



Central Oregon Police Chaplaincy

Serving the Hearts and Minds of Central Oregon's First Responders

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The Beat

August 2014

Annual Training Seminar

Greetings - My wife and I have just returned from attending the ICPC - International Conference of Police Chaplains - ATS - Annual Training Seminars in Columbia, South Carolina. It was well attended with over 400 in attendance.

Our chaplaincy was awarded two Presidential Coins in gratitude for the work that was accomplished to assist ICPC with their website over the past few years. We as well received a citation of appreciation for the work that has been accomplished for our Regional Leadership. It was an awesome time of learning and instructing as we attended classes and taught classes.

I listened at the awards ceremony to hear the name of Chaplain David Kell being read to receive his Masters Credential - Wow, what an achievement. We received as well a letter that Chaplain Kell was in fact the recipient of his Masters Credential. We are very proud of Chaplain David Kell and his recent accomplishment.

Having hung around a large group of chaplains and having the honor to provide instruction during the ATS I am very pleased to rub shoulders with

some of the finest and best trained chaplains right here in Central Oregon with COPC. We have a high Standard of Training and qualification for First Responder Chaplaincy, Our Work Ethic has a High Standard and our Leadership expectations are equal to anywhere in any part of the country.

We have recently added a Part Time Staff position in Chaplain Brian Ely. Chaplain Ely will continue our heritage of providing the best chaplains for the best First Responders in Central Oregon.

We have a great team of chaplains. I want to thank our chaplains and our COPC family for your support and service. Please continue to pray and support us as we serve and support the First Responders of Central Oregon!

In His Service - pj



2014 CENTRAL OREGON POLICE CHAPLAINCY GOLF TOURNAMENT

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Friday, August 15th, 2014

Eagle Crest Ridge Golf Course
- Redmond, Oregon

Shotgun start at 8:00 a.m.

Lunch and prizes at 1:00 p.m.

Entry: \$125.00 per person/
\$500.00 per foursome.

Includes 18 holes of golf, carts
and BBQ lunch.

We need help with securing prizes and gifts - and we need lots of players - we would like to have 30 foursomes help us raise some funds for COPC. To reserve your spot today Visit www.copchaplain.com. Contact Andrea at 541.390.4970 for questions.



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News & Events

- **COPC Chaplains Training** – First Tuesday each month from 0900-1200 hours usually at the COPC office in Bend.
- **COPC Board Meeting** – Second Thursday each month at the COPC office from 0830-1000 hours.
- **DCSO Corrections** – Chaplains Crowley, Dismore, Jemes, and Michalek continue to meet weekly for a lunch with the Corrections Family.

Individual Crisis Intervention & Peer Support

Chaplains Jim Crowley and Mike Dismore taught the **Individual Crisis Intervention & Peer Support** class on **July 30-31**, at the **Jackson County Sheriff's Office** in Central Point, Oregon. Those attending the class included Clinicians, Oregon State Police Troopers, 911 Dispatchers, Department of Public Safety, Hospital & ER Staff, Chaplains, Mental Health, Fire & EMTs, and Mazama mountaineering. It was a great group of students who will take the information and skills back to their agencies and groups to be a resource for their peers.

COPC Hydro Flasks



Here's what we have left in the 21 oz. size: 11 Blue, 2 Black, 1 Green, 2 Stainless (no logo). **The cost is \$25 for the 21 oz.**

Prayer Requests

- Marriages of our Fire, Law Enforcement and Dispatch families. Our Chaplains meet weekly with officers, firefighters and dispatchers that request our assistance and prayers for their families.
- Covering of His Grace, Wisdom and Protection on our chaplains, agencies and families.
- There are many First Responder Families facing illnesses, surgery, and other physical ailments. Keep them and their families in prayer.

COPC Chaplains

The Chaplains of Central Oregon Police Chaplaincy provide the crucial services that support the region's First Responders and the community. On an on-call basis, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, COPC Chaplains are dispatched to calls including deaths (Code 99s), death notifications, drownings, fires, homicides, hospital transports, infant and child deaths, motor vehicle accidents, search and rescue, suicides, and more.

In addition, COPC Chaplains provide confidential personal counseling and mentoring, hospital and home visits to assist in healing and provide support, critical incident stress debriefing and defusing for First Responders and the community following traumatic events. They officiate at ceremonies including funerals, weddings, celebrations, dedications, and other events. They do ride alongs and visit the First Responders at the agencies throughout Central Oregon. They also are involved in administrative duties, attending meetings, making community contacts, and fundraising.

Monthly training is offered to the COPC Chaplains, First Responders, and others; training to help Chaplains, Emergency Services Personnel and their family members maintain healthy relationships.





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closest to the pin and even last place!*

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