

# ANPR NEWS

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**A monthly newsletter from the Association of National Park Rangers**  
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## **World Ranger Congress Delegate Slots Still Available**

There are almost 200 delegates registered for the World Ranger Congress! ANPR has a few more delegate slots to distribute and we may be able to use unused slots that were allocated to other North American ranger associations. Right now, the ANPR board will evaluate delegate applications one-by-one as they come in. Don't miss this opportunity!

- Bob Krumenaker, WRC Conference Chair ([bob.wrc8@gmail.com](mailto:bob.wrc8@gmail.com))

## **Ranger Rendezvous XXXIX - Call for Presentations**

ANPR is now accepting presentation proposals for this year's Ranger Rendezvous. The theme for this year's meeting is **A Century of Service**. Please consider sharing your knowledge and insights with other ANPR members and NPS employees. The Rendezvous coordinators welcome presentation proposals from all ANPR members as well as from public land professionals associated with other agencies and/or organizations.

Proposals are due no later than April 15, 2016. The Rendezvous coordinators will select proposals and notify the presenters by April 30. We look forward to your proposals, and to maintaining the tradition of Rendezvous as one of the premier professional development opportunities in the National Park Service.

- Lauren Kopplin, Ranger Rendezvous Coordinator

## **Tell Us What You Want to See in Ranger**

ANPR's editorial team wants to know your thoughts about *Ranger* magazine and what it means to you. We're planning to update the magazine in the coming months and would appreciate receiving your feedback and suggestions before we go ahead. Please take the online survey (one time per person allowed) at this link by May 31:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/6B6G5VF>

The 2016 Ranger update will be the first design change in five years. You can read about and see the archived issues of Ranger from 1979 through 2014 at this link: <http://npshistory.com/newsletters/ranger/>. You can order remaining past issues of the magazine at [www.anpr.org](http://www.anpr.org) under the "Store" tab.

- Erika Jostad, ANPR President

## **Help Increase ANPR's Membership**

The beginning of summer is a great time to spread the word about ANPR! As park staffing increases, please help us introduce ourselves to new and returning NPS employees by posting our membership information flyer in break rooms or giving it to new employees directly. Thank you for helping us share ANPR!

- Kate Sargeant, Board Member for Membership Services

## **Caretakers Needed for Property in Vermont**

Help manage a 1600-acre woodland property near Rutland and Killington, Vermont! The property includes a rustic farmhouse, garage, woodshed, 3-acre beaver pond and some trails. Caretakers (single or couple) provide a presence on the property between family visits. The house includes a wood burning stove, running water, electricity, phone and internet and a large front porch overlooking the pond. Caretakers have their own apartment with small bedroom and living room and bath. The property is open from the end of May until mid October. Perfect for a retired couple who wants to relive their ranger years! For more information, contact Margaret McBride.

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