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Over the past two years, the Ashcreek-Crestwood NET (Neighborhood Emergency Team) has become an active, thriving, energetic organization of NET-trained and non-trained but interested individuals. The group is dedicated to educating residents of Ashcreek and Crestwood about disaster preparedness, mitigating the consequences of an emergency, and saving lives.

Armed with a Neighborhood Small Grant, obtained through SWNI, the AshCrest NET is raising additional funds to create a network of first-aid and emergency supplies that will be distributed throughout both neighborhoods in sealed 5-gallon buckets. This puts emergency supplies close to where they are needed in event of a disaster.

AshCrest NET also aims to create a viable system of FRS/GMRS and HAM radio communications to develop a mesh network, and hopes to inspire more residents to become licensed HAM radio operators.

AshCrest NET is truly a remarkable grassroots, volunteer effort to make our community safer from natural disasters and other emergencies. The group meets at 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month, at the United Methodist Church, SW 48th and Taylors Ferry Road.



Knot-tying practice at the NET's monthly meeting.



Recruiting NET members at Ashcreek's 2016 summer picnic.



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