

ANPR NEWS

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A monthly newsletter from the Association of National Park Rangers
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Fall Ranger Magazine Theme: Parks and the City

Do you have an article or announcement for the next issue of *Ranger* magazine? We'd love to hear from you! The theme for the fall issue is "Parks and the City." Much of the content for fall will be about urban parks. Please send your ideas for *Ranger* feature articles to Kendell Thompson at kendellthompson@gmail.com and editor Ann Dee Allen at rangermag.editor@gmail.com. Also send your announcements and photos, as well as any questions about contribution guidelines, to rangermag.editor@gmail.com. Photos must be 300 dpi and at least five inches wide.

- Ann Dee Allen, Ranger Editor

World Ranger Congress (WRC)

International registrations are coming in and many rangers from developing country are in need of scholarships. The [scholarship request form](#) is now up on the WRC web site. All delegates will have an opportunity to make a donation for scholarships when they register. Many have already been very generous. If you are interested in attending the WRC don't let [ANPR pre-screening](#) deter you from expressing your interest. The more foreign delegates that register, the more Americans will get to come!

Also, the Call for Presentations and Posters (look for the link [here](#)) will be announced imminently. Accepted presentations will form the core of the WRC concurrent sessions, where rangers will share successes and challenges with colleagues from around the globe. If you plan on being at WRC, please consider sharing your own experience in a presentation or workshop.

- Bob Krumenaker, WRC Conference Chair (bob.wrc8@gmail.com)

ANPR Membership Drive Continues

ANPR's annual membership drive is currently underway. This is a great time to share our values of loyalty, excellence in professional stewardship, and collegial care with friends who may not be familiar with organization. Please consider supporting ANPR in one of the following ways before July 31:

- **Give a gift.** Gift memberships are a great way to introduce friends and coworkers to ANPR. If you'd like to give a gift but don't have a particular recipient in mind, you can also direct ANPR to bestow a gift membership to a student or NPS employee on your behalf. Want to give a gift? Click [here](#).
- **Recruit three, get a year free!** Recruit three new members and enjoy a free ANPR membership in 2016. Gift memberships count!
- **Spread the word.** Help us get the word out about ANPR. Forward [this flyer](#) to people who might be interested or post it around your park.

ANPR memberships now run for one full year from join/renewal date. Recruit a new member today!

- Erika Jostad, ANPR President

Ranger Rendezvous XXXVIII

The annual meeting of the Association of National Park Rangers (ANPR), Ranger Rendezvous XXXVIII, will be held on October 21-25, 2015, at the YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly near Asheville, NC. The tentative program is now available at: [RendezvousXXXVIII_DraftProgram](#). Registration will be opening in the next few days! We are looking forward to seeing everyone in Asheville for an exciting Ranger Rendezvous.

- Ben Walsh, Ranger Rendezvous 38 Coordinator