

2020 RMCMI Mine Rescue Evaluation
Team Commitment Agreement & Preliminary Schedule
Cheyenne Mountain Resort | Colorado Springs, CO | June 19-23, 2020

Saturday, June 20th : Mechanical Advantage Class, Mine Rescue Rodeo, Evaluation Preparation

My team is planning to participate in the Mine Rescue Rodeo YES NO

By having this information ahead of time, we can better prepare and plan for this event.

Saturday will include Mechanical Advantage Class, the rescue rodeo, team captains meeting, all-participant meeting, evaluation Q&A, reading of evaluation rules, and team swap meet. You will have some free time in the evening to enjoy time with your teammates and families.

Sunday, June 21st Mine Rescue Evaluation, Day 1

Monday, June 22nd Mine Rescue Evaluation, Day 2

At the conclusion of Evaluation, Day 2 we will also have the big Monday Night Pool Party event for all participants and ticketed family members to enjoy.

Tuesday, June 23rd Mine Rescue Awards Breakfast & Program Conclusion

Event will be complete at the conclusion of breakfast. You are free to stay and enjoy Colorado Springs or begin your travels home at the conclusion of breakfast.

MY TEAM WILL ATTEND THE 2020 RMCMI MINE RESCUE EVALUATION YES NO

Team Information:

Team Name _____ Estimated # of Participants _____

Team Captain/Contact _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Please return this form via email to Chelsey Voglewede no later than March 20th
cvoglewede@rmcmi.org



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March 2, 2020

To All Team Captains:

Please read over the copy of the Mine Rescue Rules. We would appreciate any input you may have regarding the rules. At the captains meeting on **Saturday, June 20th**, you will have the opportunity to offer your ideas on changes, additions or other comments.

The Mine Rescue Program is important to RMCMI and to the teams that attend. We continually try to improve by adding additional program content. When everyone involved is on the same page it becomes a win-win situation and accomplishes the original goal of promoting educational programs for our member states.

We have enclosed the pages from the registration brochure that pertain to the Mine Rescue program.

Please copy the registration page and the waivers for each team member. It is much easier to fill in the team information on one registration sheet and then copy it for each member.

As soon as possible, we will need back:

- A waiver from each MR participant
- A registration form from each participant
- The control sheet filled out by you listing each participant, in alpha order.
- Payment for the team and any additional checks for family members if paid individually.

Thank you for your time and we look forward to seeing you in Colorado Springs, CO.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Judy Colgan'.

Judy Colgan
Executive Director

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INSTRUCTIONS for RMCMI MINE RESCUE TEAM CAPTAINS

Enclosed are multiple pages for your review and for you and your team members to fill out.

All Mine Rescue personnel whether a team member, driver, observer or other, is considered a participant in the Mine Rescue program and will register at the same fee as shown on the registration form. Each person must fill out a registration form and waiver, *family members DO NOT need to fill out a waiver unless they are participating as a victim.*

The price this year is \$575. For that price, you receive:

- Conference registration
- Training sessions
- Individual evaluations
- Rescue Rodeo
- Breakfast and Lunch on Saturday
- Saturday Swap Meet w/ two drink tickets
- Saturday class on The Mechanical Advantage
- Experienced evaluators for performance evaluation
- Sunday breakfast & lunch
- Monday breakfast
- Monday Family Lunch
- Monday Pool Party & Entertainment
- Tuesday Awards Breakfast
- Awards for each team

Please inform your team participants of the RMCMI and Resort policy concerning family members. **Each person who accompanies the member to any event MUST have a ticket or name badge.** These are available by purchasing the spouse or child packages listed on the registration form.

EVERYTHING MUST BE RECEIVED AT RMCMI BY May 15, 2020. Your cooperation in meeting this deadline will be greatly appreciated.

Team Captain/or Contact Person Duties:

The registration form – Put in all of the company information, then copy and give to the team members to fill out the remainder of information. Make sure all spouse and children are included on the registration sheet. Give one to each team member to be filled out and returned to you.

Participant waiver form – Every team member and observer must have a waiver to participate in the evaluation. No exceptions. Have each team member return the filled out form to you with the registration form.

Control Sheet – When you receive the information back, please fill out the control sheet listing each member, in alpha order (by last name, first name), along with position on team, if driver or trainer, and the total of all costs. Also list victims (see next page).

Equipment List – We are asking that you fill out an equipment list and send it with the other paperwork. This is to allow for an even playing field regarding individual performance evaluations.

Send to:
RMCMCI
3900 S. Wadsworth Blvd. Suite 365
Lakewood, CO 80235

Or email to Chelsey Voglewede at cvoglewede@rmcmi.org

Return the above to RMCMCI by May 15, 2020.

Make sure that all spouses and children are included on the member registration sheet. They must have tickets and/or family package to attend any of the events listed on the registration page. You must enclose a check for the full amount or furnish charge card information to cover the complete team charges.

VICTIMS

We need 10-12 victims. If you have a victim (wife or teen *(13 and older)* – no children) that would like to volunteer, and can be available the whole time from 6:30AM Sunday morning until 9:30AM Tuesday morning, please put them on your control sheet. They will receive all meals included with the MR package, a victim T-shirt, and our gratitude. **We need complete information on the victim (please have them fill out the Individual Participant Waiver and registration sheet – no cost for package or shirt).** If we reach our limit prior to receiving information back from your team, we will have to rescind our offer and they will need to pay just as any other spouse, teen or team member. We will let you know if this happens and ask that you pay the difference at that time.

Please make your team **room** reservations with the hotel listed on the lodging information form. **Please ask for the RMCMCI pricing.** Please give them individual names or your team name.

Room reservations can be made online utilizing this link:
<https://book.passkey.com/event/49784601/owner/65927/home>

We look forward to another excellent Mine Rescue Evaluation and thank you for your participation.

The Rodeo will follow class on Saturday afternoon. This has been an excellent addition to the program and allows the teams to have fun and practice working together.

If there are questions or concerns, please call Chelsey Voglewede at 303/948-3300 or e-mail: cvoglewede@rmcmi.org.

RMCM I MINE RESCUE EVALUATION

GENERAL RULES

1. Each team shall be composed of their specific organizations Mine Rescue number but in no case shall exceed 10 members and one alternate.
2. Each team member must wear a protective hat (complete with chin strap), safety shoes, and safety glasses. Each team member should have leather gloves, latex gloves, a pocket mask, a safety lanyard, and an NFPA approved seat harness.
3. Team members may carry any personal equipment that they deem necessary. However, the equipment must be evenly distributed among the team members and must not be so cumbersome as to create a hazardous situation for any team member. Recommended equipment can be found under rule #22.
4. Each team must supply its own equipment to complete the problems. No equipment will be supplied by the evaluation committee.
5. Prior to evaluation, teams will meet with the officials for an explanation of the rules and the rotation of the teams. Only the team captains will be allowed to ask questions of the officials during the briefing.
6. All team members will report to the staging area before the start of the valuation in a location assigned by the evaluation committee.
7. A maximum time limit will be set for each problem. Failing to complete the entire contents of any problem may result in points lost. Scoring will be given only on that part of the problem completed. The team may not be allowed to finish the problem in order to stay on schedule. If safety issues encountered during a problem result in simulated "death" of a team member, the 10 points available for safety will be lost.
8. Upon completion of the problem, the team will pick up any equipment used and remove it from the site.
9. The evaluators will collaborate their observations and yield a single score that will be discussed with the team immediately following completion of each problem.
10. A Review Committee composed of the RMCM I Evaluation Co-Chairs and an Evaluator will be established. The purpose of this committee shall be to review any questions or exceptions that a team may have regarding the way the team was scored in the evaluation. The team captain will have one hour from the time of the completion of that problem to request, in writing, a review of the way his or her team was scored on a specific component of the problem. The request for review shall state the specific component in contention and why the captain feels that a review of the scoring is valid. The request for review shall be submitted to a Co-Chair who shall, as soon as conveniently possible, convene the Review Committee. The Review Committee shall review the scoring in only the component identified and, based on this review, shall have the authority to adjust the points either in favor of or against the team. In all cases, the decision of the Review Committee shall be final.
11. All evaluators have been appointed by the RMCM I Task Group and have been determined to be proficient in the areas that they will be judging.
12. Decisions of the evaluators and the Co-Chairs will be final, with the exception of a review request by the team captain.
13. The Evaluators and the Co-Chairs reserve the right to halt the evaluation due to extensive delay, lack of safety precautions, or impractical rescue methods. If a team is allowed to resume, they will not be penalized for any time taken to make a decision.

14. If time is stopped by the Evaluators to check a procedure or correct a procedure, all work by all team members must stop during this period. If correction to a procedure is required, it can only be done after time has been reinstated.
15. All evaluation officials shall be provided with some means of identification. Only designated officials shall be allowed to communicate with teams performing or waiting their turn to do so.
16. The safety of all team members, patients, and observers must be maintained at all times.
17. A safety or belay line, in addition to the main line, is mandatory for all "live" loads (patients or rescuers).
18. The evaluation will be held regardless of weather.
19. The evaluation will be held over a three-day period in which all teams will complete a number of scenarios/problems as well as compete in the Mine Rescue Rodeo.
20. Problems shall be designed to demonstrate practical knowledge and skills that all mine rescue personnel should possess.
21. The problems shall be representative of emergencies that one would expect to find in a surface mining operation. (An underground scenario may be included depending on location of the evaluation.)
22. Teams must furnish the following equipment:
 - Medical equipment necessary to perform adequate patient care at the First Responder level (simulation of patient care will not be accepted; oxygen, bandaging, moist dressings, etc.)
 - Equipment that will facilitate the raising, lowering, or transferring of a team member or patient from one level to another.
 - Two (2) fully charged self-contained breathing apparatus with two (2) fully charged spare cylinders.
 - Equipment to test for oxygen deficiency and Lower Explosive Limits.
23. All team equipment will be inspected by evaluators prior to the evaluation. Compressed gas cylinders should have current hydrotest dates and all equipment should be in good condition. Teams should be prepared to furnish information on any of their equipment that the judges might have questions about.
24. Team members must operate under the same restrictions as they would on a mine site. Teams will be required to adhere to all sections of the Code of Federal Regulations that apply to surface coal mining, confined space entry, and bloodborne pathogens.

CONTROL SHEET for RMCMI MINE RESCUE TEAM CAPTAIN

Annual Mine Rescue Performance Evaluation with Rocky Mountain Coal Mining Institute

Mine Rescue program is June 19-23, 2020 at the Cheyenne Mountain Resort.

Complete and return this sheet to RMCMI before May 15, 2020. Please compile data from team members' conference registration Forms. Make copies of this sheet if you have more than 11 people attending.

Company Name: _____ Team Captain: _____
Company Address: _____ Phone #: _____
City, State, Zip _____ Cell #: _____
Email: _____ Fax #: _____
Other contact: _____ Other Phone #: _____

TEAM MEMBERS (in alpha order)

Print/type, IN ALPHA ORDER, LAST AND FIRST names of captain, members, drivers, trainers and others with team.

Last, First Name (in alpha order)	POSITION (if other than member)
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____
7. _____	_____
8. _____	_____
9. _____	_____
10. _____	_____
11. _____	_____

_____ VICTIM Spouse Teen
(13 & older only) Birth Year _____
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(13 & older only) Birth Year _____

Captain, please note: If a team member name is changed, please advise the RMCMI Office so proper name badge may be prepared AND a waiver can be signed and put on file. A player IS NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE WITHOUT A WAIVER. If a question, please contact **Chelsey Voglewede at cvoglewede@rmcmi.org**



MINE RESCUE
2020 RMCMI INFORMATION SHEET
June 19-23, 2020
Cheyenne Mountain Resort
Colorado Springs, Colorado

ATTENDEES

The Institute looks forward to another great Mine Rescue Evaluation. Bring your families and enjoy the beautiful Rocky Mountains of Colorado. Spouses and children are encouraged to join, as described in the full registration brochure

CANCELLATIONS

A \$100 fee will be assessed for cancellations, in writing, received by **June 1, 2020. No refunds will be given** for cancellations received after June 1.

TRAVEL & LODGING

Participants are responsible for their own travel and hotel arrangements. Please see attached sheet for detailed lodging information. **Please reference the lodging information form and ask for the RMCMI room block.** Online reservations can be made with this link: <https://book.passkey.com/event/49784601/owner/65927/home>

Saturday Class

Make sure you allow for the Saturday morning class on **Mechanical Advantage**. This class is included in the team member registration package and will cover the following:

- Work smarter, not harder. Lessons in Mechanical advantage
- Learn the Dynamics of how pulleys and ropes create mechanical advantage and how you can apply proper or improper force to your rescue system.
- Understand how to determine the mechanical advantage of a system while learning how to build a full range of pulley systems for any type of rescue environment.
- Gain a working knowledge of tricks to simplify the building and application of mechanical advantage systems that will allow you to work less and move more.

Following Saturday's lunch, all Mine Rescue participants will take part in the Mine Rescue Rodeo.

REGISTRATION FEES SPOUSE & CHILDREN

Must be registered and have a name tag to attend ANY function.

Ages 15 and up: \$350

Ages 4 - 14: \$250

Children 3 and under: FREE

This includes breakfast & lunch Sunday, June 21 and Monday, June 22, Monday Night Pool Party & entertainment, Tuesday Awards Breakfast

MONDAY FAMILY LUNCH

All Mine Rescue participants & family members **(who are registered for the conference)** are invited to lunch. You **MUST** have a name tag to attend.

MONDAY NIGHT POOL PARTY

Monday evening, all conference attendees with either name tags or a ticket will be able to participate. This includes 2 drink tickets, dinner, and entertainment.

REGISTER

TEAM CAPTAINS:

Please make sure to send in all paperwork required:

- Registration Sheets, Waivers, Control Sheet and Equipment List.
(A registration sheet and waiver is required for each team member)

Please send all forms and payments to:

RMCMI

3900 South Wadsworth Blvd., Suite 365

Lakewood, CO 80235

Or they can be sent via email to cvoglewede@rmcml.org

MINE RESCUE

\$575 Fee per person includes:

This includes breakfast & lunch Saturday, June 20 through Monday, June 22, Monday Night Pool Party and entertainment, Tuesday Awards Breakfast, Mine Rescue Rodeo, safety training and evaluation, team trophy.

MINE RESCUE RMCM I REGISTRATION SHEET EARLY RATES THROUGH May 15, 2020

Please fill out the form completely and return to RMCM I office. Please contact Chelsey Voglewede at 303/948-3300 or cvoglewede@rmcmi.org for questions.

You may submit to your team captain if he/she will be sending in all registrations for your team.

VICTIMS

Spouse or Teens of MR participants may be Victims (for scenarios) on a first-come basis, and must be over age 13. Victims may attend the same functions as the MR participants for no charge. Victims must fill out a registration page and sign a waiver. If under 21, they must have an adult sign the waiver as well. Victims will receive a Victim T-Shirt that must be worn during the Mine Rescue scenarios. Thank you for volunteering.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION - PLEASE PRINT!

<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.	
Name _____	
Name for Badge _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Team Member <input type="checkbox"/> Captain <input type="checkbox"/> Trainer <input type="checkbox"/> Victim	
Company _____	
Address _____	
City, State, Zip _____	
Phone _____	
Email _____	
Date of Arrival _____	Date of Departure _____
<u>ONLY FILL OUT THE INFORMATION BELOW IF YOUR SPOUSE OR CHILDREN ARE ATTENDING AND PURCHASING A MINE RESCUE PACKAGE:</u>	
Spouse Badge Name _____	
Spouse Home Address _____	
City, State, Zip _____	
Phone _____	
Email _____	
Child #1 Name _____	Birth Yr. <u>12 & under</u> _____
Child #2 Name _____	Birth Yr. _____
Child #3 Name _____	Birth Yr. _____
Child #4 Name _____	Birth Yr. _____
If more than 4 children, please add additional sheet with above information	

REGISTRATION FEES:

	Qty	Price	Total	After 5/15		
	Qty	Price	Total	Qty	Price	Total
MR Team Member <i>Includes Saturday Ropes course</i>			575			650
Family Member Packages:						
Spouse/Spectator: (Ages 15+)		350				425
Child: (Ages 4-14)		250				325
Children ages 3 and under		FREE				FREE
Mon. Night Pool Party (ONLY) (Ages 15+)		120				130
Mon. Night Pool Party (ONLY) (Ages 4-14)		60				75
Victim <i>No charge for package, but must pay above prices for optional items</i>			Free			Free

Team Payment Information: *if you would prefer to pay online, contact Chelsey Voglewede for an emailed invoice*

Total Team Registration Amount: _____ Payment Type: Check Credit Card

Check #: _____ Credit Card #: _____

Name on Card: _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVC: _____

RMCMI MINE RESCUE EVALUATION – Colorado Springs, CO
June 19-23, 2020

Individual Participant Waiver
(please print or type)

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Company: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____ Fax #: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Cell #: _____

If victim and under 21, please
provide birth year: _____ ***Must be at least 13 years old***

I, the undersigned, do hereby release the Rocky Mountain Coal Mining Institute and the Cheyenne Mountain Resort, and their agent, officers, and successors and assign ("Releasees") from any and all claims whatsoever for injuries or damages sustained by me as a result of participating in the RMCMI Mine Rescue Evaluation. I understand there are risks associated with participating in the Mine Rescue Evaluation and voluntarily and freely release said Releasees from any and all claims or liability for accidents, injuries or damages arising wholly or in part from my participation in the evaluation.

Participant signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent signature: _____
(If under 21)

Date: _____

