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UPCOMING EVENTS

April 21-22, 2008

Visit Critical RF at the National Rural Telecommunications Cooperative (“NRTC”) Users Conference

at the Denver Marriott City Center in Denver, CO

For further information please visit:
<http://www.coop/usersconference.com>

August 3-7, 2008

Visit Critical RF at the 2008 Association of Public Safety Communications Officers (“APCO”) Communications Expo

at the Kansas City Convention Center in Kansas City, MO

This year John Reardon, CEO, has been chosen by APCO to give a presentation concerning Radio over IP and interoperability solutions for first responders.

For further information please visit:
<http://www.apco2008.org/>

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CONNECTING AND PROTECTING 80,000 PEOPLE:

Broward County and Florida’s Seminole Indian Tribe Turn to Critical RF.

Hollywood, FL 3/09/08- The Seminole Indian Tribe of Florida and Broward County Sheriff and Fire Rescue recently bridged their gap in emergency and event communications. Utilizing Critical RF’s SiteCAST and SafetyNET solutions, the two organizations linked their radio communications for the annual Langerado Music Festival held each March in the Florida Everglades.

“We had about 80,000 people attend: and we needed everything from our anti-gang unit, to medical, to show security. These units all had to operate as one cohesive team and unified communications was the key to that success.” said Mike Kane, Lieutenant and Communications Officer for Broward County.

The Seminole Tribe had installed the Critical RF SafetyNET platform in their emergency communications trailers and was using it for interoperability. “This made it extremely easy and quick to get our event communications linked to their event communications and everyone in between.” confirmed Kane.

“We were also able to create a link instantly back to our main trunked radio system, which we otherwise could not reach and talk on from the Everglades.” noted Kane. “This was important because there was not a dispatcher working the event on site to help control radio traffic.”

“We were able to virtually pipe in a dispatcher from headquarters to the event over 70 miles away. It was like we never left our home coverage area on 800 MHz SmartNET. These Critical RF interfaces are really versatile and that is why we like them.” declared Kane.

PRODUCT NEWS

Apple Computer Deploys Critical RF.

Cupertino, CA 3/19/08: When Telepath Corporation, the authority on radio communications in the California Bay Area, was contacted by Apple Computer to address communication challenges, they knew they were going to have to innovate their way around the many roadblocks.

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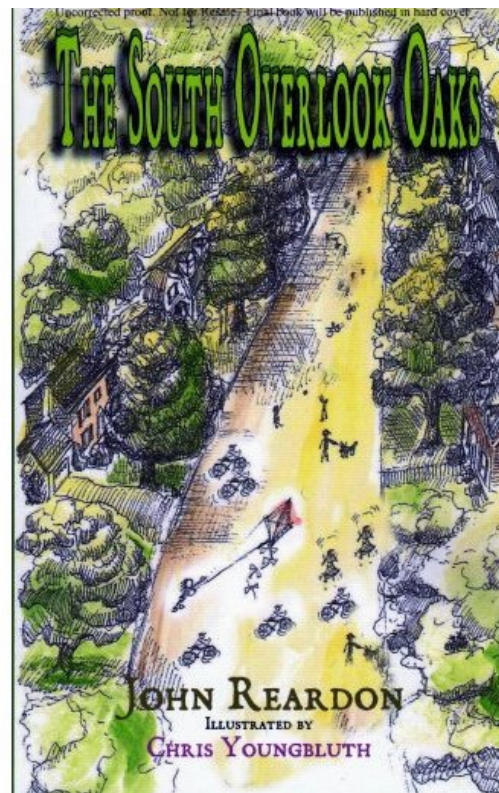
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“Just in Cupertino alone, Apple has 60 buildings and a 3 square mile campus.” noted Jojo Tran of Telepath. “On this campus there are several different radio systems all being used simultaneously for different needs.” added Tran. “The goal was to unify the Nextel iDEN, new MotoTRBO systems, and Macintosh workstations together so no matter what they are using to communicate or where they were at on campus, they can stay connected with vital information from their workgroup.” Tran explained.

“We had Critical RF write a custom version of their software for us with features we told them we wanted and did not want.” Says Josh Moore, team member at Apple. “We are really excited about having the ability to talk between our Mac’s, Nextels, and MotoTRBO’s seamlessly.”

“The other thing we were impressed with was the level of service Critical RF provided to us.” said Moore. “Whenever we had a question, the team was there to answer them.” said Moore.

MEET THE TEAM



Did You Know: John Reardon Wrote a Children's Book?

Interoperability is all about unifying communications among

different user groups. The same could be said of John Reardon's children's book, entitled "The South Overlook Oaks."

"Its all about teaching children respect for one another, despite our differences, and to appreciate the beauty of nature and our role in it." said Reardon, who wrote the book in 2005 and saw it published in September 2006.

The Washington Post selected the book as a top pick for 2006, and The National Press Club chose "The South Overlook Oaks" as one of just 70 titles for its Annual Author's Night in November 2006.

"The editor [at Seven Locks Press] was tough" he added, "She made me go through several revisions before publication. In the long run, all that editing turned out for the best."

The stories are aimed at children ages 5-10 and are set among the towering oak trees of Reardon's neighborhood in Alexandria, Virginia. The book is illustrated by Chris Youngbluth, a local artist.

"We've had fun and been lucky to get some recognition." smiled Reardon, "But the most fun is reading a chapter or two to students in their classrooms. I try to do that a few times a year, and it's a blast! You never know what questions they will ask, things like 'when can we see the movie'?"

Reviews of the book can be seen at amazon.com and barnesandnoble.com. It can also be purchased online.
