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## International Conference of Police Chaplains – Northwest Region #2 2011 Regional Training Seminar

January 10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>

Cannon Beach Christian Conference Center, Cannon Beach, Oregon



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**A Note from . . .**  
**Chaplain Jim Crowley, Northwest Region #2 Director**

On Behalf of the Northwest Region #2 Team of Chaplains

This year's RTS will continue to provide the high standard of training we have experienced in the past, equipping us with the necessary tools to be effective in our chaplaincies. I have traveled across the Northwest Region #2 this year to listen and learn from our great chaplains in the field. It was great being with you. I am anticipating that this year's RTS will help us with the mindset of being proactive about our chaplaincies. What can we be accomplishing today that will in turn bring about a better influence for tomorrow? I want us to tool up with some of the best training that we can find.

We will be honored to have our ICPC President Chaplain Cyndee Thomas and our ICPC Academic Registrar Chaplain John Transue with us during most of our time. In addition, we are privileged to have Sgt Clarke (Las Vegas Metro PD) and Tracie Paris of "Pain Behind the Badge" accomplish their presentation from a different angle - Proactive Chaplaincy. We will be challenged by the training, presentations and the opportunities to develop and reinforce critical relationships that will make all of us more effective. We are honored to serve men and women who give their best and do an outstanding job. The RTS will be an opportunity to give back to our officers and be an influence on them for the future - for their future. God Bless – Jim

**Regional Training Seminar**

January 10 –13, 2010

Cannon Beach, Oregon

You may register for the RTS online by visiting [www.icpcnw.org](http://www.icpcnw.org). Detailed information and registration forms are also available in the RTS Brochure which will be sent to NW Chaplains via email.

Please note: Rooms cannot be reserved until payment is received.

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide a point of communication to share training opportunities in our region, and to provide prayer support for one another. As well, we would love to hear of the exciting and creative things you are doing in your departments to further the ministry of chaplaincy.

Send your brief articles, prayer requests, dates to remember, and any suggestions to [drpauelllis@hotmail.com](mailto:drpauelllis@hotmail.com).

## UPCOMING REGIONAL ELECTION

The Month of October is Nomination Month. Elections for Area Representatives to serve the Northwest Region #2 for the next two years will be held in November.

### JOB DESCRIPTION FOR AREA REPRESENTATIVES — SUMMARY

Regional Representatives, much like the Regional Directors; work within the regions to promote the ICPC and chaplaincy, but on a local level. They serve the particular region/state from which they reside. They must be full-members with the ICPC, have been a member in ICPC for five (5) years, must be elected by the region or appointed by the Regional Director, and be willing to serve a minimum of two (2) years.

Area Representatives serve in concert under the Regional Director, and communication is vital between the two to keep up on all the issues/needs of the region.

Some of the responsibilities which are required of the Area Representative are as follows:

1. Promotes membership in the ICPC within the state
2. Contacts new chaplains within that region/state
3. Provides information to departments and chaplains about law enforcement chaplaincy
4. Attends the Regional Training Seminar (RTS)
5. Follows up on members in the state, encourages them to attend the ATS.
6. Attends the Regional Director/Area Representative breakfast at the Annual Training Seminar (ATS).
7. Maintains contact with the Regional Director
8. Works towards advancement of his/her own training levels and encourages the same among the members at large.
9. Keeps the ICPC office/Regional Director abreast of changes of member information
10. Supply any documentation as requested by the Regional Director to include in their annual report to the Board of Directors.
11. Maintains a high standard of ethics and integrity Area Representatives may serve multiple terms in office as there are presently no term limits, however, prudence and care should be exercised within the region to balance the issue and need for continuity within the states and region with that of the need for an infusion of "new blood." Regions/states need to remain fresh and balanced to be able to grow to stay healthy.

Please send Nominations to Jim Crowley at [jbcrowley@bendbroadband.com](mailto:jbcrowley@bendbroadband.com)

Deadline for Nominations is October 31, 2010

### Current Regional Leadership Team:

John S. Henry, Idaho Area Rep.

Warren Hiebert, Montana Area Rep.

Todd Pynch, Oregon Area Rep.

Paul Ellis, Washington State Area Rep.

*No Representative Presently, Alaska*

*No Representative Presently, Wyoming*



## THE ED STELLE EXCELLENCE IN CHAPLAINCY AWARD

**THE ED STELLE EXCELLENCE IN CHAPLAINCY AWARD** – will be given to one recipient per year deemed worthy of that honor as nominated by the membership and voted upon by the Regional leadership. The award will be given out at each annual RTS.

**RECIPIENT** – the award is an honor given to one chaplain each year at the Regional Training Seminar to an experienced chaplain who exemplifies long-term excellence in chaplaincy.

**REQUIREMENTS** – in order to be chosen to receive the ESEIC award, a chaplain must have demonstrated excellence in service both to his/her department(s), and to the Northwest Region of the International Conference of Police Chaplains. Nominated chaplains should not be recognized only for a particular event or response, but for their overall service to law enforcement and to the chaplain community. The chaplain should exemplify the best of chaplaincy in attitude, demeanor, actions, and service.

**NOMINATIONS** – chaplains should be nominated for the award two months before the scheduled RTS. Chaplains may be nominated by any Regional full ICPC member, and also from the Regional leadership.

**NOMINATION PROCESS** – after nominations have been received, Regional leadership will discuss the potential candidates and vote on which nominee they feel should be named for the award. A majority vote of the leadership is required. If no majority vote is obtained (or in the case of a tie vote), the Regional Director will decide. The award recipient will be publically announced when the award is presented at/after the formal RTS banquet award ceremony.

**AWARD** – consists of the recipient's name placed on a plaque to be displayed at each RTS, an ICPC Region 2 medal to be worn at Regional ceremonies, and a personal plaque. (The Regional Team will be working on a consistent process to award and recognize the recipient of our Regional Award)

**PERSONS INELIGIBLE** – chaplains currently serving in Regional leadership positions may not be nominated or elected while they are in office.

**The NW Chaplains are asked to begin considering  
nominees for this award that will be presented at the RTS 2011.**