 5 and leave your message after the beep.

A Basic Search Training will be conducted in late October, date and location still undecided.

Twelve Posse members have been riding in the high country of New Mexico for a week in mid-August.

Tucson-Meet-Yourself on October 12, 13 and 14 needs First Aiders and Hams (not salt pork or clowns). Call Loma (883-3115) if you can work any portion of this time.

The Night Search and Track Training on August 4th brought an enthusiastic group from Cochise County plus two local SARA members and five instructors. Although the instructors met at 3:00 p.m. to set up 4 different sets of tracks for teaching purposes in a given area on the Southwest side, the group didn't rendezvous until 5:00 p.m. After dividing into small groups and working with instructors, the groups then were told to compete in following four different sets of previous made tracks to the cooler. The first team to arrive got their choice of refreshments and the last team had to carry back the cooler. Beginning at 5:00 p.m. gave them the chance to track in sunlight, shadows of dusk, and nighttime darkness. Another successful training for those fortunate enough to be there.

State S. & R. is meeting in Phoenix on October 20. SARA has been asked to help present the program which will be "River Rescue".

CALL OUTS:

- 7-24-84 Rendezvous at Tanque Verde and Sabino Canyon Rd. Found before search ensued.
- 7-26-84 All night search at Mt. Lemmon for lost hiker, met him the next morning in parking lot at Marshall Gulch.
- 7-27-84 Victim slipped on rock at 7-Falls and suffered an elbow injury and head cut. She was walked out partially by handline and then a stokes evacuation. More people could have been effectively used. Rescuers were overtired due to all-night search the previous evening and it was requested that rescuers speak up in such situations (i.e. too tired to handle the stokes, etc.)
- 8-05-84 Lost hiker found asleep in Tanque Verde Canyon near the middle trail.
- 8-13-84 Three boys missing from Rose Lake, later found as they walked out from Sycamore Canyon.
- 8-17-84 River rescue at Pantano Wash and Vail Rd., a vehicle washed partly off roadway into stream. In a matter of minutes a rescue team helped the occupant ashore. Job done well and efficiently.
- 8-20-84 Overdue hiker in Catalinas had planned to hike from Mt. Lemmon out through Pima Canyon in one day. Came out the following day on Finger Rock Trail. Two teams were air lifted to Mt. Lemmon and lower canyon trailheads were covered by searchers.

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