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SARCI BOARD MEETINGS

by SARNews, [sarnews @ sarci2.org](mailto:sarnews@sarci2.org)

SARCI Board meetings are held at the SARA House at 19:30 (7:30 pm) on the third Wednesday of January, April, July, and October.

TRAINING ACTIVITIES ARE RESTRICTED

Training activities are limited to members of that group, and others who have registered and/or been approved by the group.

SOUTHWEST RESCUE DOGS, INC.

by Karen Paquette, [kpaquette1 @ comcast.net](mailto:kpaquette1@comcast.net)

SRDI CALENDAR

Nov 02	18:00 Wed	SRDI Meeting Night	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd
Nov 06	07:30 Sun	Recert and Certification Tests	Oak Tree
Nov 16	18:00 Wed	Urban Search	David's House
Nov 30	18:00 Wed	ASL2	Craycroft & River

Welcome to David Suarez, SRDI's newest member. We have three new Candidates (Colleen, Matt, and David) and one dog (Zeus) in training! SRDI also extends our welcome to Sgt. Maldonado.

It was a very busy summer. Our dogs had opportunities to search in locations fairly new to us, and it was very nice to work with other SARCI groups. We certainly appreciate the support so generously offered! SRDI's Facebook page is up and running with plans to update the SRDI web page – soon, we hope.

If you are interested in attending one of our trainings, please email us at K9@sarci2.org, or call Karen Paquette (275-2074). SRDI's monthly meeting is the first Wednesday of each month.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Ann Christensen Workshop	Feb 23-26, 2017	Tucson, AZ
New Mexico ESCAPE K9 Conference	Mar 31-Apr 2	Las Cruces, NM
FACTS Spring Workshop	Apr 7-9	San Marcos, TX
AZ SAR Conference	May 5-7	Heber, AZ

PIMA CO. SHERIFF'S MOUNTED POSSE

by Alex Hodge, [gummhodge1 @ msn.com](mailto:gummhodge1@msn.com)

POSSE CALENDAR

Nov 17	18:30 Thur	General Meeting	Tanque Verde Library, 8959 E Tanque Verde Rd
Nov 20	16:00 Sun	Gymkhana (Books 11:00, Events 12:00)	Raven Ranch, 9525 E. Graf Lane

We are working at Bonilla Elementary again on Halloween weekend and cooking for the Cornhole and Horseshow Showdown at Rocking K, October 29. This is for the Vail Preservation Society.

Tracking Classes will be announced after the next meeting.

NEOTOMA COMPOSITE SQUADRON, C.A.P.

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

CAP SQUADRON CALENDAR

Sundays	15:30-18:00	Mountain View Fire Station #160	1175 W. Magee Road, Tucson, AZ 85704
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The Civil Air Patrol's Neotoma Squadron actively participates in ongoing search and rescue missions and training exercises at the state, local and national levels. We welcome new members to join the more than 70 members of the nationally recognized emergency services Arizona Wing Ground Team.

Membership: Edward Pound, [ejjpound @ gmail.com](mailto:ejjpound@gmail.com)

Web site: <http://www.neotomasquadron.org>

PIMA CO. SEARCH & RECOVERY DIVERS

by John Longhofer, 990-4442, divers8@sarci2.org

DIVERS CALENDAR

<u>Nov 13</u>	<u>08:30 Sun</u>	Monthly Training	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd
<u>Dec 11</u>	<u>08:30 Sun</u>	Monthly Training	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd

In our October training session we continued to refine our dive pattern procedures, surface skills with two divers and started working with adding a third diver to our search patterns.

In November, we will be holding our pot luck and annual meeting at the SARA House. During the meeting we will hold elections for 2017 officers and board members and go over gear setup and storage with new members.

In December we will do our annual review of altitude table and O₂ use.

SOUTHERN AZ. MOUNTED SEARCH AND RESCUE

by Jerry Simmons, jerry@simmonsautorepair.com

SAMSAR CALENDAR

<u>Nov 06</u>	<u>08:00 Sun</u>	OFC Field Hands-on Training	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd
<u>Nov 09</u>	<u>08:00 Sun</u>	Trail Safety Demonstration	Emily Gray School
<u>Nov 15</u>	<u>18:00 Tue</u>	Board and General Meeting	Substation 106, Tanque Verde & Catalina Hwy

Membership: Welcome new member Carol Norris, who was sworn in by President Frank Leon on the October 18th. Welcome Carol. Now let the training begin. More new members are in the process. Setting up qualified field rides for Mike M. and Laura.

Training: Training ongoing. We have a medical moment at each general meeting as well as scheduled field training. Thank you Debi Mitchell. Had a field training for horses Sunday 23rd of October put on by Kathryn and Colleen. Horse desensitization. All went well. Thanks to Mykle, Bill and Deputy Boll for the special effects with his cruiser. No horse wrecks and it went extremely well. Thanks to our ground crew. Thanks to Debi for the coffee set up and I think Colleen came up with the donuts. Excellent training session.

Public relations: Trail Safety Show for Emily Gray School on Nov 9th at 08:00. Thank you Colleen and helpers.

Search and rescue: No recent call outs requiring SAMSAR. However, Herget pulled out his left bicep getting in shape. Simmons actually fell out of bed and landed on both knees and both elbows, spraining his right shoulder. Heard about it, was funny even though it HURT. Old Age, I guess. George will take surgery to fix. Good luck, Buddy.

For more information, please refer to web site <http://www.SAMSARaz.org> or contact anyone with a SAMSAR I.D.

SOUTHERN ARIZONA RESCUE ASSOCIATION

SARA@sarci2.org

SARA CALENDAR

<u>Nov 04</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA General Meeting	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd
<u>Nov 05</u>	<u>09:00 Sat</u>	Classroom: Search Management	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd
<u>Dec 02</u>	<u>19:30 Fri</u>	SARA General Meeting	SARA House, 5990 N Sabino Canyon Rd

SARA TRAINING: November

by Dale Mann, dale1947sailor@gmail.com

The next monthly training will be held on Saturday, November 5, beginning at 09:00 at the SARA House. This will be a classroom session on search and search management by Dr. David Lovelock and Sgt. Eric Johnson. David is a SARA member who wrote much of the AZ Basic SAR Manual, and Eric was a PCS D SAR deputy for many years.

Please use <http://whooin.com/R7X-CJT-XDXN> to RSVP for the November training, so we know how many packets to print. There is no limit on class size, but please respond to the poll as soon as possible.

SARA TRAINING: December

by Dale Mann, dale1947sailor@gmail.com

The training for December will be a classroom session on winter skills and snow and ice rescue. This will be on Saturday, December 3, at 09:00 at the SARA House. When (if?) we get sufficient snow in the mountains, we'll announce a rescue training. This will be on a Saturday or Sunday, but not necessarily on the usual training day. We'll try to give a week's notice, but we're at the whims of nature when it comes to snow.

SARA TRAINING: December

by Dale Mann, dale1947sailor@gmail.com

For a fitness challenge in December, post a photo of yourself, wearing your full rescue pack and standing by the end-of-trail sign at the top of Blackett's Ridge. From the Sabino Visitor's Center, this is a round trip of about 6 miles with 1700' of elevation gain.

You can pass your photos using one of three methods:

- 1 - Go to <http://fawcetts.us/upload>. Select browse, choose the file to upload and click upload. If you use this method, email sean@fawcetts.us that you have uploaded a file.
- 2 - Android users: install AndFTP. Setup to connect to Fawcetts.us server. Use sara for both username and password. Go to your gallery, select photo and share using AndFTP. If you use this method, email sean@fawcetts.us that you have uploaded a file.
- 3 - Email the photo to sean@fawcetts.us.

OEC CORNER

by John Gorski, [rescue161 @ att.net](mailto:rescue161@att.net)

SARA is still awaiting the fix on the NSP website so I can register our refreshers for this year.

NSP is working on the fix and they have been in contact with me. In the meantime, be sure to create your account and password so when I receive the go-ahead to register our refresher, you will have a short window to register the class. Once the window is closed my work begins.

SARA will be holding an OEC class the first part of 2017. Anyone interested in taking the class may contact John Gorski or Rich Kunz to sign up for the class. Class dates and time to be determined.

Work has already begun on our OEC Cycle "A" refresher for 2017. Watch the newsletter or updates.

2016 MUSTANG RAFFLE

by John Perchorowicz, [jmail @ perchorowicz.com](mailto:jmail@perchorowicz.com)

Jim Click has again donated a raffle vehicle, a red 2016 Ford Mustang Shelby GT350 (MSRP \$47,000). Tickets are \$25 each or 5 for \$100. Tickets will be available at the monthly meeting from the SARA Store. For anyone in Tucson wishing to purchase 5 tickets, John Perchorowicz will deliver. As a SARA member please think about buying a ticket and selling one to a supporter that you know. Last year SARA raised about \$2500 from our efforts. To date we have raised \$1050. Tickets must be turned in by 8 December so you only have 2 meetings left for in-person purchases.



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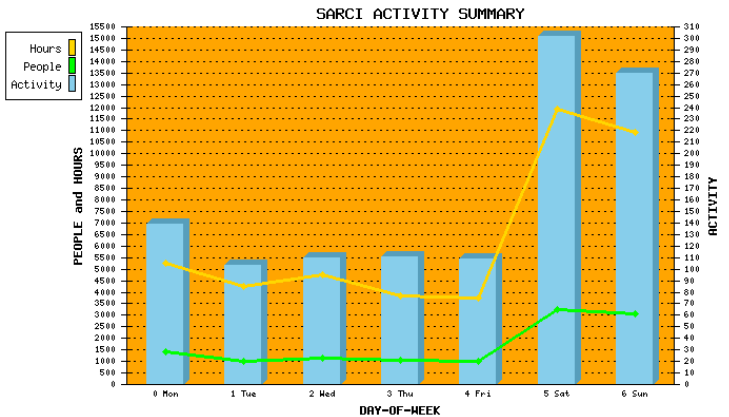
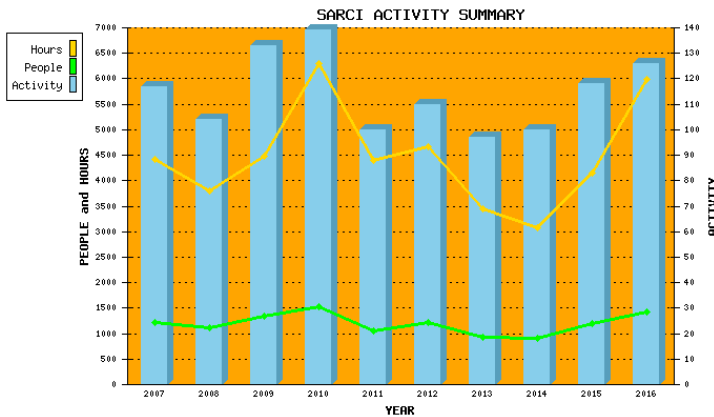
by Mykle Raymond, SARnews@sarci.org

Date	Vol/Hrs/ Problem	Location	Resources
Sat Oct 01 19:50 – 01:45	8/ 44/ 21ym hiker stranded by dark A hiker on the Aspen Trail turned west at Marshall Saddle, and was found off trail west of Lemmon Rock junction.	Wilderness of Rocks, Catalinas	
Thu Oct 06 14:20 – 16:50	8/ 19/ 54yf injured A woman was injured at Windy Point. Patient was packaged and being carried out as initial SAR teams arrived.	Windy Point, Catalinas	MLFD RMFD USFS
Sat Oct 08 14:00 – 16:10	10/ 19/ 70yf hiker exhausted A hiker became exhausted and got off the Sutherland Trail on a social trail. She was carried by stokes to the road.	Catalina State Park, Catalinas	GRFD
Thu Oct 13 12:35 – 20:15	9/ 67/ 3 Hikers lost Three hikers lost themselves down Sabino Canyon below the Gauging Station and requested help. Teams came upstream from the Box Camp Spring Trail, and downstream from the Bear Wallow confluence, and all returned upstream.	Marshall Gulch, Catalinas	
Sat Oct 15 19:50 – 21:40	6/ 10/ Hikers lost A family became lost on the Aspen Trail near the switchbacks. They found the trail and returned to their vehicle while teams were responding.	Aspen Trail, Catalinas	
Mon Oct 17 17:20 – 23:15	9/ 44/ ??ym mtn biker off trail A bike rider lost the Butterfly Trail near Novio Spring Trail. Sheriff1 inserted a SAR Officer who located the subject while teams hiked in from Soldier's Camp. The subject was extracted, and teams remained in the field while Sheriff1 refueled before extracting the officer.	Butterfly Trail, Catalinas	Sheriff1

2016 Totals	Activities	People	Hours	Hrs/Per	Last12Mos
Missions	126	1418	5983	4.2	137
Trainings	138	1554	7169	4.6	169
Meetings	59	463	1117	2.4	66
Public Relations	10	44	204	4.6	10
Special Events	12	107	1055	9.9	15
Activities	82	275	1464	5.3	105
TOTALS	427	3861	16992	4.4	503

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MISSION SUMMARY, 2007 – 2016



SARCI Calendar – 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Oct 24	Oct 25 SARA SALT	Oct 26	Oct 27 SARA SALT POSSE Meeting (18:30)	Oct 28	Oct 29 SARA Training <i>Tech Skills Refresher</i>	Oct 30 SARA SALT
Oct 31 HALLOWEEN	Nov 01	Nov 02 SRDI Meetings (18:00)	Nov 03	Nov 04 SARA Meeting (19:30)	Nov 05 Guy Fawkes Day SARA Training <i>Search Management</i>	Nov 06 OFC Field Training SRDI Training
Nov 07	Nov 08 Election Day SARA SALT	Nov 09	Nov 10 SARA SALT	Nov 11 Veterans Day	Nov 12 SARA SALT	Nov 13 Divers Training SARA SALT <i>DONE!</i>
Nov 14	Nov 15 SAMSAR Meetings (18:00)	Nov 16 SRDI Training	Nov 17 POSSE Meeting (18:30) SARA Board (19:00)	Nov 18	Nov 19	Nov 20 Posse Gymkhana
Nov 21	Nov 22	Nov 23	Nov 24 THANKSGIVING	Nov 25	Nov 26	Nov 27
Nov 28	Nov 29	Nov 30 SRDI Training	Dec 01	Dec 02 SARA Meeting (19:30)	Dec 03 SARA Training <i>Winter Skills Classroom</i>	Dec 04
Dec 05	Dec 06	Dec 07 SRDI Meetings (18:00)	Dec 08	Dec 09	Dec 10	Dec 11 Divers Training

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PIMA COUNTY SEARCH AND RECOVERY DIVERS

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Meet 2nd Sun 09:00, details inside.

PIMA COUNTY SHERIFF'S MOUNTED POSSE

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Meet 4th Thu 19:00, details inside.

SOUTHERN ARIZONA MOUNTED SEARCH AND RESCUE

Details inside.

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