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SARCI BOARD MEETINGS

by SARNews, sarnews@sarci.org

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

SARCI FIELD QUALIFICATIONS STANDARD

by SARNews, sarnews@sarci.org

On 1/21/2009 Search And Rescue Council Inc (SARCI) adopted the following minimum Field Qualification standard:

Effective July 01, 2009, the SARCI Field Qualification minimum shall include:

- 1) SARCI Orientation and
- 2) Wilderness First Aid as certified by ASHI, or equivalent and
- 3) CPR for the Professional Rescuer as certified by ARC or AHA, or equivalent and
- 4) National Incident Management System (NIMS) IS-100 and IS-700, or equivalent.

This will replace older policies that cited courses which have not been available for many, many years.

SABINO BACK GATE PARKING

by SARNews, sarnews@sarci.org

When appropriate (during weekday working hours), we will park in the new parking area at the end of the road as it approaches the Sabino House. If you are going to drive into the canyon, please be sensitive to people who may need rides from the parking area.

BULLETIN BOARD USAGE

by SARNews, sarnews@sarci.org

If you are organizing an event for your SARCI group, please remember to write it in on the calendar in the board room. This will help prevent conflicting events

PIMA CO. SHERIFF'S MOUNTED POSSE

by Jean Ebbert, jbbert@comcast.net

POSSE CALENDAR

<u>June 11</u>	<u>19:00 Thu</u>	Posse Board Meeting	Substation 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Hwy
<u>June 13</u>	<u>17:00 Sun</u>	Posse Gymkhana	Tanque Verde Stables, 11099 E Glenn
<u>June 25</u>	<u>19:00 Thu</u>	General Meeting	Substation 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Hwy

Our thanks go out to all those volunteers who helped with our search and rescue training on May 16th. Everything went as planned (except the snakes) and we had a great time.

Our gymkhana has changed, starting this month. It will be on the second "Saturday" of the month and we will open the books at 5:00PM. This is our attempt to accomodate the hot weather.

If you are interested in joining the Posse you are welcome to come to any of our meetings or events. Our Captain is George Herget and he can be reached at voneiger@hotmail.com if you have any questions.

SOUTHWEST RESCUE DOGS, INC.

by Karen Paquette, kpaquette1@comcast.net

SRDI CALENDAR

<u>Jun 06</u>	<u>19:00 Sun</u>	All Dog Training	Rdv: I-10 and SR 83
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All SARCI members are welcome to attend any of our trainings. Please check the Event Calendar on our website or call Vi Brown (762-0165) for training updates: www.sarci.org/SRDI.htm

PIMA CO. SEARCH & RECOVERY DIVERS

by Fran Kunz, 886-2216, [divers8 @ sarci2.org](mailto:divers8@sarci2.org)

DIVERS CALENDAR

Jun 14 0900 Sun **Black Mountain Reservoir** Black Mountain Reservoir

NEOTOMA COMPOSITE SQUADRON, C.A.P.

by Robert McCord, [cap @ sarci2.org](mailto:cap@sarci2.org)

CAP CALENDAR

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

SOUTHERN ARIZONA RESCUE ASSOCIATION

[SARA @ sarci2.org](mailto:SARA@sarci2.org)

SARA CALENDAR

<u>June 05</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA General Meeting	Sabino House or SARA House (TBA)
<u>June 06</u>	<u>08:00 Sat</u>	Desert Training	Rdv: East End of Speedway
<u>June 18</u>	<u>19:00 Wed</u>	SARA Board Meeting	SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft Rd
<u>June 20</u>	<u>08:00 Sat</u>	High-Angle Rescue Training	Rdv: Substation 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Hwy
<u>July 03</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA General Meeting	Location TBA

OEC CORNER

by John Gorski, [tucmj @ att.net](mailto:tucmj@att.net)

*** Watch your newsletter for some new information on the upcoming OEC refreshers. ***

It is never too early to make your plans to attend our yearly refresher(s). The first one will be on Saturday September 12th and the second one will be on November 1st. Both refreshers will be held at the SARA house. Look for updates in upcoming newsletters.

JUNE TRAINING

by Brian Janezic, [bsjanezicy @ gmail.com](mailto:bsjanezicy@gmail.com)

There will be two training opportunities for June training.

June 6th: Desert Training

Meet at 8:00 am at the East end of Speedway

This training will focus on techniques to keep yourself safe during the summer as well as treating patients in the Sonoran desert. Come prepared to operate in the heat for most of the morning. There will be a class room session for this training on June 3rd at 7:00pm at the SARA house.

June 20th: High Angle Rescue Training

Meet at Catalina and Tanque Verde at 8:00am

This training will cover high angle rescue techniques with an emphasis on practicing for our upcoming MRA recertification (September 2009)

Several fire departments have expressed an interest in having a few SARA members present at their trainings to help us work better together. If you are interested in attending these trainings please contact Brian Janezic.



2009 TRAINING SCHEDULE

by Brian Duffy, [bduffy @ as.arizona.edu](mailto:bduffy@as.arizona.edu)

June 6

- Intro to Sonoran Desert Summer

July 4

- Truck and Equipment., Base Camp Operations

August 8

- Basic Rock - Intro to off trail movement with Stokes

September 5

- Personal Rope Skills

October 3

- Technical Skills - Beyond Basic 4

November 7

- Technical Rescue

December 5

- Medical/Technical Equipment



**PINE PIG
RESCUE**

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CALLOUT REVIEWSby Mykle Raymond, SARnews@sarci.org

Call	Date	Vol/ Hrs/ Problem	Location	Resources
9.047	Wed 22 Apr	0/ 0/ 97ym missing 14:57 – 15:21 A missing male was located while search people were responding.	Greaterville, Santa Ritas	
9.048	Sun 26 Apr	16/ 39/ Evidence Search 16:24 – 19:08 Human skeletal remains were reported at the base of the SARA Trail. Animal bones and lots of discarded clothing were found.	T.V.Canyon, Redington Pass	
9.049	Sat 02 May	13/ 85/ 72yf hiker injured hip 12:10 – 18:20 A hiker fell and complained of back pain while her group hiked up Cherry Creek to the Bug Spring Trail. Teams hiked both down and up trail to the patient. She was carried by stokes up the slope to a nearby ridge where TucsonRanger landed.	Cherry Creek, Catalinas	TucsonRanger RMFD
9.050	Sun 03 May	7/ 43/ Missing teen 08:32 – 14:22 A teen missing for several days was located at the base of a tall cliff on Pusch Peak. The scene was documented, and TucsonRanger short-hauled the remains to the baseball field near the trailhead.	Linda Vista Trails, Catalinas	TucsonRanger
9.051	Wed 06 May	7/ 7/ 53yf hiker heat illness 09:25 – 10:25 A hiker became ill, and was located a short distance up trail from Calle Concordia. She walked out with help.	Linda Vista Trails, Catalinas	RMFD
9.052	Sun 10 May	0/ 0/ 4 kids missing 15:40 – 15:51 Standby only, soon canceled.	Molino Canyon, Catalinas	
9.053	Mon 11 May	14/ 21/ ??yf, 31ym exhausted 16:18 – 17:46 Two mountain bike riders started at Chivo, and wound up going down T.V. Canyon. They dumped their bikes when the road left the canyon, and continued downstream on foot, bypassing several trails leading to the road. They were found at the top of the Main Falls, rehydrated and provided with more appropriate footgear, then escorted up to the road.	T.V.Canyon, Redington Pass	
9.054	Fri 15 May	0/ 0/ ??ym missing 12:38 – 12:52 RMFD was called to the Visitors Center for an ill hiker. She reported her companion missing in Bear Canyon. As resources were responding, he was located by telephone while returning to the trailhead. He had been looking for his companion.	Bear Canyon, Catalinas	
9.055	Sat 16 May	0/ 0/ 5y missing 13:57 – 14:11 A missing child was located before any resources headed up the mountain.	Organization Ridge, Catalinas	
9.056	Sun 17 May	11/ 30/ 47yf horse rider injured 14:56 – 17:20 A rider was tossed by a spooked horse and complained of back pain. She was carried a short distance up the Squeeze Pen Trail, then almost back to the trailhead before taking a shortcut to the road.	Squeeze Pen Trail, Rincons	RMFD
9.057	Mon 18 May	26/ 137/ 91yf missing 13:10 – 21:06 A woman was missing after her usual morning walk. Many resources covered areas around her route. Additional sightings were received in the afternoon, shifting the search areas. While the search continued after dark, she was found deceased by a resident returning home.	Marana	Lots of other agencies
9.058	Tue 19 May	0/ 0/ ??ym missing 19:48 – 19:57 A male having a hard time mentally ran off in Sabino Canyon. Volunteers were requested to block several exits, and to look for sign of his route. TucsonRanger spotted the subject in Bear Canyon and directed officers to him before any volunteers got into the field.	Sabino Canyon, Catalinas	
2009 Totals:		People: 564 Hours: 1749 Hours per person: 3.1		

SARCI Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June 01 .	June 02 .	June 03 SARA Bldg Mtg SARA Desert Class SRDI Board Mtg	June 04 .	June 05 SARA General Mtg	June 06 SARA Training "Desert Training"	June 07 SRDI Training
June 08 .	June 09 .	June 10 SARA Bldg Mtg SRDI General Mtg	June 11 Posse Board Mtg	June 12 .	June 13 Posse Gymkhana	June 14 Divers Training
June 15 .	June 16 .	June 17 SARA Bldg Mtg	June 18 SARA Board Mtg	June 19 .	June 20 SARA Training "MRA Tech Training"	June 21 SRDI Training
June 22 .	June 23 .	June 24 SARA Bldg Mtg	June 25 Posse General Mtg	June 26 .	June 27 Family Auto Family Day	June 28 .
June 29 .	June 30 .	July 01 SARA Bldg Mtg SRDI Board Mtg	July 02 .	July 03 SARA General Mtg	July 04 SARA Training "Truck & Equipment"	July 05 SRDI Training
July 06 .	July 07 .	July 08 SARA Bldg Mtg SRDI Gen Mtg	July 09 Posse Board Mtg	July 10 .	July 11 .	July 12 Divers Training
July 13 .	July 14 SARA Orientation	July 15 SARCI General Mtg SARA Bldg Mtg	July 16 SARA Board Mtg	July 17 .	July 18 .	July 19 SRDI Training Posse Gymkhana
July 20 .	July 21 .	July 22 SARA Bldg Mtg	July 23 Posse General Mtg	July 24 .	July 25 SARA Field Skills	July 26 .
July 27 .	July 28 .	July 29 SARA Bldg Mtg	July 30 .	July 31 .	Aug 01 .	Aug 02 SRDI Training

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8987-309 E. Tanque Verde, Box 232, Tucson AZ 85749
Meet 4th Thu 19:00
Sheriff Substation 106, Tanque Verde and Catalina Hwy

SOUTHERN ARIZONA RESCUE ASSOCIATION

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Meet 1st Fri 19:30, SARA House, 3455 N. Craycroft

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NEOTOMA COMPOSITE SQUADRON, C.A.P.

4933 N. Sunrise Avenue, Tucson AZ 85705
Meet each Sunday 15:30-18:00, details inside

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