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National Appointment	Number	Comments
Allen, Myron	10218	E. Reg. MTR Advisor, SRSP secondary, Med Bow Nordic primary
Bartos, Louie	3600 Series	Xferred from Bridger Bowl (PD) to Medicine Bow (Snowy Range) Alpine Patrol to ?
Bates, Tom	8958	N. Section Chief, SRSP secondary, Past Diamond Peaks PD
Behounek, Richard J	6618	Past E. Reg. Director, N. Section Chief & Happy Jack PD
Davis, Frank G F	6336	RMD Division Director, Past RMD Board Rep & Asst Division Director, RMD OEC Administrator, E. Reg. OEC Advisor, N. Section Chief & Happy Jack PD
Deuell, Rick	9640	Snowy Range PD
Freeman, Alice	5225	Past N. Section Chief & PD (Med. Bow Alpine, Happy Jack)
Hamann, Jerry	10216	Past Med Bow Nordic PD. SRSP Radio Advisor, SRSP secondary, Med Bow Nordic primary
Lindsay, Lennox	604	Xferred from E. Div, Past Section Chief & PD (Deceased)
Matheson, Russell	7105	Past N. Section Chief, Past Snowy Range PD
Mathison, Neil	7703	SRSP Pro Director, Past Asst. PD of Snowy Range & Bridger Bowl Pro.s
McKinley, John	6238	Xferred from E Division to Hidden Valley to Snowy Range to Eldora, Past Section Chief in E. Division
Miles, Frank	3019	Past N. Section Chief & Med. Bow Alpine PD (Deceased)
Naughton, John	7552	Past Snowy Range PD (Deceased)
Yaple, Henry M	6946	Past Snowy Range PD, Xferred to Spout Springs Patrol (Retired)

Certified Patroller	Number	Comments
Daley, Mark	?	1980s Xfer from E. Div. to Snowy Range to ? (West Coast)
Matheson, Russell	553	Snowy Range (see above)

Leadership Commendation Award	Number	Comments
King, Coleen	9395	Snowy Range First Aid Advisor, OEC IT, EMT instructor & coordinator, Past Asst. PD, Hill Chief
Swapp-Trueblood, Susan	8297	Snowy Range PD, OEC IT, Past N. Section Chief, Asst. PD, Hill Chief, EMT instructor & coordinator

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Distinguished Service Award	Season	Comments
Ogden, Paul MD	1999-2000	Snowy Range Medical Associate, Support of the OEC program and inclusion of the Patrol in the County EMS System
Swiatek, Don MD	1999-2000	Snowy Range Medical Associate, Support of the OEC program and inclusion of the Patrol in the County EMS System
McKinley, Betty	1991-1992	Contributions to Hidden Valley SP, Eastern & RMD Divisions
Volin, Robert	1990-1991	Established Albany County Sheriff's Ski Registration Program

National Day Patroller of the Year	Season	Comments
Davis, Frank G. F.	2004-2005	Annual event held in the spirit of founder Minnie Dole's safety & service to recognize the dedication of current and past patrollers. Elected by past recipients.

Patrollers Cross	Comments
Deuell, Rick	Knee injury on Geronimo while training candidates Jan 2008
Spackman, Lowell	Right patellar tendon snapped in the bumps on Chute 12/30/01
Swapp-Trueblood, Susan	Torn crucia ligament while participating in the RMD Women's Clinic at Loveland Ski Area 3/29/2003

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Merit Stars	Type	Comments
Babbitt, Lynn	Green	Spine Stabilization on I-80 with Diesel Fuel Spill, Spring 93
Bailey, Nyla Jean	Yellow	Recognition of efforts in obtaining equipment donations for the new Snowy Range Ski Patrol building 4/23/1999
Behounek, Richard J	Green	Avalanche rescue on Rock Creek Knoll 2/9/85
Behounek, Richard J	Yellow	In recognition of work as Section Chief, 91-94
Bevins, Bill MD	Yellow	In recognition of work as Medical Assoc. 91-95
Colgan, Dan	Green	Avalanche rescue on Rock Creek Knoll 2/9/85
Daley, Robin	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
Davis, Frank G F	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Davis, Frank G F	Silver	Runner-up Outstanding National Instructor 92-93
Davis, Frank G F	Yellow	Service as RM Division Board Rep. & ADD 2001-2003
Davis, Frank G F	Yellow	Recognition of service as E Region OEC Advisor 94-95
Davis, Frank G F	Yellow	Rejuvenation of the Howelsen Hill Patrol while Section Chief 83-91
Deuell, Rick J.	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Deuell, Rick J.	Blue	Instrumental in Saving a life on I-80 9/7/1998
Foianini, Anthony	Purple	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95
Freeman, Alice	Yellow	Starting the Medicine Bow(SR) Patrol ski movie fund raiser
Freeman, Alice	Yellow	Years of service as Secretary/Treasurer for the Snowy Range Ski Patrol 4/23/1999
Freeman, Doug	Yellow	Converting the Medicine Bow (SR) Patrol to radios
Freeman, Doug	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Frost, Sandy	Yellow	Service as an OEC Instructor and E. Region first aid judge 9/2002
Grooman, Gary	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
Hansen, Tom	Purple	The Saving of a life 1/22/94
Heasler, Henry	Yellow	Conversion of Snowy Range Patrol to new WEC & CPR programs. 1988
Henry, Bruce	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
Jurkofsky, Mike	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
King, Coleen	Yellow	Service as patrol First Aid Advisor, OEC IT, and E. Region first aid judge 9/2002
Krugh, Keith	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
Matheson, Debbie	Yellow	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95
Matheson, Russ	Purple	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95
Mathison, Neil	Green	Avalanche rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Mathison, Neil	Green	Avalanche rescue on Rock Creek Knoll 2/9/85
Mathison, Neil	Purple	The saving of a life 1/22/94
Mathison, Neil	Purple	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95

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Merit Stars Continued	Type	Comments
Remster, David	Purple	The saving of a life 1/31/93
Roth, Don	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Roth, Don	Purple	The saving of a life. Found mid-Sundance: unconscious, bleeding from skull, blown knee, broken leg1/31/93
Roth, Leslie	Purple	The saving of a life. Found mid-Sundance: unconscious, bleeding from skull, blown knee, broken leg1/31/93
Smith, William	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Smith, William	Purple	The Saving of a life 1/15/94
Smith, William	Purple	The Saving of a life 1/22/94
Sondgeroth, Jason	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
St. Clair, Mike	Green	Avalanche rescue on Rock Creek Knoll 2/9/85
Swapp, Susan	Yellow	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95
Swecker, Miki	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93
Thuente, Jerry	Green	Avalanche Rescue on Centennial Ridge 1/24/96
Thuente, Jerry	Yellow	Saving the life of a snowboarder 11/24/95
Thuente, Jerry	Purple	The saving of a life 1/22/94
Thuente, Jerry	Yellow	First Aid & interface work between Snowy Range Ski Area management, and the Ski Patrol, 1994
Wilkinson, June	Blue	First Aid preventing a permanent disability 1/31/93

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OOPS !	Season	The Moose Award (A Traveling Trophy)
Wilkinson, June	1989 - 1990	Borrowing, without permission, and then losing her son's gloves. (Found days later - very embarrassed!)
Behounek, Richard	1990 - 1991	As Section Chief elect, made a spectacular powder fall during Basic S&T test in front of judges & candidates - 15 min. recovery time.
Sitzman, Gene	1991 - 1992	As a candidate during the WEC test he asked a judge, Nancy DeKlyn (Bryan Mtn. Nordic Patrol), if the “deformities on her chest were normal.”
Roth, Don	1992 - 1993	Last day of the season, he reported, with much emotion, the theft of his very ratty taped-up gloves. After much area wide turmoil, he found them where he had left them, on the roof of his car.
Daley, Robin	1993 - 1994	Incident # 1 - Beer party for candidates before WEC test, Incident # 2 - Skiing Eldora to her car across the gravel parking lot, Incident # 3 - A spread eagle fall at Circle A field session resulting in much deep snow wallowing.
Joint Award to: Krugh, Keith, Trueblood, Stan, Wilkinson, June	1994 - 1995	For a Keystone Cops toboggan ride with a real patient. Ask them for details. Note: It was June’s second Oops recognition.
VanLente, Bill	1995 - 1996	Always thinking of the public, he did not want to delay the lift line on the Virginian Chair. He lifted the toboggan and hurried on. Getting off, he discovered he had forgotten his skis. As he stumbled off at the top, he pitched the toboggan to the side.
Joint Award to: Schempp, Eric Weckenbrock, Eric	1996 - 1997	Getting off the chair, tips dug in, Schempp went over and did a face plant, then the chair ran over him too MUCH public applause, while Weckenbrock’s pack caught on the chair forcing him to take the ride around the bull wheel.
Bromely, Sue	1997 - 1998	Weather: snowing hard with high winds. When radios were being checked-in after sweep she discovered hers was missing. Searched 1/2 pipe for 20 min. without success. Tiny Sue took a bouncy high-speed snowmobile ride through the raging storm hanging onto BIG Thuente (Mr. T) to Sundance lift. After probing snow for 20 min. it was found.
Weckenbrock, Eric	1998 - 1999	OOPS ! #2 (See 1996-1997)

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National Day Toboggan Race @ Ski Cooper	Season	Comments
McCuskey, Brad Sewell, Chad Dan Kuber (from DPSP)	2002-2003	First Place – Defeated all other RMD patrol teams
McCuskey, Brad Spurrier, Justin Ellis, Sean (from Hogadon SP)	2003-2004	Second Place
McCuskey, Brad Spurrier, Justin Bentley, Michael	2004-2005	Equipment Blowout
Tom Bates Brad McCuskey Henry Yaple	2005-2006	Third Place Bates (Horns), McCuskey (Tail Rope), Yaple (Patient)

Angel Pin	Year	Significant Other, Non-Patroller
Allen, Adell	2004	Spouse – Myron Allen
Anderson, Christie	1985	Spouse - Ed Anderson
Bergstrom, Pat	1985	Spouse - Bob Bergstrom
Davis, Julianne K	1985	Spouse - Frank Davis
Deuell, Linda	2002	Spouse - Rick Deuell
Foresman, Janet	2004	Spouse – Floyd Foresman
Miles, Joannie	1973	Spouse - Frank Miles

LEGEND:

A few of the National and Certified Appointments listed were awarded when the patroller was a member of another patrol, specifically: L. Bartos, T. Bates, M. Daley, L. Lindsay, and J. McKinley