

Re: Deep Rescue: Will a shuttle float?

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I was just reading a news item in Science about the restoration of the Mount Stromlo Observatory in Australia, after it was largely destroyed by a massive brushfire three years ago. Staff and grad students went back to work in the surviving buildings soon after the disaster, but not before technicians had installed generators... and a microwave link. "We could do without toilets, and we could bring in our own water, but we had to have Internet."

I've heard from several people that have spouses or kids with laptops that the first thing you hear from them during a power failure is, "The internet is broken". Time to install a UPS on the cable/DSL modem and wireless router. ;-)

Jeff

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"They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety"

– B. Franklin, Bartlett's Familiar Quotations (1919)

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