

Allegheny Mountain Rescue Group
Monthly Meeting Notes
April 6, 2010

1. Chair report/ General Announcements

2. External Organizations (ASRC/PSARC/MRA)

- a. ASRC- Any member who is a FTM or higher has a vote at the AGM being held this month. If you are not going to the meeting, please give your proxy to one of the reps. The Mock Search Exercise will begin on Friday at 6:00 PM April 9th.
- b. PSARC- N/A
- c. NCRC- N/A.
MRA- The next BOD meeting is in Alaska in June.
 - They are taking nominations for national offices.
 - Chris will be reviewing Blue Knobs application to the MRA April 29th.
- d. Allegheny/Region 13- A draft explaining the process for alerting resources had been provided to the providers in the area.
- e. Butler County- Don met with the Fire Chiefs to give out information on SAR resources.

3. Committee Reports

Membership

- a. Michael Berger was voted in as a member, contingent on passing his background check.
- B. The membership survey was closed yesterday. The result will be distributed next month.

Operations

There was an email posted about a missing girl in Washington. This was investigated by the officers. The Cecil Twp police indicated that they did have a report on a runaway girl. However, they knew where she was staying.

- a. Callouts- There were 4 standbys this month.- There was a search for a fireman in Beckley WV. The search was five days old before activation. He was found before anyone was able to respond./ There was also a standby in WV for an autistic child.
 - Lewisburg, VA had a standby on a 14 y/o

- b. Medical-
 - QRS We are still waiting for UPMC for Medical Command. They confirm that they will provide the command but want to wait for the new laws, that have been enacted, to take effect.

Training Report/ Presentations

- a. There is a River Rescue Demo tomorrow
- b. ASRC's mock search and AGM will be held this weekend.
- c. Basic Field Search Techniques will be held at gamelands 203 on April 17th
- d. Senator Ories Forum is Aril 22nd
- e. there is a swift Water Rescue class on April 22nd
- f. PASARC is having its annual SAR EX April 29th

Marketing-

Marketing will work on getting a show kit together.

Heather has a slide show which we can use for Senator Orie's Forum

Finance

- a. The budget was reviewed.

For The Good of the Order.

A request for any available member to attend Senator Orie's forum on April 22