CELEBRATE EMS WEEK 2012 WITH CAREFLITE...

BY HONORING ONE OR MORE GREAT FIRST RESPONDERS AND ATTENDING ONE OF AMERICA'S OLDEST FIRST RESPONDER & CRITICAL CARE EDUCATION CONFERENCES
(See the next two pages for details, EMS Week Starts May 21, 2012)

2 DAYS OF CE CREDITS FOR JUST $15, REGISTER AT WWW.CAREFLITE.ORG

The University of Maryland's Critical Care Paramedic Course Starts June 2nd at CareFlite's Mabee EMS Training Center, see page 5 for more information.
The CareFlite Emergency Care Update planning committee has invited speakers from across our region and state as well as nationally recognized presenters who are willing to share their experience and skills at our 2012 conference at the Convention Center in Arlington, Texas. First presented in 1982, the CareFlite Emergency Care Update Conference focus is clinical and designed to provide a deeper understanding for paramedics and nurses of the management and care of the critically ill and injured patient. The educational presentations consist of adult, pediatric, and obstetrical. Presentation of case studies or topics geared to enhance the professional image and management skills of the healthcare professional are also presented.

Earn CEU’s for nurses*, Paramedics, EMT’s and EMD’s for just $15.

Course schedule, information and registration at www.careflite.org.

*CareFlite is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Texas Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.
You pick ‘em... 2012 PARTICIPATION CONFIRMATION We’ll honor ‘em!

Awards Ceremony, Monday, May 21, 2012 at Noon @ The Arlington Convention Center

FAX THIS FORM TO (972) 602-7182 or Email to: jswartz@careflite.org
Please email a photo of this Great First Responder to jswartz@careflite.org

Organization ____________________________________________________________

Address _________________________________________________________________

City _________________________ State ________________ Zip _____________

Contact Person _________________________________________________________

Telephone __________________________ E-mail ____________________________

Name of Great First Responder to be honored: _______________________________

□ EMT □ Paramedic □ Fire Fighter □ Peace Officer □ Other

Please describe why this person is being honored as a Great First Responder:

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Use an additional sheet if necessary / Questions? Call Jim Swartz (682) 429-0700 or email jswartz@careflite.org
# CAREFLITE 2012 COURSE SCHEDULE

All classes meet from 9am ‘til 6pm unless otherwise indicated.

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<td>(Taught under auspices of the University of Maryland Baltimore County) Feb 5 through Feb 18, June 2 through July 8 (B Shift), Nov 4 through 17</td>
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## CCT Review (2 Day) $250
- **Mar 6, 7 Aug 14, 15**

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**Print & Use this Form to Register**

Return Form by Fax, Email or US Mail

## 2012 Course Registration Form

- **Name:**
- **Address:**
- **City/State/Zip:**
- **Phone #:** ( )
- **Email:**
- Current Certs: □ RN □ EMT-P or LP □ EMT-B □ RT □ Other:
- Agency or Hospital Affiliation:
- **Course Name:**
- **Course Date:**
- **Tuition Amt:**
- **Tuition Amt:**
- **Total Amount Due:** $ □ NO REFUNDS
- **Name on Credit Card:**
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- **Year:**
- **Signature:**

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**CareFlite’s 2012 Education Courses are Sponsored by:**

- **ZOLL**

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**All Classes Held at CareFlite’s**

**Mabee EMS Training Center**

3110 S. Great SW Pkwy, Grand Prairie

**Questions? Call: (972) 264-9094 or education@careflite.org**

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CRITICAL CARE PARAMEDIC CLASS SCHEDULED JUNE 2 – JULY 8 ON B SHIFT

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The CCEMT-P Course was developed by the University of Maryland, Baltimore County.

Considered by many to be the premier Critical Care Paramedic Course in the United States, the UMBC course will be taught on B shift starting June 2nd. This is the only time this year that the course will be taught on a shift, so if you are interested, register soon as seats are limited. For questions, please call (972) 264-9094.

The Mabee EMS Training Center
Located on the Grand Prairie Airport
Arkansas Lane @ Great SW Parkway

Register Online at www.careflite.org
COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP CLASSES VISIT CAREFLITE…

Leadership Ennis: Joining Bill, Keith and Larry during their tour on March 24th of CareFlite’s Grand Prairie facilities is this year’s Leadership Ennis class sponsored by the Ennis Chamber of Commerce.

Leadership Dallas: On Tuesday February 28th members of the 2012 class for Leadership Dallas got an insiders’ tour of Methodist Dallas and trauma services. They visited the CareFlite helipad and helicopter. A mock trauma was staged and continued down in the Emergency Department where they observed lifesaving technology in the hands of our trauma services staff and met the first responders who save lives when every second counts. The group enjoyed their visit to the Robotic Simulator lab, a training system which uses virtual reality to introduce the fundamentals of robot assisted surgery to train for motor and cognitive skills just like one of our medical residents. Following the tour, the group sat down to lunch and a robust discussion of healthcare.
Leadership Granbury: For the fifth year in a row, Leadership Granbury visited CareFlite’s base at the Granbury Airport. The visit took place on April 19th. The airport is on the verge of receiving funding to build a new 5200 foot long runway, which should increase fixed wing operations including small jets. This should bring new business to the airport and the City of Granbury.

TWO EAGLE SCOUT PROJECTS AT GRAND PRAIRIE…

Brody Frank with other Scouts and Leaders from Troop 787 in Carrollton following the completion of Brody’s Eagle Scout Project at Grand Prairie. They power washed the helipad, outlined it in orange (of course) and painted our logo in the center. Notice the registration mark just below the heart. The project was completed on site over three Saturdays. Each Life Scout must to complete a community project as one the requirements to attain the rank of Eagle Scout.
Boy Scout Oath: *On my honor, I will do my best; To do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; To help other people at all times; To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.*
Over two Saturdays, Troop 155 from River Oaks helped David Magalich complete his Eagle Scout project, which was the landscaping at the west end of the parking lot using the same bricks and bushes to match those at the east end of the hangar. The finished project is shown below. CareFlite is honored to support the Boy Scouts.

CAREFLITE SUPPORTED TEXAS HEALTH KAUFMAN’S 5TH ANNUAL 5K & FUN RUN

CareFlite provided the cloth bags shown above for each entrant in the race, which emphasizes fitness as an important part of staying healthy.
CareFlite was a success at Career Day at Robert E. Lee Elementary School. Shown with the students is Casey Elseworth EMT-P and Anthony Maeda EMT.

CAREFLITE IN THE NEWS

“4-year-old boy was critically injured when he was run over by a lawn mower in an accident about noon Friday in New Fairview. Sheriff’s Office Investigator Josh Reynolds said the boy was walking behind a riding mower as his grandfather cut the grass. When he turned the mower, he didn’t see the boy, running over him. When paramedics arrived, the child was conscious but trapped under the mower from the chest down. He was flown to Cook Children’s Hospital in Fort Worth with lacerations to his stomach and left leg. Paramedics said his injuries are not life-threatening.” From the Wise County Messenger

One Response to “Boy injured in mowing accident”

1. Lisa Peyton says:

March 23, 2012 at 3:18 pm
Please keep us updated on this little boy! I can’t even imagine how that Grandpa must feel. Thank God for CareFlite! Heroes once again.
Deborah Krauser RN of Texas Health Harris Methodist Fort Worth organized the first health fair to be held by the coalition. It was held on Sunday 4/15 at the First United Methodist Church of Keller. Medic 707 from the Mid Cities station posted at the health fair. From left to right: James C. Swartz – CareFlite CEO, Jimmy Sheppard EMT and Michael Thomas EMT-P.

Chaplain Chuck Schneider and Deborah Nichols RN helped represent Texas Health Harris Methodist Fort Worth at the health fair. Deborah was a CareFlite Flite Nurse from 1987 ‘til 1994.

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and by Air...

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**HEART SHOP**

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- Short Sleeve T Shirts - Sizes M, L & XL.  
  $10, While Supplies Last

- CareFlite Lunch Box with Pencil  
  $10, Meal Not Included

- CareFlite Bears $9.99 each.

- 2012 Texas Calendars $10

- Stuffed CareFlite Helicopter $14.99

- Stuffed CareFlite Ambulance $14.99

- Sunglasses $4.99

- Camo Hat $14.99

- Coffee Mug $4.99

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- Wireglass Wherry Skiff Designed by Pygmy Boats
  - 14 feet long, 4 feet wide, 16 inches deep, estimated 110 pounds
  - Already Tested and Ready to Go
- Lightweight and Strong, made of Epoxy on Fiberglass Cloth Covering Marine Okoume Plywood Frame Kit (according to Pygmy Boats, epoxy is stronger and 30% lighter than fiberglass)

The skiff may be easily rowed by one person sitting on one seat using one set of oars or in tandem (a second person sitting on second seat using second set of oars). United States Coast guard rates the boat as capable of carrying four adults and has seating for four. Practically, the boat is more appropriate for two adults or one adult and two children. The skiff rows fastest with one adult. Boat is rowed and not built for a motor.

**Special Construction and Added Features for Safety, Durability and Longevity**

- Basic boat plan calls for exterior hull to have one layer of fiberglass cloth covered by epoxy, but in accordance with Pygmy Boats’ optional plan, a second fiberglass layer over the entire exterior was added for extra strength and durability.
- Basic boat plan calls for interior hull to have one layer of fiberglass cloth covered by epoxy, but in accordance with Pygmy Boats’ optional plan, a second fiberglass layer was added over the interior floor and up about 12 to 15 inches on sides.
- Basic boat plan does not include flotation, but in accordance with Pygmy Boats’ optional plan, air-tight flotation chambers were built into front and rear of boat. On top of this, foam taken from two life jackets was inserted into each of the two air-tight flotation chambers.
- The boat interior and exterior are primed with three layers of marine System Three Silver Tip ($105 per gallon). The exterior is covered in three coats of extra-hard marine System Three WR-LPU Oceans White ($154 per gallon), and the interior is covered in three coats of extra-hard marine System Three WR-LPU Whitby White ($154 per gallon).

**Included Accessories**

- New lightweight trailer built by McClendon in Louisiana and made of aluminum and galvanized steel. Trailer has been modified to fit the skiff and has Texas license plate.
- New fitted cover custom-made of Sunbrella.
- Two sets of bronzed oar sockets already installed.
- One set of brass oarlocks.
- One set of lightweight, spoon-shaped oars made from Sitka spruce, carved in British Columbia, and dipped-varnished. Black plastic collars protect oars at contact points with oarlocks.

Watch our website for complete details and your chance to buy raffle tickets and to support America’s oldest, joint use air medical service. Only a limited number of tickets will be available.

**www.careflite.org**

This classic rowing skill will be on display at the CareFlite ECU Conference.

May 21 & 22 ❤ Arlington Convention Center

*We hope to see you there. Register at www.careflite.org*