

**Boone County Water Rescue
Monthly Report
July 2000**

SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES

- 1.) Team meetings.
- 2.) Other meetings: Supervisors, Staff, CFI, Coast Guard
- 3.) Public safety awareness program (Chillicothe Cincinnati, Home Depot Florence, Erlanger Rotary Club, Oakridge Baptist church.)
 - a. Handout safety brochures
 - b. Showing team video
 - c. Tours of Boats
 - d. Equipment display

DROWNINGS

- 1.) Boone County, The tow boat City of Pittsburgh and barges ran over a small fishing boat killing two to the three people aboard, one survivor swam to shore, one victim was found floating next to the barge, the third victim was trapped under the barge. Both victims were recovered.

Note: there was approximately a 5-hour delay in the recovery efforts and no rescue attempts were permitted by the Indiana Department of Natural Resources (Jurisdiction problems). Boone Co. Emergency Management, Police, Sheriff, Coroner, Dearborn Co. Emergency Management, Dearborn Co. Water Rescue and Boone Co. Water Rescue are going to have a meeting August 16th hosted by the Coast Guard to resolve this problem.

OTHER PERTINENT ACTIVITIES

- 1.) The team headquarters is being remodeled.
- 2.) Committee's reviewing policies and procedures on going

TRAINING

- 1.) Various on going training events
 - a. EMT training on going 4th Friday of each month
 - b. Jet Ski training on going weekly
 - c. Boat handling for 217, 218, 219 220 on going weekly
 - d. Preparing life saving techniques for 20 people for combatant life saving procedures.

