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Summer Youth

The Summer Youth Program will start June 9th and run through August 1st. Youth between the ages of 13 and 19 are eligible to participate in the program. There are several locations on base to volunteer at. We are currently looking for a Summer Youth program coordinator. This person must be motivated and must be a youth volunteer. Please come in and talk to Crystal Calloway or Evelyn Martinez if you are interested in the position.

Advisory Council Meetings will be suspended for the summer. May's meeting will be at 9:00 AM at the Officer's Club on Tuesday May 13th. Meetings will not resume until September. We hope that you all have a wonderful and safe summer. Thank you for all your hard work and input.

Upcoming Classes

Free to Red Cross Volunteers after 20 hrs., of volunteer work

CPR and First Aid

May 10— Comm First Aid and Safety 9am-5pm Alamo

May 13— Adult CPR 9am-1pm Alamo

May 22 - Child and Infant CPR 9am-Noon Alamo

May 24 - Comm First Aid and Safety 9am-5pm Alamo

May 27 - Standard First Aid 9am-1pm Alamo

Babysitting

May 17 - Babysitting Class 9am-5pm HAFB Comm.Ctr.

Station News

This month we are happy to welcome three new members to our Advisory Board Mrs. Treadway will be joining us at the Holloman Red Cross as our new Senior Advisor. We are very happy to welcome her to our team and look forward to her ideas and input. Toni Rath a Red Cross volunteer for the Family Child Care office will be our new Records Chairman. Toni will continue to volunteer at her current position as well as keep up with Records Chair duties. We are very excited to have her. Tina Holl a Clinic volunteer since November of 2002 will be our new Clinic Chairman. We are also very excited to have her on our board. Welcome to you all we hope that you all enjoy being a part of the Advisory Board, and Thank you for your commitment to the Holloman Red Cross.

We would like to mention what a great success this years recognition was. Everyone who was involved in the planning from the invitations to the setting of the tables deserves a great big thank you! Amn. Bowling, MSgt. Stizer and SSgt. Pinard provided us with such great entertainment. We really enjoyed your music. Thank you to Mr. MacKenzie as well for speaking. All of our volunteers are such great people. Thank you for your dedication. We have such a great team and it shows.

Let's welcome our New Volunteers for May

- Shantell Wright - Education Office
- Rhonda Suter - AFES Caseworker
- Stanley Raab - Base Library, Special Projects

Volunteer positions are available at the Fitness Center, Community Center, Medical Clinic, Legal Office, Education Office, and the Library.

Red Cross News

World Red Cross day is May 8th. The National Societies of the Red Cross and Red Crescent comprise more than 97 million members and volunteers—the worlds largest volunteer force—assisting some 233 million beneficiaries each year. World Red Cross day was born in 1922, just after WWI, when the Red Cross National Society in the Czech Republic proclaimed a three day truce at Easter to promote peace. The idea behind the truce was to recognize one day every year during which the Red Cross would advocate for the relief of human suffering from disease and the humanity of seeing a world free from suffering due to war. May 8, the anniversary of the birth of Henry Dunant, the founder of the Red Cross, was chosen to be that day and was called World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day.

This year the focus is on programs that keep children healthy and safe around the globe. The Measles Initiative is a long term commitment to control measles deaths in Africa by vaccinating 200 million children, preventing 1.2 million deaths over 5 years. Leading the effort are the American Red Cross, United Nations Foundation, CDC, WHO, and UNICEF. Within the first two years (2001, 2002) more than 64 million children have been vaccinated in 12 sub-Saharan African countries. It is estimated that nearly 100,000 deaths have been prevented already.

Have a safe and



Happy Summer



Please congratulate our parking permit winners for the month of May. Parking permits are good for one month. Kerstin Strelow - AF Recruiter
Sherrie Alverson - Clinic
Stacey Vickery— Schools