



**Calendar**

- September 7 7:00pm UNIT MEETING --  
Training: **Helicopter Operations** by *Matt Jarvis*.
- September 15 7:00pm TRAINING SESSION -- **Glacier Travel and Ice issues** by  
*Preston VanMeter*
- September 18/19 10:00am ICE PRACTICE by *Tim Fitzpatrick*  
Meet at Cloud Cap Campground
- September 27 7:00pm EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
- October 3 8:00am OEC REFRESHER -- Sublimity Middle School Gym.
- October 5 7:00pm UNIT MEETING -- Training: **Incident Command System** by *Jim Ruef*
- October 20 7:00pm TRAINEE UPDATE
- October 21-24 5:00am CORVALLIS SKI SWAP, Benton County Fairgrounds

WELCOME ABOARD -- Jason Bartosz

The Executive Committee interviewed Jason and accepted him as a Trainee following the July Training Session. Jason works in his family's business in Albany.

TRUCK GARAGE -- coming along

By the first of September, the new garage for SAR vehicles at the Benton County Shop compound was closed in against the weather. Electrical installation still needs to be completed.

OEC REFRESHER --

Unit members who are Outdoor Emergency Care (OEC) certified need to plan on attending one of the OEC refreshers given by various ski patrols in western Oregon this fall. The Santiam Pass Ski Patrol will be holding its refresher on Sunday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Sublimity Middle School's Gym building. Registration begins at 0730 and instruction begins at 0800. If you have questions regarding this refresher, contact Anne Greenwood (503-399-3518) or email her at: [anne@green-woods.com](mailto:anne@green-woods.com). You should plan to bring your Study Guide to the refresher.

RECRUITMENT --

With several members graduating from OSU and the death of another member, CMRU is actively recruiting new members. If you know of anyone who might wish to join the Unit, refer them to our webpage (<http://www.peak.org/~cmru>) or to the Member-at-Large (Jim Dagata [541-753-3817]). Remember, CMRU is a service organization -- not a climbing club -- whose members are skilled mountaineers.

It is also important that some of our less active members attend training events so newer members become familiar with all Unit members. It is vitally important that we each understand the strengths and weaknesses of other team members (as well as our rescue equipment) in order to function more efficiently together.

CORVALLIS SKI SWAP -- it's coming

The Ski Swap is a little more than a month away. Since this is CMRU's primary fund raising event, your help is needed to make this year's event as successful as in the past. Plan to work (and sell/buy) at the Swap.