

NORTHWEST CHAPLAIN'S CONNECTION

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Regional Training News

Greetings -

Our Mission within the Region is to Train, Serve and Build Relationships amongst chaplains for Law Enforcement – First Responders. This year our theme was "Raising the Standard"





We have accomplished another opportunity to Raise the Standard together. We were honored to have Retired Chief Bob Vernon with us as our special speaker. He offered us the challenge to tune up our leadership skills laying the foundation for an impacting chaplaincy. We were

challenged as well to Model the Integrity and Character that would draw our officers into a solid foundation of service and health.

We Trained together, we were challenged to Serve together and we built Relationship that will encourage all of us to become sustainable together. (con't on page 2)



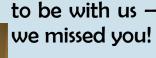
Regional Training Seminar News (con't)



We learned the invaluable tools of what our officers want to see in a real leader. We learned about our opportunities to be certified as a chaplain with ICPC. We accomplished Basic Classes and Advanced Classes.

We learned how to use our website-icpcnw.org - providing the support and tools for the year to come. We walked on the beach and we absorbed the beauty that the coast of Oregon brings. Those who attended were challenged and equipped to be a better chaplain in their agency. If you were not able







Please plan now to be at our 2013 RTS (Regional Training Seminar) January 7th-10th, 2013 Canon Beach Conference Center, Canon Beach, Oregon. Our Theme will be Equipping for Endurance. Our Basic Classes will be offered again, Advanced classes and Special Speakers will be focused on our

Theme. Plan now to attend and strategize your financial support. It is always an honor to serve and support our Northwest Chaplains – YOU

ARE THE BEST! God Bless - jim

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39th ICPC Annual Training Seminar



July 9th – 13th, 2012 DoubleTree Hotel Spokane City Center 322 N. Spokane Falls Court; Spokane,WA 99201 509-455-9600 Direct; 800-222-8733 Toll Free

Lodging \$110.00 per night + taxes

Seminar Fees - Determined late January 2012 Brochures available 1st of March 2012

> Hosted by: Chaplain Ron Alter and Spokane Police Department

Visit icpc4cops.org for Registration Information

Pacific Northwest Disaster Response Team

Please contact Chaplain Russ Guppy at russguppy@gmail.com if you are interested and able to be on the Pacific Northwest DRT.

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Honor Begins at Home

Four men, one calling: To serve and protect. As law enforcement officers, Adam Mitchell, Nathan Hayes, David Thomson, and Shane Fuller are confident and focused. Yet at the end of the day, they face a challenge that none of them are truly prepared to tackle: fatherhood.

While they consistently give their best on the job, good enough seems to be all they can muster as dads. But they're quickly

discovering that their standard is missing the mark.

When tragedy hits home, these men are left wrestling with their hopes, their fears, their faith, and their fathering. Can a newfound urgency help these dads draw closer to God ... and to their children?

Riveted moviegoers will once again find themselves laughing, crying, and cheering as they are challenged and inspired by everyday heroes who long to be the kinds of dads that make a lifelong impact on their children.

Protecting the streets is second nature to these men. Raising their children in a God-honoring way? That's courageous. The Courageous DVD is now available. Share a copy with your agency.

Go to: http://www.courageousthemovie.com for more information about the movie Courageous.



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Northwest Chaplain's "Connection"

The purpose of the Northwest Chaplain's "Connection" is to provide a point of communication to share training opportunities in our region, and to provide support and encouragement for one another.

Please send your brief articles, dates to remember, and suggestions to jbcrowley@bendbroadband.com by the 10th of each month.