

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

NEXT MEETING JUNE 9TH,
2003, 7:00 P.M.

Important Phone #'s All ext can be reached either thru 1-800-436-9276 or 970 356 4015

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Posse Coordinator:

Pat Foelske 356-7984

Posse Training:

Reserves Co-Coordinator

Kevin Schwartz 381-7569, Shane Scofield

Matt Moll Cell # 303-332-9609

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Shane Scofield 381-1524

Explorers: Mike Wilson, Pgr # 351-9326

Rob Otterstatter, ext 4131

Range:

Contact Mark Magnuson 302-9041

Orientation

J L Mc Caffrey 303-841-1043

Phone Tree:

Shake Down Team: Irene Mendoza 970 356-2406 Adam Dougherty 970 330-8969

Posse: Donnie Patch 970 302-9941

Norm Campbell 303 654 0392

Reserves/Volunteers: Jeff Ness 970-381-2049

VOLUNTEERS SAVE COUNTY MONEY

During the last 4 months, the volunteers and reserves have been called out on several occasions to perform a security detail of one kind or another. March security was provided during a prayer meeting at IGP, 10 people responded saving \$350. A shift was covered in patrol saving another \$350.00. 2 volunteers provided surveillance on a scene saving \$280., 2 reserves handled calls on

the street while a 3rd reserved assisted on a search warrant recovering stolen vehicles and drugs saving \$1050. and 2 volunteers were called out to cover the scene saving another \$210. 4 reserves have assisted in handling transports, saving another \$1400. This totals to \$3,640. savings to taxpayers in this time of budget cutting. Thank you to all of you who participated.

VOLUNTEER GETS AWARD

Tom Kidwell was chosen to receive the Weld County Stars of Excellence Award for volunteer recognition. The award was created by United Way of Weld County and sponsored by NCMC to recognize a volunteer in the community.

Tom was recommended for his active participation in traffic Enforcement,



license plate retrieval, seat belt enforcement and overall participation in the Volunteer program. Tom was selected and will receive A \$500 check to go the charity of his choice which the volunteer program was his choice. Congratulations to Tom, Nice Job, Well Done.

NEW MEMBERS ORIENTATION CHANGES

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 managers, 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 up coming 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 orientations. 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 arrangements are made to get a uniform & ID. Volunteers are welcome to make arrangements to do ridealongs 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 meeting to order at 7:02, new members with acceptance letters present Teresa Vasquez, Mary Knicely, Gary Bress, Bob Ortega, Adam Kendall, Lyndsay Davis, & Sheri Clark . Guest Jason Bishop. Time sheets were discussed, need to turn them in monthly, Vol/Res to Irene Mendoza and Posse's to Cindy Devers, or drop them off at the the sheriff's office to Undersheriff Martinez. A report will be available at each . meeting of what has been turned in. Time Sheets not turned in within 60 days will not be counted No Old Business. **Committee Reports: Shakedown:** Had 1 on May 10th ,8 people, 1.5 Hrs, =12 hrs, **Orientation:** Meet at Trng Ctr, **Bike Patrol:** 4of 6 bikes have been tuned and are ready. **Range:** Mandatory shoot in May outdoor range. **Training:** OC class May 24th 2P, Taser **June 18 6-10**, Less Lethal

certificates handed out. Volunteer/ Reserve Meeting called to order at 7:45, Doyle discussed the up coming Academy, applications will be available soon, Training held was going over crimes and statutes that one may come across while at stampede. Next months training will consist of some items that may be needed during stampede also ie. Traffic control, radio usage etc. **Attending:** Jim Swaen, Lee Coca, Greg Hopkins, Kendall, Jeff Ness, Tom Kidwell, Dennis Moore, Randy Baker, Chris Buschy, Theresa Vasquez, Mike Dougherty, Karen Tucker, J L McCaffrey, Jason Hill, Tom Watson, Adam Dougherty, Greg Bengtson, Rebecca Farris, Richard Walters, Charles Lindsey, Brenda Pilch, Lyndsey Davis, Robert Vasquez, Shane Scofield, Rob Dodge, & Jerry Hutchinson.

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People forget how fast you did a job, But they remember how well you did it.

Anonymous

BIKE PATROL

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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 is being sought out We cur-

rently 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, Kevin Schwartz, Melody Harpster and Mark Mellon. Anyone interested may call Shane Scofield

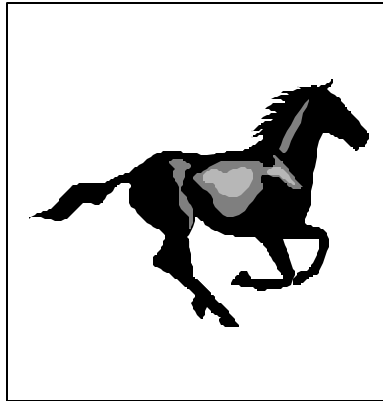
RANGE REPORT

The range masters have passed on a report of those reserves who did not qualify during the first quarter of 2003. In order to keep current in the three skills area to keep your commissions active Reserves must attend arrest control which we have PPCT at least once a year, attend driving classes when offered

and you must show up on the range once every quarter, If you have failed to do so or are wondering if you are one of them who did not qualify first quarter of 2003 contact Margie Martinez, 381 0107. Your appointment depends on it.

POSSE MEETING MINUTES

Attendees: Meeting called to order at 7:43 pm by Pat Foelske. Motion carried dispensing reading of previous minutes. **Treasurer's report:** Balance of \$10,978.76 with \$60.00 incoming from dues, \$143.01 spent on memorial fund, clean up, p s trophies, and repair of water leak. New members who have received letters Fred Defenbaugh, Tracy Feit, and Gary Bress. **Announcement:** Tom Nissen will be the assistance coordinator. Tom did have another commitment to-nite and couldn't be here. **Committee Reports:** **Training:** 40 hr course had 22 participants and went very well. **Arena :** No workday currently scheduled, Need to move the storage trailer to make room for more pens. June 21st 9am will be a work day. Proposal to buy more panels and water tanks made by Rolland Shetler, Motion carried. Donnie Patch and Mary Ann Abeles will get water tanks. Donation of \$250 to state posse queen discussed, Rolland Shetler made motion, Rod McKenzie, seconded, motion carried. **Upcoming Events:** Peace officers memo-



rial May 15th, Ride the Poudre Trail over Memorial Day weekend, Pat will coordinate, May 30th, 7 PM Special Olympics opening ceremonies at Nottingham field, Meet at arena around 4 Pm if you want to attend the barbque at 4:30, warm up horses and then trailer to UNC, June 6th and & 7th for Relay for Life security, Need people to work the triad games July 29–Aug 3 more info as time gets closer. **New Business:** Tim Schwartz and Kevin Schwartz who , repaired the water line during the 40 hr course, Motion made by Donnie Patch and seconded by Rod McKenzie to get a \$50 each gift certificate from the Olive Garden, motion carried. Both styles of uniforms were demonstrated by Pat Foelske and Margie Martinez. **Attendees:** Debbie Day, Maryann Abeles, Judi & Rod McKenzie,

Vicki Harbert, Bob Ortega, Bob Farmer, Donnie Patch, Pat Foelske, Patricia Ramos , Mark Magnuson, Rolland Shetler, Billy Pearson , Fred Defenbaugh, Gary Bress, Bob Helling, Sheri Clark, Mary Knicely, Mary Schwartz, Margie Martinez Adjourn at 8:28 **REMINDER: The arena is not open to the public, members may invite guest but must be present when guest use the facility.**

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 from Coral West, \$99.95 Dk brown long sleeve shirt with black dogger tie style 1407-1, UPC # 4 0911240007, \$8.95 and Khaki Wrangler jeans style 13MWZ TN available at some Corral West & Agland. The utility uniform is a Wrangler air Austin white straw hat 10X, Airgrid 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.

**Character
is doing
what's
right
when
nobody's
looking.**

J C Watts, Jr.

Weld County Sheriffs Office Volunteer
Newsletter

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Fax # 970 304-6467

Change of Address, 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 4683

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



**MISSION
STATEMENT**

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| June 2 ? Explorer Mtg, conf preparation | July 7? Explorer Mtg, Business Mtg |
| June 6-7 ? Relay for Life Security IGP | July 12? LaSalle Parade & Eaton Parade |
| June 7 ? Johnstown Parade | July 14? General/Posse Mtg 7pTrng Ctr |
| June 7 ? Horse training 1pm Arena | July 14? Explorer Mtg, Tools Of L. E. |
| June 7 ? O C Training 2pm Trng Ctr | July 15? Wish John Mac Happy 50th |
| June 7 ? 3-7p Driving Recert IGP pkgng lot | July 19? 1st Aid/Cpr class Trng Ctr 8-5 |
| June 8 ? 10a-7p Driving Recert IGP pkgng lot | July 20? Range 9-5 |
| June 9 ? General/Posse Meeting | July 20? Orientation, Trng Ctr 10-2 |
| UNIFORM MONTH | |
| June 9? Explorer Mtg, Conf Prep | July 20? State Posse 1/4 Mtg, Trng Ctr |
| June 13? CSP Open Range 4p-10p | July 21? Explorer Mtg, Ethics |
| June 14? Evans Parade | July 26? Cheyenne Parade |
| June 14? Driving Recert 8-4 IGP pkgng lot | July 28? Explorer Fun Meeting |
| June 14? Intoxilyzer class 8-5 Trng Ctr | July 28-31 County Fair, IGP |
| June 14? Grover Rodeo | Aug 1-4 County Fair, IGP |
| June 15? Grover Rodeo | Aug 2 Gilcrest Daze |
| June 15? Range 9-4 outdoor range | Aug 5 Primary Election |
| June 15? Orientation Trng Center | Aug 8 Peace March Downtown Grlly |
| June 16? Explorer Mtg, Conf Prep | Aug 9 Ault Parade & Milliken |
| June 16? Taser Trng, Trng Ctr, 6p-10p | Aug 11, Instructor Meeting 6p |
| June 21? Arena Clean Up Day 9AM | Aug 11 General/Posse Meeting |
| June 21? Stampede kick Off Dinner IGP | Aug 16 Driving TBD |
| June 22-28 Explorer LEEPAC Conf UNC | Aug 17 Range 9-5 |
| June 22? CSP Range Clean Up Day | Aug 23 Nunn Parade |
| June 25-30 ? Stampede duties daily, report to
Training Center at beginning of each shift | Aug 23-24 Boat Races, Windsor |
| July 1-6? Stampede duties daily | Aug 29-31 State Posse Meet |

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