

**BOONE COUNTY WATER RESCUE  
MONTHLY REPORT  
July 2003**

**GENERAL ACTIVITIES**

1. **The biggest challenge was re-establishing the month-to-month priorities concerning training, replacement of equipment, and maintaining constructive attitudes.**
2. **Re-organizing general paper work needs, filing, recording time, purchasing and general office work.**
3. **We are now providing weekly river reports for WCPO and the Ky Post.**

**RESCUES**

1. **Boone County: 4 boats and 1 Jet Ski had engine problems, requiring boats to be towed to their moorings.**
2. **Responded to a boating accident around Petersburg, two boats had hit each other and requested assistance, there were no injuries only personal property damage, requested Ky and Ind. Department of Natural resources to respond to take a report, neither agencies would respond, gave both boat owners a copy of the Ky boating accident report and suggested that they send it to Frankfort.**
3. **During normal boat patrol we came across a young boy needing assistance, he was hit in the foot by the prop and was bleeding and could not get it stopped our EMT's stopped the bleeding and recommended he be taken to the hospital.**
4. **Kenton County: The Coast Guard contacted 219, which was near the Mike Fink, that a man on the Suspension Bridge was ready to jump 219 was positioned near the bridge, two EMT's entered the water seconds after the subject jumped. They immediately grabbed the unconscious man and got him to the dive gate and got the subject into the boat. EMT's worked on the subject while 219 moved to the B&B loading area. Covington Fire took the subject to the hospital.**
5. **Requested to respond to the B&B loading area that a deck hand had fallen, EMT's worked on the subject and called Covington Fire to transport to the hospital.**
6. **Responded to a small boat taking on water on the Licking River, stabilized the boat so the boat could be taken out of the water.**
7. **Helped untangle two house boats that had tangled themselves in the Mike Fink's anchor lines, freed both boats.**
8. **1 small fishing boat was towed engine problems.**
9. **Recovered a capsized boat which had broken its mooring, the boat had been abandoned. We also requested Ky Department of Natural resource to take a report, they did not respond so we called Ludlow P.D. to take the report.**

### **Training**

- 1. Our training program is being altered to fit the expected activities for the year, which will include, diver, crewman, and EMT enhancements.**
- 2. Weekly training aids for team instructor is on going.**

### **Public Relations**

- 1. Preparing for the Boone County fair**
- 2. We gave water safety talks to the YMCA and Cub Scout groups, which included over 50 children and 8 adults.**