

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

**NEXT MEETING JULY 12
2004, 7:00 P.M.**

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Charles Lindsey 970-962-1188

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Orientation

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Reserves/Volunteers:

LEEPAC CONFERENCE IN GREELEY

Greeley was host to the 20th annual LEEPAC conference. Five states sent representatives that include Texas, California, Arizona, South Dakota and Colorado. Some of those represented were Los Angeles County S.O. and PD, Phoenix, Tempe, Scottsdale, Sioux Falls, and Galveston.

Agencies from Colorado were Aurora, Lomont, Parker, Brighton, Commerce City and Colorado Springs Police Departments and Araphahoe, Boulder,

Douglas, Jefferson, Larimer and Weld County Sheriff's Offices. Kevin Bruntz received two awards for Weld County, 1st place on a team of 4 in custody and control and 7th place on Individual Traffic Stops, Other events are High risk traffic stops, domestic crisis intervention, report writing, hostage negotiations,

crime scene inv, high risk entry, physical agility, and firearms. Congratulations to President Rob Otterstatter and Kevin.



NEW MEMBERS ORIENTATION

ATTENTION: New members having just received your acceptance letter, Welcome to the group. Any group you are new to may create several questions, please do not hesitate to call either one of the commanders, Poncelow or Martinez for clarification. As a new member one of the first things you will want to do is attend orientation. This will make you available for call up on upcoming events. Orientation will help get you acquainted with the expectations of the unit and policy and procedures of the Sheriff's Office. J L McCaffrey is the coordinator for orienta-

tions. Orientations are generally held the Sunday following a meeting, on the **odd months**. Call for confirmation. Once orientation is completed, you will be available to participate in a shakedown, Once 3 shakedowns are completed call Kathy W at ext 2807 for ID appt & arrangements are made to get a uniform. Volunteers are welcome to make arrangements to do ride-alongs or jail alongs at any time. The quickest way to get acquainted is to come around often. The help is greatly appreciated.

GENERAL & VOLUNTEER-RESERVE MEETING MINUTES

Jim Swaen called general meeting to order at 7:10p, New members, None Guest: Larry Naugler **Announcements:** Deputy Kevin Schwartz acknowledged the volunteers Robert Vasquez and Terry Benavidez who assisted with the Gilcrest homicide crime scene. Greatly appreciated. . **Committee Reports: Shakedown:** Adam reported 57 hrs in 2 times. Drawing winner for May was Mike Dougherty. **Orientation: Bike Patrol:** Charles Lindsey indicated that the bikes are ready to go, new housing at the Admin Bldg, Sunday trng class. **Jail Report:** 85hrs were volunteered in booking and roving. Anyone interested is asked to call Paul (hm) 304-0938, (ofc) x3873 or (cell) 381 4216 **Range:**Kate will run a range day on June 20th for those who need 1 more chance., . **Training:** *Driving will take place on June 19th at parking lot at IGP south of the grandstands, 7-noon* **New Business** Stampede June 24-July4, Rocky Mtn Sr Games traffic

control, will add CPR class on July 17.8-5 . **Volunteer Reserve Minutes** Showed new Deputy patches. New rockers for Bike Patrol to be changed out by Sept 20th. Went over assignments for stampede, security ticket gates etc. Volunteer will be paired up w/Reserve as directed at briefing .at the trng ctr at 6PM, know how to use radios **Attending:** Jim Swaen, Rob Dodge, J L McCaffrey, Michael Sweringen, Luke McDonald, Andrea Vermilyea ,, Bruce Kamba Karen Sweringen, Jason Bishop, Mike Dougherty, Bill Blount, Terry Benavidez, Kevin Dimmitt, Charles Lindsey, Robert Jensen, Daniel Chapman. Rebeca Farris, Adam Dougherty, & Tom Watson, Nicole Steele, Matt Moll, Kirk Cosson, Brian Kunz, Ruben Robles, Jodi Willbanks, Emily Bennett, Melody Harpster, Kate Gittlein, Robert Vasquez, Brenda Skidmore, Brenda Pilch, Dave English, Bob Becker, Jason Hill,

The gift of
happiness belongs
to those who
unwrap it.

Anonymous

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BIKE PATROL

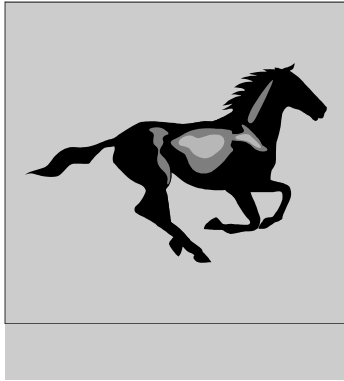
The bike patrol is unique to the reserves/volunteer units as full time deputies do not have this resource. The bike patrol is primarily designed for the Poudre Trail security and the stampede along with assisting the community resource officers in a particular subdivision they may need extra patrols in. The training required is PPCT, ASP and OC for those who are volunteers as well as some additional actual on bike training. Charles Lindsey will attend a class in Westminster in April. We

currently have 6 bicycles, two purchased by the unit at a discount and 4 were obtained through an OEM grant. The uniforms are white shirts and black biking shorts, all of which are purchased by the individual members. The current members now are Matt Moll, Jason Hill, JL McCaffrey Sam Brownlee, Ruben Robles, Robert Vasquez, Doug White, Melody Harpster and Mark Mellon. Anyone interested may call Charles Lindsey, 970-962-1188 or cl@anlance.com

POSSE MEETING MINUTES

May meeting called to order by Pat Foelske, Guest: Jenny Strauch.

Treasurer's report: Not much change from last month **Old Business:** Storage shed ordered, recommended we stay with the same style instead of container style. Sign up for Stampede, No reason to have arena cleanup on 20th, Margie working on signage, Need some lights put up, Jeff will put up a yard light on Ft Lemley. all set up. **Announcement:** Send Quick Recovery



thoughts & prayers to Greta Willoughby, horse accident, flowers sent from the Posse **Committee Reports:**

Upcoming Events: LEEPAC demo June 14th, Hosting State Sheriff's Meeting, Norm will coordinate the breakfast. Need cooking crew and roping crew. Also same day as Cat Ballou in Mead. **Training: New Business**

- **Events since last Meeting:** Johnstown Parade, training Special Olympics Ceremonies Relay for Life Security, & Mead Patrol

- **Attendees:** Debbie Day, Billy Pearson, Rolland & Charlotte Shetler, Tracy Feit, Vicki Harbert, Ken & Sue Ramsay, Bob Farmer, Kurt Youngstrand, Pat Foelske, Rod & Judi McKenzie, Patricia Ramos, Mary Ann Ableles, Mary Blackwell, Jeff Harbert, Mary Schwartz, Bob Helling, Norm Campbell & Margie Martinez.

- **Everyone looked sharp at Uniform Month. Good Job.**

- **REMINDER: The arena is not open to the public, members may invite guest but must be present when guest use the facility.**

Posse Members, Dues are now due, \$20.00 payable to Weld County Posse, 1/2 goes to State!

POSSE UNIFORMS

New members are often left blind sided when it comes to what uniform and the differences. Hopefully this will help. The dress parade uniform is Black Rodeo King felt hat \$99.95, black dogger tie style 1407-1, \$9.00 from Coral West, Dk brown long sleeve shirt and Khaki Wrangler jeans style 13MWZ TN available at Agland. The utility uniform is a Wrangler CoolLock white straw hat 10X, Ser#1668107, khaki long sleeve shirt, wrangler blue

jeans, & white tee shirt. The dark brown and khaki shirts are provided if we have your size. Both uniforms require a black belt and black boots. The coordinator will advise which uniform for the occasion unless it is a parade then it's **always** the dress uniform. The black felt hat is worn with the dress uniform and during the months between Labor Day & Memorial Day. If any questions, contact Pat Foelske or Monty Lemley.

**Weld County Sheriffs Office Volunteer
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Change of Address, or phone number Call
Margie Martinez 970 356 4015 ext 2803
with your new address. Individuals with
disconnected phone #'s and/or no
forwarding addresses will result in being
dropped from the call up list.

**If in doubt of an event going
on, call Master Control,
356-4015 ext 3960**

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the Sheriff's
Office
website for
current
Most
Wanted in
Weld
County and
the
newsletter
www.weldsheriff.
com*



**MISSION
STATEMENT**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 1-4 Stampede
- July 3, 4th of July Parade
- July 5 Stampede Clean up
- July 10 LaSalle Parade
- July 10 Eaton
- July 12 General/Posse Meeting
- July 18 Range
- July 18 Orientation
- July 24 & 25 Cat Ballou, Mead
- July 25 State Posse Mtg/Bkfast Roping
Arena
- July 27-31 County Fair Security
- July 31 Cheyenne Frontier Day Parade
- Aug 1-2 County Fair Security
- Aug 6 Peace March downtown Grly
- Aug 6-8 South East County Fair
Keenesburg
- Aug 7 Gilcrest Parade
- Aug 9 General/Posse Mtg
- Aug 10 Primary Election
- Aug 14 Ault parade
- Aug 14 Millken Parade
- Aug 15 Range
- Aug 20 Philharmonic Wine tasting Cent Vil
- Aug 21 Nunn parade
- Aug 21 Posse trng arena
- Aug 22 CSP range clean up
- Aug 27 Concert in Windsor
- Aug 28 Frederick Miner's Memorial Parade
10:00 am
- Aug 28-29 Windsor Boat Races
- Sept 4 State Posse Meet, Salida
- Sept 4 Windsor Harvest Park Security
- Sept 5 State Posse Meet, Salida
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- Sept 6 Windsor Parade
- Sept 11 Trapper Days Ft Lupton
- Sept 11 Evans Parade
- Sept ?? Cattle Baron Ball
- Sept 13 General/Posse Meeting
- Sept 18 Kersey
- Sept 18 PPCT ReCert
- Sept 19 Range 9-5
- Sept 19 Orientation, Trng Ctr
- Sept 25 PPCT Re Cert

THE WELD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS THE ORGANIZATION CHARGED STATU-
TORILY WITH THE RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES
TO THE CITIZENS OF WELD COUNTY. THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE AGENCY
INCLUDE KEEPING A JAIL, CIVIL PROCESS, KEEPING THE PEACE AND ATTEND-
ING THE COURTS. THE MISSION OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS TO IMPROVE
AND MAINTAIN THE QUALITY OF LIFE IN WELDCOUNTY THROUGH EFFICIENT, EF-
FECTIVE DELIVERY OF SERVICE. THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS AN INTEGRAL PART
OF THE COUNTY AND THE CITIZENS IT SERVES AS WELL AS A SERVANT TO THE
COUNTY