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Severe Weather - Are You Prepared?

Submitted by: Mark Damrau, Emergency Services Director

Severe weather seen in Tennessee and Oklahoma recently, remind all of us how important it is to be prepared for Wisconsin storms this summer. Take a look at the following tips to ensure you are prepared.

- **Assemble a Disaster Kit** Kits should contain first aid supplies, essential medications, non-perishable food, bottled water, flashlights and a battery-powered weather radio with extra batteries and other emergency items. If you have a pet, don't forget their needs as well!
- **Create and Practice a Family Disaster Plan** When seeking shelter, choose an interior room with no windows, a basement, a center hallway, or a bathroom or closet on the lowest floor possible.
- **Respect Weather Watches and Warnings** Monitor your local radio and TV stations for updated storm information. A WATCH means that weather conditions are favorable. A WARNING means that conditions pose imminent threat to life or property.
- **Have an Evacuation Plan** Have your disaster kit ready to go. Let your family or friends know where you are going and the well-being of you and your family as soon as possible. Stay informed by listening to any emergency messaging that may be available.

Before lightning strikes . . . keep an eye on the sky. Look for darkening skies, flashes of light or increasing wind. Listen for thunder. If you can hear thunder, know that you are close enough to the storm to be struck by lightning. Seek safe shelter immediately and listen to the radio or television for the latest weather forecasts.

As a storm approaches . . .

- Unplug appliances and avoid using the telephone or any electrical appliances.
- Avoid taking a bath or shower or running water for any other purpose.
- Turn off the air conditioner. Power surges can overload the compressor.
- Draw blinds or shades over windows. If windows break during the storm, the shades will prevent glass from shattering into your home.
- If you are in a car or mobile home, get out immediately and head for safety.



Make sure all family members are aware of these safety tips. Together, create a family disaster plan identifying a 'safe place' in your home to go to in the event of severe weather. Show children how to stay low to the ground to become the smallest target possible for lightning in case they get caught outside in a storm. Show them how to place their hands on their knees with their head between their knees.

And remember... when a thunderstorm, tornado, flood fire or other emergency happens in your community, you can count on the Red Cross to be there to help you and your family. For more information on tornado or severe weather preparedness, please visit the Red Cross website at www.redcross.org or contact your local Red Cross office.



Welcome, Wendy!

The Marathon County Chapter is pleased to welcome Ms. Wendy Savage to the team. Ms. Savage is the new Community Chapter Executive for the Marathon County Chapter. She joined the staff on January 4.

Wendy brings an extensive background in leading non-profit organizations including grantwriting, fundraising and community involvement through education and outreach programming. A Wisconsin native, she has lived in Central Wisconsin for the last 25 years with her husband and three children.



Rhineland Office Holds Open House to Celebrate March As Red Cross Month!

L-R: Mae Nachman, Regional Executive Director; Tammy Ross, Health & Safety Manager; Michelle Fensk, Rhineland Office Coordinator and Carol Walther, Blood & Volunteer Coordinator

Join the Local Red Cross Disaster Volunteer Team!

Red Cross Seeks Disaster Volunteers

Ever wonder what it takes to be a part of the Red Cross and help victims of fires, floods and other disasters? Do you have some extra time and want a way to 'give back?' The American Red Cross may be the answer for you!



Red Cross disaster volunteers provide emergency relief to victims of local fires, floods, severe storms or other disasters that impact people's lives. It is the Red Cross volunteer at the scene of a home fire providing comfort to the family and making sure they have shelter, food and the necessary supplies to be safe and secure. Red Cross volunteers touch people's lives at times when they need help most! The experience is life-changing and very rewarding.

All training and support is provided by the local Red Cross. Interested persons are asked to contact their local Red Cross office. Volunteer information can be found on our website at www.redcrossncwi.com.

An Update on Red Cross Work in Haiti

Since the earthquake struck Haiti on January 12, the American Red Cross is responding with food, water, shelter and health programs. At the same time, some efforts are transitioning to long-term recovery projects. Across North Central Wisconsin, you responded generously to Haiti's plea for help. Nearly \$90,000 from this area was contributed to Haiti Earthquake Relief! Your local Red Cross offices gratefully accepted your gifts! As of May 10, the American Red Cross has raised \$446 million for the Haiti relief and recovery efforts. More than \$32 million has been pledged through mobile giving. Here is an update of Red Cross work currently underway in Haiti.

- Red Cross relief efforts have reached nearly 2 million people. This is one of the most complicated disaster responses in Red Cross history. The quake devastated the capital city, left large number of people homeless and impacted government agencies that are crucial in the response.
- Shelter remains a top priority. As with any other humanitarian organization working in Haiti, the Red Cross cannot start building large numbers of transitional shelters until there are cleared plots of land available for use. The Red Cross is shipping building supplies for thousands of shelters and has been training Haitian Red Cross staff and volunteers to construct these shelters.
- The Red Cross has been distributing emergency shelter as fast as possible. The number of people displaced is equivalent to the population of Hawaii. So far, working in a coordinated effort with more than 70 organizations, the Red Cross has provided emergency shelter items to 450,000 people.
- Since January 12, the Red Cross has spent approximately \$112 million; 50% of the money has been spent on food and emergency services; 39% for shelter and the remainder has gone towards livelihood development such as cash assistance, as well as water, sanitation and health programs. The Red Cross expects to spend \$200 million to meet immediate needs -- mostly in the first 12 months. The rest of the funds raised will go to long-term recovery over the next several years.

The American Red Cross will support earthquake survivors until the last donated dollar is spent. We'll also continue work in Haiti that has been ongoing for many years. For photos and up-to-date information about the Haiti relief effort visit www.redcross.org.

Red Cross Experiencing Decrease in Contributions for Local Services

While the Red Cross continues to help those in need in Haiti, our staff and volunteers are hard at work here in North Central Wisconsin helping people recover from home fires and preparing for spring and summer storm season. On average, each disaster sees the local Red Cross office distribute \$1,500 in direct assistance.

In recent weeks, the North Central Wisconsin Chapter has been responding to 3-4 home fires weekly costing the chapter upwards of \$6,000 a week.

In addition to disaster relief services, your local chapter continues to train more than 15,000 people annually in lifesaving CPR, First Aid, water safety and more. In addition, the Armed Forces emergency communication service is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to local military families and their service members.

There is no doubt that Red Cross needs your support in order to continue our work right here in North Central Wisconsin. Please consider mailing a gift to your local Red Cross office today.

Clip & Save!

Health & Safety Summer Class Schedule

JUNE 2010

Marshfield

CPR Review	June 1
Pet First Aid	June 9
Basic Aid Training for Kids	June 10
Babysitter Training	June 12
CPR/First Aid for the Workplace	June 19
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	June 21 & 23
Babysitter Training	June 24
CPR / First Aid for Community	June 26

Rhineland

Pet First Aid	June 10
CPR Review	June 15
CPR / First Aid for the Community	June 22 & 24
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	June 30

Stevens Point

CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	June 1 & 3
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	June 5
Babysitter Training	June 10
CPR / First Aid for the Community	June 15 & 17
CPR Review	June 23
Babysitter Training	June 26
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	June 28
CPR / First Aid for the Community	June 29 & July 1

Wausau

CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	June 5
CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	June 7 & 8
CPR Review	June 10
CPR / First Aid for the Community	June 12
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	June 14 & 15
CPR / First Aid Instructor Training Course	June 16, 18 & 19
CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	June 21 & 22
Babysitter Training	June 26
CPR Review	June 28

Wisconsin Rapids

Babysitter Training	June 5
CPR / First Aid for the Community	June 7 & 9
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	June 15 & 17
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	June 22
Babysitter Training	June 29

JULY 2010

Marshfield

Babysitter Training	July 8
CPR Review	July 13
CPR / First Aid for Community	July 19 & 21
Babysitter Training	July 22

Rhineland

CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	July 6
Babysitter Training	July 24
CPR / AED for Professional Rescuer	July 27 & 29

Stevens Point

CPR Review	July 6
Babysitter Training	July 10
CPR / First Aid for the Community	July 13 & 15
CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	July 24
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	July 27

Wausau

CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	July 12 & 13
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	July 15
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	July 17
Babysitter Training	July 23
CPR / First Aid for the Community	July 24
CPR Review	July 26

JULY 2010 (Cont.)

Wisconsin Rapids

CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	July 6 & 8
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	July 7
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	July 12 & 14
CPR / First Aid Instructor Training Course	July 24 & 25
CPR Review	July 27
CPR / First Aid for the Community	July 31

AUGUST 2010

Marshfield

CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	August 3
Basic Aid Training for Kids	August 5
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	August 9 & 11
Babysitter Training	August 17
CPR / First Aid for Community	August 21

Rhineland

CPR Review	August 18
CPR / First Aid for the Community	August 28

Stevens Point

CPR Review	August 3
CPR / First Aid for the Community	August 7
CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	August 17 & 19
Babysitter Training	August 21
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	August 29

Wausau

Babysitter Training	August 7
CPR / AED Review for Professional Rescuer	August 14
CPR / First Aid for the Workplace	August 16 & 17
CPR / First Aid for the Community	August 21
CPR / AED for the Professional Rescuer	August 23 & 24
CPR / First Aid Instructor Training Course	August 25, 27 & 28
CPR Review	August 26

Wisconsin Rapids

Babysitter Training	August 7
CPR Review	August 10
CPR / First Aid for the Community	August 16 & 18
Pet First Aid	August 20
CPR / First Aid in the Workplace	August 30 & Sept. 1

Classes & dates may change and new ones may be added. For current information, visit our website www.redcrossncwi.com or call the office nearest you.

Teach for the Red Cross!

If you currently hold a Red Cross CPR certification and enjoy being in the classroom, the Red Cross wants you!

We have openings across the region for Red Cross CPR & First Aid instructors. This is a great way to earn extra income and teach a skill that could save a life! Check out the instructor training courses coming this summer in Wausau!

Please contact the Red Cross office nearest you and speak to our Health & Safety staff! We'd love to have you as part of the Red Cross team!



Red Cross Gears Up for National CPR & AED Awareness Week

Submitted by Tammy Ross, Health & Safety Manager

In December of 2007, Congress declared the first week of June each year as National CPR/AED (Automated External Defibrillator) Awareness Week. June 1-7, 2010, marks the third National CPR and AED Awareness Week with the goal of encouraging states, cities and towns to establish organized programs that provide CPR and AED trainings and increase public access to AEDs.

The American Red Cross has stepped up to the challenge and set an organizational goal of reaching 250,000 people nationwide during this one week with the vital knowledge and skills to respond to a life-threatening situation with confidence. The Marathon County Chapter is presenting a special awareness program at the 12th

Annual Stratford Women's Event in June. Laural Harder, Health and Safety Director, will be demonstrating an AED machine. "Saving a life through CPR and AED is the message I will be conveying to the public," shares Laural.

The Red Cross hopes to raise public awareness of sudden cardiac arrest, suffered by more than 300,000 people each year and increase the chance of survival that can be achieved by having at least one person in each household trained in CPR and the use of an AED. In less time than you think, Red Cross training can give you the vital knowledge and skills to respond to a life-threatening situation with confidence. Sign up today for a CPR and First Aid certification course (see page 2) or learn at home with our Compression Only CPR products. Contact your local Red Cross office today to find out how you can be prepared to save a life!

B.A.T. -- Basic Aid Training

A summer class for kids!

The Red Cross is offering our Basic Aid Training class this summer in the Marshfield Area. Two dates are listed on the class schedule - June 10 and August 5. BAT is designed for children ages 8 - 11.

The six-hour course teaches:

- Emergency Action Steps
- How to check a victim for breathing
- First aid procedures for choking
- Injury prevention safety tips
- Fire safety
- And more!

Sign up today by going to our website - www.redcrossncwi.com or call the Marshfield Red Cross office at 715.387.0235.

Red Cross Goes 'Green'

This is the final newsletter you will receive in your home mailbox. Shrinking budgets make it difficult to absorb print and mail costs.

Electronic media - our website and email - is much more cost effective today allowing us to communicate with you more often and in a more timely manner.

We want to keep you informed of Red Cross activities!

Share your email with us!

Simply send an email to rcoffice@charter.net or call the office nearest you and share your email address.

Don't Delay . . . Do it Today!



Summer Water Safety Tips

The water is a great way to stay cool and have a good time with friends and family. Water can also be dangerous if safety precautions are not taken. Here are some common sense safety reminders as you head to the beach and pool this summer!

- **Learn to Swim!** You are never too old!
- **Always take a friend along.** Never swim alone.
- **Swim only in supervised areas.** Parents - know where your children are at all times.
- **Obey all signs and rope limits.**
- **Do not float where you can't swim.**
- **Don't dive into shallow water!**
- **Wear a life jacket** when boating, skiing, kayaking, rafting and fishing. Blow-up objects such as rafts are not life preservers.
- **Stay alert to currents.** Learn to recognize and watch for dangerous waves and currents.
- **Keep an eye on the weather.** If you see bad weather coming, pack up and head for a safe place.
- **Keep clear of objects in the water like water plants and animals.**

Be Safe & Have Fun this Summer!

The need is constant.
The gratification is instant.
Give blood!

1-800-GIVE-LIFE
www.redcrossblood.org

Tips for a Successful Blood Donation

- ▶ Maintain a healthy iron level
- ▶ Hydrate - Drink an extra 16 oz. of liquid before and after your donation
- ▶ Eat a healthy meal before your donation
- ▶ Remember to bring your ID

Getting Over the Fear of Needles

Many first-time donors come to the drive site with a fear of needles and find the donation process easy and painless! Here are some tips to help...

- ▶ Focus on the lives you may be helping with your blood donation
- ▶ Become familiar with the donation process
- ▶ Have a distraction Bring along a book, a music player or a friend to talk with you
- ▶ Share your fear with the staff who can talk with you and assist you through the donation

Benefits of Being a Blood Donor

- ▶ Feeling great afterwards!
- ▶ Free cookies and juice!
- ▶ Knowing I helped save a life!
- ▶ Proudly wearing my "I give blood" sticker!

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Through their financial support, these Northern Wisconsin businesses support Red Cross blood drives and disaster relief efforts in communities across the Northwoods. We are sincerely grateful to each of them!

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Blood Drives Across North Central Wisconsin

July thru August 2010



Clark County

June 1 12 noon - 6:00 pm
June 21 11:30 am - 6:00 pm
June 22 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm
June 28 11:00 am - 6:00 pm
June 30 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm
July 1 12:15 pm - 5:15 pm
August 17 12 noon - 6:00 pm
August 19 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm
August 30 11:00 am - 6:00 pm
August 31 12:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Thorp Community Center
Abbotsford Colby Community Room
Owen Withee Health Care Center
Neillsville American Legion Hall
Loyal Community Ballroom
Greenwood High School
Thorp Community Center
Owen Withee Health Care Center
Neillsville American Legion Hall
Loyal Community Ballroom

Forest County

June 7 12:30 pm - 5:00 pm
August 12 12:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Crandon Public Library
Crandon Public Library

Langlade County

June 10 10:00 am - 4:00 -pm
July 13 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm
July 19 12 noon - 6:00 pm

Antigo KC Hall
Antigo Wal-Mart
Antigo Copps Store

Lincoln County

June 1 11:30 am - 5:30 pm
July 7 12 noon - 5:00 pm
August 3 11:30 am - 5:30 pm

Tomahawk - Grace Lutheran
Merrill - Wal-Mart
Tomahawk - Corpus Christi Center

Marathon County

July 1 10:00 am - 3:00 pm
July 8 12 noon - 5:00 pm
July 9 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm
July 12 12:30 pm - 6:30 pm
July 30 11:30 am - 5:30 pm

Wausau Center Mall
Mosinee - Crossroads Bible Church
Stratford Community Center
Wausau - Good Shepherd Lutheran
Wausau YWCA

Oneida County

June 9 11:30 am - 5:30 pm
August 11 11:30 am - 5:30 pm

Rhinelander - Quality Inn
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Portage County

June 21 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
June 24 11:00 am - 5:00 pm
June 29 12 noon - 5:00 pm
July 14 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
August 31 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
July 21 10:00 am - 2:30 pm
July 23 10:30 am - 4:30 pm
July 29 11:00 am - 4:00 pm
August 23 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
August 26 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Plover Municipal Building
Stevens Point - St. Paul's Methodist
Plover - Highlands Church
Stevens Point - Associated Bank
Plover Municipal Center - Plover
Stevens Point - SPASH Fieldhouse
Plover - Members' Advantage CU
Stevens Point - Community First Bank
Plover Municipal Building
Stevens Point - Ramada Inn

Price County

June 7 12 noon - 6:00 pm
June 8 TBA
June 9 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Park Falls American Legion Hall
Phillips Community Center
Prentice School

Taylor County

June 22 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Gilman - St. Peter/Paul Catholic Church

Vilas County - Eagle River

June 8 11:30 am - 5:30 pm
August 10 11:30 am - 5:30 pm

St. Peter's Catholic Church
St. Peter's Catholic Church

Wood County

June 7 11:00 am - 6:00 pm
June 15 12 noon - 5:30 pm
August 9 11:00 am - 6:00 pm
August 13 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm
August 16 12 noon - 5:00 pm

Marshfield Eagles' Club
WI Rapids - First English Lutheran
Marshfield - Eagles' Club
Pittsville - St. Joachim's Church
WI Rapids - First English Lutheran

Times and dates are subject to change. Visit our website
www.redcrossncwi.com or call your local Red Cross office.

2009 at a Glance

This past year, the Red Cross touched the lives of persons across North Central Wisconsin 51,159 times! Here are just a few of the ways our staff and volunteers continue to serve our communities.

87 disaster incidents were responded to providing shelter, food, clothing and other disaster relief assistance to **350** individuals.

214 military personnel and families were assisted through Red Cross Services to Armed Forces (SAF).

947 military personnel and their families attended Red Cross 'Get To Know Us' presentations prior to deployment.

178 blood drives across the region collected **13,126** pints of lifesaving blood.

810 young people completed babysitter training.

12,275 persons received training in First Aid, CPR and the use of an automated external defibrillator.

6,318 students participated in Red Cross learn-to-swim, lifeguard training and water safety programs.

10 local disaster volunteers responded to national disasters, i.e. Hurricane Gustav, North Dakota floods.

9,602 health screenings provided to Marathon County residents.

6,116 people received community safety education.

Statistics taken from 2009 Annual Report

Leaving a Planned Gift . . . Or a Gift Through Your Will . . .

It's never too late - or too early - to make plans for the future. It's important to consider the things we'll one day be leaving behind. This includes a well-written will or estate plan.

A will is a precious and important gift to our loved ones that ensures our assets and important items are distributed in the way we desire - and not decided by the state, which happens when someone passes without a will.

Your will or estate plan can also be so much more! Beyond just a list of who gets what, your will can become an instrument of true compassion, your chance to ensure that the causes you valued during your lifetime can live on for years to come through a charitable bequest. Your bequest gift can be large or small, can complement your interests and can be modified at any time.

Please consider leaving a charitable gift to your local American Red Cross in your will or estate plan. You'll be leaving behind a legacy of kindness and care to help people when they need it most. For more information, visit www.redcrosslegacy.org. or call your local Red Cross office.

Suggested wording to share with your estate attorney . . .

"I give, devise and bequeath to the American Red Cross serving North Central Wisconsin, (insert City/State), the sum of \$ ____ (or percentage of your estate) to be used for its general purposes."

Make compassion your legacy for future generations.



Marathon County Chapter staff & volunteers were on hand at the airport as our WWII Veterans departed on the Honor Flight on April 27.

L-R: Annette Krautkramer, DAT Volunteer; Cindi Will, Executive Asst.; Wendy Savage, Chapter Executive, Laurel Cooper, DAT Volunteer & Adam Brzezinski, AmeriCorp Member

Send your College Student Off to School Ready for Emergencies!



Personal First Aid kits make great gifts for college-bound students!

Nylon kits (6" x 8") fit easily in a drawer or glove compartment.

Only \$7 each.

Call your local Red Cross or place your order on-line at www.redcrossncwi.com.

Summer Fundraising Events Across the Region

Monday, June 21: Greater Plover Golf Open at the Stevens Point Country Club. Open to the Public!

June 24 - 26: Great Northern Bike Rally at Mole Lake Casino, Crandon, WI

August 13 & 14: Brews, Brats & Bands at the Stevens Point Brewery Park in Stevens Point.

A new children's book sharing the story of the Haiti Earthquakes



\$6.99 Haiti mon Amore

Written & Illustrated by Kristin Martell Stevens Point

Book printing donated by Worzalla Publishing

Proceeds go to Red Cross Haiti relief and local disaster relief.

To purchase: call the Stevens Point Red Cross office.

Red Cross Proudly Honors our 2010 Hero Award Recipients

This past March and April, 26 individuals and businesses were honored by the American Red Cross for their lifesaving actions. Nominated by members of their communities, the Red Cross is proud to introduce our 2010 Hero Award recipients!



Youth Heroes



L-R: Kailyn Backus, Greenwood; Christopher Weina, Wausau; Zach Pagel, Kronenwetter and Lexi Zuleger, Weston

Corporate Heroes



K-Tech Weston
 McCain Foods USA Plover

Emergency Response Heroes



L-R: Jeff Barth, Marshfield & Battalion Chief Thomas Leslie, Wausau



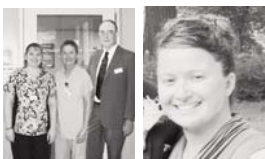
L-R: Matt Schoonover, Stevens Point & Richard White, Pickerel

Law Enforcement Heroes



L-R: Dawn Jacobson, Neillsville & Sgt. Kory Gertschen, Wausau Pickerel

Health Care Heroes

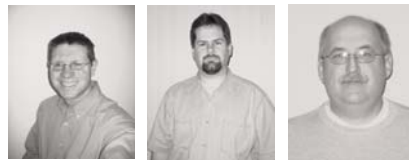


L-R: Ambulatory Surgery Dept - Marshfield Clinic of Minocqua & Kathy Bowman, Antigo



L-R: Lori Duchow, Nekoosa & Chaplan Tamara Frinak, Wausau

Good Samaritan Heroes



L-R: Casey Foss, Eden Prairie, MN; Darrin Franke, Auburndale; Duane Harris, Nelsonville

Community Heroes



L-R: Terry Menzel, Stevens Point; Gary Mueller, Crandon & Ralph and Linda Schlitz, Wausau

American Red Cross Hero



Marty Heidner, Wausau

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Dr. Doug & Heidi Edwards	Stainless Specialists
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Nominate a Hero for 2011 Awards!

Nominations are being accepted thru **December 1, 2010**. Contact your local Red Cross office or visit our website - www.redcrossncwi.com for complete details!



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