



News for Volunteers!

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Let's Roll for the Red Cross

Join the National Capital Area Chapter at the Hard Rock Café on Monday, May 5 at 8 p.m.

Featuring the band, Shooting Star, Jeff "Skunk" Baxter of the Doobie Brothers & Steely Dan, Survivor's Jim Peterik and other special surprise guests!

This concert will benefit Armed Forces Emergency Services (AFES) of the American National Red Cross. Shooting Star will perform their latest single, "Let's Roll," the official theme song of the Todd Beamer Foundation. Together for almost 25 years, Shooting Star is one of the quintessential American "heartland" rock bands.

Suggested donation: \$10

Monday, May 5, 8 p.m.

Hard Rock Café

999 E St., NW

(Corner of 10th and E, downtown)

(202) 628-6583

www.hardrock.com

Celebrate Fairfax

Celebrate Fairfax will take place on June 6, 7 and 8. For more information visit: www.celebratefairfax.com

Our Fairfax/Falls Church Office will be representing the National Capital Area Chapter with a family safety funhouse at Celebrate Fairfax. Red Cross volunteers will engage young people in playing Safety Bingo, learning how to stop, drop and roll, and calling 911. If you are interested in volunteering on Friday, Saturday and/or Sunday, please email Judi Humphreys (humphreysj@usa.redcross.org).

Capital One Affinity Red Cross Platinum Credit Card
Capital One and the American Red Cross have teamed up and created the Capital One Affinity Red Cross Platinum credit card. When you use this credit card to make a purchase, Capital One will contribute one-half percent of the amount to the National Capital Area Chapter. In addition, the chapter will also receive a \$30 contribution

once you activate your card and use it to make your first purchase.

- The card offers a 0% introductory APR until 11/03 on all purchases, balance transfers and cash advances,
- A 9.9% fixed APR on everything thereafter
- No Annual Fee
- One-half percent of your purchases will go directly to the chapter

For more information, please contact Mark Blum at 202-728-6477

Tee up for Red Cross at the Fifth Annual Celebrity Golf Tournament

Friday, June 27, 2003

Registration/Practice begins at 10:30 a.m.

Tee off is at noon

The Golf Tournament will be held at the private Beacon Hill Golf Club located in Loudoun County, Va. For more information on registering you can contact the office of special events at 202-728-6692, or visit our Web site and click on chapter events for June (www.redcrossnca.org). If you are interested in volunteering the day of with set-up, greeting, registration, serving beverages, clean-up, etc. please contact Kim Gube at gubek@usa.redcross.org, 202-728-6433.

Youth Services Hosts SPARC!

The Summer Program at the American Red Cross (SPARC!) is a service-learning program for youth interested in community service, disaster, safety and health issues. The program fuses education about Red Cross services with hands-on services. The program is every Wednesday from July 9 to August 13, from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Youth can...

- Become certified in Red Cross First Aid
- Gain experience in fundraising
- Learn how to prepare and assess projects
- Practice canvassing, public speaking, and community outreach

There is NO FEE to attend and participants gain community service hours. Young people in the 7th, 8th and/or 9th grade are encouraged to apply. For more information or an application contact Lindsay Dart (dartli@usa.redcross.org) at 202-728-6422.

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World Red Cross Day Celebration

"The Role of the Red Cross in a Changing International Community"

Thursday, May 8, 2003

International Monetary Fund Headquarters
700 19th Street, NW, Washington, DC
(Gallery Room is on the 2nd Floor)
Closest Metro: Farragut West, Orange/Blue Lines
5:30 p.m. Cocktail Reception
6:30 p.m. Program Begins

Confirmed Speakers

- Christophe Girod, International Committee of the Red Cross
- Dr. Mark Grabowsky, ARC National Headquarters
- Dr. Tse Haye Teterra, Ethiopian Community Development Council
- Christa Lyons, ARC Washington Metro International Services Network
- Rhoda Shacter and Dan Ian-Benet, Local Recipients of Intl. Services
- Karen Wayne, Executive Director, Prince William Co. Chapter of the ARC
- Special Performance by the Maple School of Irish Dancing and the Malcolm X Drummers

RSVP: To Heather Zenobia at hczenobi@bakerd.com or 202-312-7459. You must RSVP to gain access to the IMF building.

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