



# Nicolet Search Team



*Always Ready, So That Others May Live*

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A reminder to all that the Team is sponsoring Introduction to Search & Rescue (ISAR) and Fundamentals of Search & Rescue (FUNSAR) in September and October. There are still 5 slots open as of Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. If you want to do the training, get in touch with Andy as soon as possible. Dates are 9/10-11, 9/24-25, 10/1-2. The Team is paying for the training, so if you have signed up, please plan to attend.

We are working on setting up a SARTEC II test this Fall. Please let Andy know if this is something you might want to do. You do not need to attend any training to attempt the test, but it does help with the map reading and the written test.

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## Suring Labor Day Parade

The Team plans to walk in the Suring Labor Day Parade. If you can make it, we will meet at 8:00am at the Mountain Ambulance Station and head down to Suring. For those driving themselves, meet at about 8:30 - 8:45 behind the Suring High School near the baseball field. We will get our placement from there. Wear your Team shirts and good walking shoes. We have lot's of candy to pass out.

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## Team Web Site

Matt has been working on updating our web site. Check out what he has got done so far. Give him some suggestions. All the newsletters are posted, you will need to get a user name and password from Matt.

[www.nicoletsearchteam.org](http://www.nicoletsearchteam.org)

Another web site to check out is NASAR's at [nasar.org](http://nasar.org). Matt has included a few links to various teams around Wisconsin. If you have not taken the time to check out their web sites, now is the time.

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## Search Missions

Many of you know that we were called out for the triple homicide near Mountain. We spent the whole day looking for a weapon. During that search we did find three separate and viable clues that helped the Sheriff's Department in their investigation. It was an interesting day and only leads us to realize that we must have good clue finding abilities. As a reminder to all, this is also one of those searches that we just cannot talk about. Also, it is suggested that you write down everything that you did and the things that happened during the day.

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## New Members

We have two new members that need to be voted in on September 10<sup>th</sup>. Keep in mind that our ranks have thinned over the past year, so if you know of anyone who might be interested, be sure to ask them.

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## Fund Raisers

Funds raisers this year have been very productive. We have received a check for the Run/Walk for \$544 and will help towards training costs.

### Team Equipment Update

We have received the Yamaha generator and it is mounted on the front of the trailer. It will run for about 8 hours without refueling. It can stay right on the trailer and does not need to be on the ground. It is locked to the trailer, the key is hanging just inside the door. There are several extension cords in the trailer.

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## Uniforms

Remember to contact Jess on how to order team shirts and such.

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