

June 2022

WELCOME TO SUMMER

Once again this year we are hearing the word “unprecedented” and “record” in front of heat advisories, drought warnings, wildfire reports, and other weather-related issues. Please take these warnings seriously. This is the season for extra sunscreen, water, big floppy brim hat, sunglasses, and more frequent breaks in the shade. Don't forget to keep your head on a swivel and be alert for smoke or fire and always have an escape route. Lastly, listen to that safety brief. It could be the difference between everyone going home, or someone going to the emergency room, or worse.

NASAR SARCON 2022

The conference is called SARCON 2022. The call for papers will be emailed out on July 1st and we will give presenters until August 1 to reply. Spoiler, the most important detail is that individual NASAR members get to attend for FREE.... The Board wants to honor the members and provide free attendance at the conference as another benefit of their membership.

JUNE IN-PERSON BOARD MEETING

The weekend of June 23, 24, and 25 will be our next in-person Board meeting. I look forward to reporting on the results of the meeting in the next newsletter.

BOARD ELECTION 2022

June is the beginning of the Board election process. Keep in mind that the Board members represent the membership and provide direction for the organization through strategic planning and budgeting. The important dates are:

- Nominations – June 1 through June 30
- Election – August 1 through August 30

Members eligible to vote will receive an email from the AssociationVoting company with their login and password for the secure voting system. If you have any questions, please contact Director Rob Brewer at sarguy@gmail.com.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Our annual membership meeting will be virtual this year and is scheduled for the evening of October 7th. Please reserve that evening on your calendar to join us via ZOOM.

Fatigued climber rescued after getting stuck on the Second Flatiron

A free solo climber who got stuck on the Second Flatiron near Boulder was rescued Saturday afternoon. At 12:56 p.m. the Boulder County Sheriff's Office got a report of the stranded climber, according to a news release from the office.

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15 women suffer heat-related illnesses after Arizona reality show hike | Boing Boing

Up to 15 women who are in Phoenix, AZ from all over the country have suffered from heat-related illness and were rescued Thursday from Camelback Mountain. The women are in Phoenix filming a reality television show called "Bad Girls Gone God" (I have so many questions!), and were apparently on a retreat that included this...

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This electric mountain patrol bike makes a ranger's task easier in tough terrain - Yanko Design

https://youtu.be/LtclcpqOI_Q Patrol motorcycles like BMW R 1200 RT-P, Yamaha FJR1300, or the Harley Davidson Street 750 are readily used by law enforcement agencies around the world.

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'Our hearts are heavy': Missing Whistler SAR member found dead

A Whistler Search and Rescue Society member missing since Thursday has been found dead, the British Columbia Search and Rescue Association confirmed Sunday.

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Distant cries from marsh at night led rescuers into NC wetland, officials say

Under the cloak of a North Carolina night, a woman walking outside heard a noise in the distance. It was a cry for help from a far-off marsh. The woman called 911 around 10 p.m. June 16 to alert authorities, according to a news release from the Brunswick County Sheriff's Office.

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The Jetpack Future Is Here, and It Could Transform Rescue Missions

Courtesy Jetpack Aviation I pull the trigger and lock my arms straight against the hot thrust. But the jets strapped to my arms are pulling out. "Just lean on the system," said Gravity Industries' Richard Browning as I strap myself into his 50-lb. Jetsuit.

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How Lost Hikers Can Send an SOS to Space

The Sarsat satellite system is a kind of celestial lifeguard for explorers, boaters, and aviators who might be in need of search and rescue. Last July, two hikers were on a backpacking trip in California's Shasta-Trinity National Forest.

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Cyclist Runs Out Of Water, Dies On Palisade Plunge; 3 Other Cyclists Rescued

MESA COUNTY, Colo. (CBS4) - A 52-year-old man from Colorado Springs passed away Saturday afternoon while mountain biking in western Colorado on the Palisade Plunge trail. He reportedly ran out of water. Three other cyclists found the man near mile marker 28 of the trail and called 911 at 6:45 p.m., the Mesa County Sheriff's Office stated in a press release.

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Missing 3-Year-Old Boy Found In Montana After Two Days Alone in the Wilderness

On the afternoon of Friday, June 3, a three-year-old boy went missing in the woods in northwest Montana. At just before 5 p.m., Lincoln County Sheriff's Office received a call from a neighbor who was concerned that the boy could be missing. Two days later, on June 5, Ryker Webb was found by officials.

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Two Industrial Design Firms Collaborate on Modular Fire Engine Design - Core77

The layperson may hear "fire engine" and think of a single vehicle type. In actuality the term refers to a variety of truck forms holding different types of equipment, each ordered according to a specific department's needs and customized by the manufacturer. That takes time, and time costs money. In

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Introduction to SAR (ISAR) Course

July 2 @ 8:00 am - July 3 @ 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

This is the 2 day Introduction to SAR (ISAR) course taught in Henderson, TN. This course prepares you to take the SARTECH III Certification. To register or for additional information contact 731-803-6175.

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SARTECH II Certification

July 2 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

This is the SARTECH II Certification to be conducted in Henderson, TN. You must have completed, or be in the process of completing the FUNSAR Course to receive the certification. For more information or to register, please contact 731-803-6175

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Introduction to SAR (ISAR) Cours

July 4 @ 8:00 am - July 5 @ 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

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Canine HRD Water Testing

July 4 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

2840 West Big Elm Road, Troy, TX 76579

This is the Team Texas K9s Canine HRD Water seminar and testing to be held in Troy, TX on July 4 - 8.

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Fundamentals of SAR (FUNSAR) Course

July 7 @ 8:00 am - July 10 @ 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

This is the Fundamentals of SAR (FUNSAR) course that is being offered in Henderson, TN. This course prepares the responder to take the SARTECH II certification test. Contact 731-803-6175 to register or for additional questions.

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SARTECH II Certification

July 9 @ 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

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Wilderness First Aid (WFA) Course

July 16 @ 8:00 am - July 17 @ 5:00 pm

1295 Weaver Thomas Road, Henderson, TN 38340

This is the 2 day Wilderness First Aid Course being presented in Henderson, TN. Please contact 731-803-6175 for details or to register. The NASAR WFA course is on the approved list for the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) and is listed by the American Camp Association (ACA).

