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Red Cross Colorado State Leadership Conference

The Red Cross's CO State Leadership Conference was held May 29 and 30 at Fort Carson. The conference was focused on exercising our new State Disaster Response Plan. Volunteer and paid staff leadership from all five chapters in Colorado were present, and partner agencies such as Salvation Army, Southern Baptists, and Woodmen Valley Chapel all came out to provide meals throughout the two day exercise. This was our first conference of this type since the reorganization at the national level, and the goal of this cohesive relationship is to develop capacity within disaster services and respond up to a Level III disaster using resources entirely from within Colorado.



Nathan Roberts and Jason Godinez



Woodmen Valley Chapel Feeding the ARC



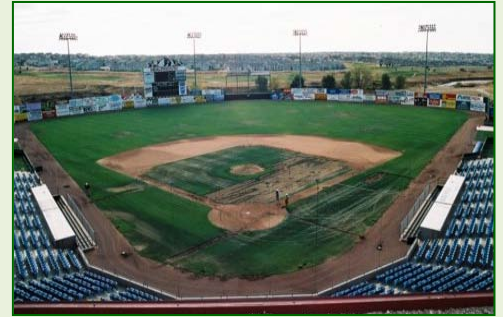
Harriet Lewis - Registration Table



Sheila Bouton and Pat Chappell Checking in

RED CROSS NIGHT
AT
SKYSOX STADIUM

FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 2009 7:05 PM



General admission tickets are \$8.00 and include fireworks after the game.

Purchase ticket vouchers at the front desk.

Proceeds will benefit the Pikes Peak Chapter of the American Red Cross.

***THE VOLUNTEER WHO SELLS THE MOST TICKETS WILL GET TO THROW
OUT THE FIRST PITCH OF THE GAME!***

Email jmurcia@pparc.org if you'd like to purchase or check out tickets to sell

Orientation to Red Cross Web Systems -
Thursday June 18th 6-8pm

ALL Red Cross volunteers are invited to come to the Pikes Peak Chapter American Red Cross to learn how to effectively and successfully use the various Red Cross web systems including Crossnet, Learning Management System (LMS), Disaster Services Human Resources (DSHR) Self-Serve, and DAT Site. **RSVP by June 16th to cdvtraining@pparc.org**



EMERGENCY SERVICES ALL TEAMS POTLUCK

The evening of **Thursday June 25th**, from 6:30-8pm, the chapter will host a potluck for all Emergency Services Teams - that means ALL Disaster Teams and Service to the Armed Forces volunteers. This has been a busy and productive year for the Pikes Peak Chapter, so please come join us for great food, friends and information!

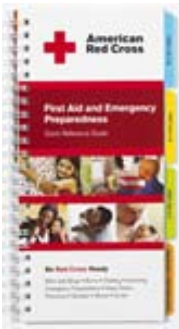
Please **RSVP** to Jolynn Welsch at volcoord@pparc.org by **June 20th** with your name, team affiliation and the food item you'll be bringing.



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Community Disaster Education Upcoming Events

Saturday, June 13

Living Hope Covenant Church/1:00 - 4:00 pm

6750 N. Union

Colorado Springs, CO 80918

Focus on Service to the Armed Forces - part of the proceeds for the day will go to the Pikes Peak Chapter

Saturday, June 20

Music for Life Organization Fundraiser for Lupus Foundation/12:00 - 8:00 pm

America the Beautiful Park

126 Cimino Drive

Colorado Springs, CO 80904



Babysitter Boot Camp

SUMMER SESSION

American Red Cross
Wed. July 22 & Thu. July 23
9 a.m.—5 p.m.

This 2-day training camp is open for
children ages 11—15.

Price: **\$125**

Pre-registration is required.

Each student must bring a sack lunch.
Bottled water and snacks will be provided.

If you can't make this event, check out our
website for our of regularly scheduled
Babysitter's Training at www.pparc.org.

Be the Best Babysitter on the Block!

An expanded version of our Babysitter's Training course, the Babysitter Boot Camp is a 2-day event designed to provide you with the knowledge, skills and confidence necessary to be the best babysitter on the block!

Through hands-on activities and lively discussions, this training camp will teach you how to care for infants and children, make good decisions and solve problems, respond to emergencies, be a good leader and role model, interview for jobs, and much more!

Each student will receive a:

- Babysitter Certification w/Book & CD-ROM
- First Aid Certification w/Book
- Infant & Child CPR Certification w/Book
- Dog FA/CPR Certification w/Book & DVD
- Babysitter First Aid Kit
- Babysitter T-Shirt

Register at www.pparc.org
or call **(719) 632-3563**