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## Ronchetti is San Bernardino County's new deputy fire marshal

Staff Writer, Fontana Herald News

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Monica Ronchetti has been promoted to the position of deputy fire marshal in San Bernardino County.

Monica Ronchetti has been promoted to the position of deputy fire marshal, assigned to the Office of the Fire Marshal, according to **San Bernardino County Fire** Chief Mark Hartwig.

Ronchetti will oversee the Hazardous Materials CUPA Program and Household Hazardous Waste divisions; which encompasses the entire unincorporated San Bernardino County Fire Protection District area including several contract cities and districts. The Hazardous Materials Division provides oversight and implementation of all regulatory inspection and planning programs, manages the CUPA for the entire county and the cities within, provides emergency response to Haz-Mat related incidents, and oversees the Household Hazardous Waste program.

Ronchetti recently graduated from the Executive Development track of the County's Management and Leadership Academy. She holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in environment studies with a minor in geography and a certificate in urban planning from Cal State San Bernardino.

Additionally, she is a California Specialized Training Institute certified instructor and a hazardous materials management trainer both at the local and state levels. She is also a Boy Scouts of America merit badge counselor and a High Adventure Crew #5330 quartermaster mentor coach.

Ronchetti has been working alongside retiring Deputy Fire Marshal Ionie Wallace, ensuring a smooth transition.

[https://www.fontanaheraldnews.com/news/inland\\_empire\\_news/ronchetti-is-san-bernardino-county-s-new-deputy-fire-marshal/article\\_2409544e-fa41-11e8-b389-8fc99f907fd4.html](https://www.fontanaheraldnews.com/news/inland_empire_news/ronchetti-is-san-bernardino-county-s-new-deputy-fire-marshal/article_2409544e-fa41-11e8-b389-8fc99f907fd4.html)

## 96th Annual Fireman's Bonfire

Zac Moran, Mountain News

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Angela Yap

On Monday, Dec. 10, the Lake Arrowhead Village is hosting its Annual Fireman's Bonfire, located in the Lake Arrowhead Village lower level parking lot.

The event begins at 5 p.m. with music and a DJ. The two bonfires begin at 5:30 p.m. and Santa will be visiting from 6 to 9 p.m. The event ends at 10 p.m.

There will be free dot dogs, hot chocolate and coffee. According to Joseph Barna, the captain at **San Bernardino County Fire Station #94**, they bring around 1,000 hot dogs and usually run out around 8 p.m.

Last year, despite being rescheduled multiple times due to weather, well over 1,000 people showed up to the bonfire.

The firemen will be accepting toy donations for the Sparks of Love Toy Drive as well. They ask that any donated toys be new and unwrapped.

According to Barna, The Sparks of Love Toy Drive takes place throughout Southern California and is sponsored by ABC7 News and a number of fire departments in Southern California.

Barna said that this is the 96th bonfire in Lake Arrowhead. ABC7 news reported that this is the 26th year of the Sparks of Love Toy Drive and over ten million toys have been donated in that time.

[http://www.mountain-news.com/news/article\\_220dfdac-f8ed-11e8-bffc-9f3b9cbae637.html](http://www.mountain-news.com/news/article_220dfdac-f8ed-11e8-bffc-9f3b9cbae637.html)

## Victor Valley under flash flood warning

Staff Writer, Victor Valley News

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VVNG.com File Photo (Hugo C. Valdez, Victor Valley News)

The warning is valid until December 6, 2018 at 5:00 pm

VICTORVILLE, Calif. (VVNG.com) — The National Weather Service issued a flash flood warning for the Victor Valley until Thursday at 5:00 pm.

According to the NWS, at 2:04 pm, Doppler radar indicated heavy rain across the High Desert. Flooded roads were reported in the Victorville area.

“Moderate to heavy rain will continue through the afternoon, and flash flooding is likely in other areas,” officials said.

Locations with a high potential of flooding include:

Victorville, Hesperia, Apple Valley, I-15 Between Victorville and Barstow, northern Lucerne Valley, Adelanto, Pinon Hills, El Mirage, and Hwy 247.

The **San Bernardino County Fire Department** says a Flood Warning means flooding in your area is already occurring or is imminent, and Flash Flood is sudden violent flooding. Flash floods often come up quickly during heavy rain. To learn more about the County Fire’s Ready! Set! Go! program visit their website: [sbcfire.org](http://sbcfire.org).

<https://www.vvng.com/victor-valley-under-flash-flood-warning/>

## YUCCA VALLEY TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING TODAY

Staff Writer, Z107.7 News

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The Yucca Valley Town Council will hold a special meeting at 5 p.m. tonight (Friday, December 7). The newly elected council members will be sworn in, and then the council will designate a new mayor and mayor pro tem. Following that, the council will be asked to create and then select two members to serve on a **San Bernardino County Fire Department** projects ad hoc committee. The meeting will be held in the Yucca Room of the Yucca Valley Community Center.

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