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SARCI BOARD MEETINGS

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The SARCI Board meetings will be held on the third Wednesday of January, April, July, and October.

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NEOTOMA COMPOSITE SQUADRON, C.A.P.

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CAP CALENDAR

Sundays 15:30-18:00 Location: Oro Valley Library 1305 W. Naranja Dr, corner of La Canada and Naranja

PIMA CO. SEARCH & RECOVERY DIVERS

by Fran Kunz, 886-2216, divers@sarci2.org

DIVER'S CALENDAR

<u>June 12</u>	<u>09:00 Sun</u>	Search Patterns - Patagonia Lake	Kunz's @ 07:30
<u>July 10</u>	<u>09:00 Sun</u>	Search Patterns - Pena Blanca Lake	Kunz's @ 07:30

May's training was focused on search patterns at the swim beach at Patagonia Lake. That was an introduction into limited visibility for newer people. June's training will again be at Patagonia Lake where we will utilize search patterns in deeper black water. Meet at Kunz's at 07:30 to load gear and travel to Patagonia. Also, please note that a large contingent of divers will head to Cayman Brac from June 25th thru July 3rd.

Please note - It's been very hot lately and divers need to be well hydrated prior to entering the water. A wetsuit is not the ideal clothing of choice to wear in 108 degree weather. Please remember to bring and drink lots of water. The recent callout occurred on the hottest day in the last two years.

On Sunday, 22 May 05, the diver's were utilized by Marana Police Department for a body recovery and evidence search in the canal near Tangerine Rd and I-10.

SOUTHWEST RESCUE DOGS, INC.

by Tonya Moore, k9@sarci2.org

SRDI CALENDAR

<u>June 01</u>	<u>19:00 Wed</u>	Board Meeting	Sub-station 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Highway
<u>June 08</u>	<u>19:00 Wed</u>	General Meeting	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd.

As always, all are welcome to attend our trainings as we do GPS, Map and Compass, Man Tracking, and Survival Techniques. Please contact Jennifer Arnold or Vi Brown as times and places are subject to change.

PIMA CO. SHERIFF'S MOUNTED POSSE

by Cindy Cusack, posse@sarci2.org

POSSE CALENDAR

<u>June 09</u>	<u>19:00 Thurs</u>	Board Meeting	Sub-station 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Highway
<u>June 18</u>	<u>16:00 Sat</u>	Gymkhana	Vail Arena (set up at 16:00, event start at 17:00)
<u>June 26</u>	<u>19:00 Thurs</u>	General Meeting	Sub-station 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Highway

Please note that the Gymkhana's will be on Saturday's (different time) until September.

SOUTHERN ARIZONA RESCUE ASSOCIATION

SARA CALENDAR

<u>June 03</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA Monthly Meeting	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd.
<u>June 04</u>	<u>09:00 Sat</u>	Desert Survival Field Session	Rendezvous east end of Speedway
<u>June 06</u>	<u>18:00 Mon</u>	Basic Training Committee	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd.
<u>June 07</u>	<u>19:00 Tue</u>	Monthly Training Meeting	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd.
<u>June 18</u>	<u>11:30 Sat</u>	Basic IV	Sub-station 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Highway.
<u>July 01</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA Monthly Meeting	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd.
<u>July 02</u>	<u>TBA, Sat</u>	Night Search Training	TBA

SARA SEAL

by Rob Offerle, rofferle@juno.com

Has anyone seen SARA's corporate seal? When you find it, contact a SARA Board member.

BASIC TRAINING COMMITTEE

by Karmin Laramie, KarminLaramie@commercialfed.com

Basic 3 was held on May 14th. Dave Brown, lead instructor, went over technical systems in a rescue environment. He stressed the importance of safety, knots, rope strengths and the use of critical thinking skills when it comes to choosing and setting up anchor points.

Basic 4 is scheduled for June 18th. Rendezvous is 11:30am at 106.

Jim Gilbreath and Walter Pickett are the lead instructors for the night search tentatively set for Soldiers Trail.

HELP is needed for Basic 4! Anyone interested in being an evaluator, please attend the Basic Training Committee Meeting on June 6th at 6pm, SARA house.

Field Skills recert will also be held during the first part of Basic 4. This is open to the membership. If you need practice ahead of time, contact Bill Florence for the schedule of night classes.

OEC REFRESHERS

by John Gorski, tucmj@worldnet.att.net

The following dates have been selected for this years OEC refresher. Sunday August 21, 2005, and Saturday, September 17, 2005. Every SARCI member is required to take a yearly refresher to remain current on their OEC medical.

BUILDING FUND RAISING

by John Perchorowicz, RCT2JTP@aol.com

Please visit the SARCI Newsletter page on the web and look at the SARA 2004 Annual Report or point your browser to

http://www.sarci.org/newsletter/2004_SARA%20Annual_Report.pdf

We have Lee Ryan to thank for the leadership in pulling this together.

The committee continues to need help in grant writing (contact Chuck Sosna or Victor Braun), and database entry for non-SARA donors (contact John Perchorowicz).

Members of the SARA Board and Fundraising Committee will be following up by phone to complete submission of pledge cards by the membership.

June Monthly Training

Summer is just around the corner and with it comes sunshine, high temperatures and a need to carry more water in your packs. But how much is enough? How do I minimize how much I sweat? What do I need in my pack during the summer? What kind of resources will I find in the Mexican Oak biome/Life zone? How do I find water? And do desert stills really work?

The Desert Survival Training will answer all those question and more. This training will consist of a classroom session and a field session conducted on separate dates and times. The classroom session was at the SARA House Monday May 23rd.

Desert Survival Field Session

Date: 4 June 05

Time: 09:00

Rendezvous: East End of Speedway Blvd

Instructors: Richard Giachetti

Target Audience: All members and candidates who think they might go out in the desert this summer!

This will be a joint training with the Rangers and volunteers from Saguaro NP East

CALLOUT REVIEWS

by Mykle Raymond, 793-2303, SARnews@sarci2.org

<i>Call</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i># Hrs</i>	<i>Problem</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Resources</i>
5.029	050501 Wed 10	72	UDA Recovery search	Tumacacori Mtns, Arivaca	local ranchers
18:44 – 02:30 Hunters reported finding remains in a remote area, in the Tumacacori Mtns east of Arivaca, near a dirt road about seven miles from Arivaca Road. The area was searched for several hours during the night, without success. TJ searched the area again in the morning, without success. A couple of days later, another report was received, a couple miles downstream, and Deputy Steve was able to drive to the scene to investigate and make the recovery.					
5.030	050510 Tue 9	10	??ym hiker overdue	MP12, Arizona Trail, Redington Pass	
13:29 – 14:37 A solo hiker was dropped off on the Arizona Trail, where it crosses Redington Road at the junction with the road to Italian Trap. He was due to be picked up several days later, the morning of a day that he had a final exam at school. He was picked up by a searcher driving up the road, apparently after hiking down Tanque Verde Canyon.					
5.031	050515 Sun 17	51	45yf hiker exhausted	Phoneline Tr, Sabino Canyon, Catalinas RMFD USFS	
15:38 – 17:05 – 19:28 A hiker stationed at Ft. Huachuca took his mother for a tram ride up Sabino Canyon, then hiked down the Phoneline Trail. She is from New York City, originally from Russia, understands but does not speak much English, and is not used to hiking, the heat, or steep slopes. She also has a history of several medical issues, so when she tired her anxiety rose and her progress down trail stopped about a quarter mile up canyon from the Phoneline Link Junction. She rode the stokes down to Tram Stop 1 at the foot of the Phoneline Link Trail.					
5.032	050520 Fri 0	0	36yf hiker missing	Romero Pools, Romero Canyon, Catalinas	
16:02 – 16:15 A 36yf hiker was last seen about 09:30 near Romero Pools. Shortly after volunteers were paged, a deputy reported meeting her on trail a short distance from the old trailhead.					
2005 Totals: People: 340 Hours: 1282 Hours per person: 3.3					



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SARCI Calendar

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	<i>Sunday</i>
<i>May 30</i>	<i>May 31</i>	<i>Jun 01</i> SRDI Board Mtg	<i>Jun 02</i> OEC Class	<i>Jun 03</i> SARA General Mtg	<i>Jun 04</i> SARA Training <i>Desert Skills</i> OEC in the Field	<i>Jun 05</i> SRDI Training
<i>Jun 06</i>	<i>Jun 07</i> OEC Class	<i>Jun 08</i> SRDI General Mtg	<i>Jun 09</i> OEC Class Posse Board	<i>Jun 10</i>	<i>Jun 11</i>	<i>Jun 12</i> Divers Training
<i>Jun 13</i> Basic Training Comm	<i>Jun 14</i> OEC Class	<i>Jun 15</i>	<i>Jun 16</i> OEC Class SARA Board	<i>Jun 17</i>	<i>Jun 18</i> Basic 4 Posse Gymkahana	<i>Jun 19</i> SRDI Training
<i>Jun 20</i>	<i>Jun 21</i>	<i>Jun 22</i> SRDI Training	<i>Jun 23</i> Posse General Mtg	<i>Jun 24</i>	<i>Jun 25</i>	<i>Jun 26</i>
<i>Jun 27</i>	<i>Jun 28</i>	<i>Jun 29</i>	<i>Jun 30</i>	<i>Jul 01</i> SARA General Mtg.	<i>Jul 02</i> SARA Training <i>Night Search</i>	<i>Jul 03</i> SRDI Training
<i>Jul 04</i>	<i>Jul 05</i>	<i>Jul 06</i> SRDI Board Mtg	<i>Jul 07</i>	<i>Jul 08</i>	<i>Jul 09</i>	<i>Jul 10</i> Divers Training
<i>Jul 11</i>	<i>Jul 12</i>	<i>Jul 13</i> SRDI General Mtg	<i>Jul 14</i> Posse Board Mtg	<i>Jul 15</i>	<i>Jul 16</i> Posse Gymkanna	<i>Jul 17</i> SRDI Training
<i>Jul 18</i>	<i>Jul 19</i>	<i>Jul 20</i> SARCI Mtg	<i>Jul 21</i> SARA Board Mtg	<i>Jul 22</i>	<i>Jul 23</i>	<i>Jul 24</i>
<i>Jul 25</i>	<i>Jul 26</i>	<i>Jul 27</i> SRDI Training Comm	<i>Jul 28</i> Posse General Mtg	<i>Jul 29</i>	<i>Jul 30</i> SARA Field Skills	<i>Jul 31</i>

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