



U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
District Eleven North Region
DIVISION COMMANDERS REPORT



To: Mary Kirkwood, Commodore

21 MAY 2019

Cc: District Board and Staff

From : Virginia Luchetti, Division Commander

Division: 12

HIGHLIGHTS/"3 UPS":

1. Gary Kaplan, Flotilla 12-01, qualified as Cutterman
2. Greg Olsen, Flotilla 12-91 worked with City of San Ramon to have a Boating Safety Week Proclamation
3. About Boating Safely Class held at San Francisco State University for Semper Paratus Club Members

DETAILS:

1. Winnie Zhou and Steven Hilt assisted California Department of Boating and Waterways at the Pacific Sail and Power Boat Show in April.
2. Several Division 12 members attended the Antlers OPTREX which was held April 25 – 28.
3. Surface operations assisted with Sail GP event and Opening Day on the Bay.
4. We have completed 83 Vessel Safety Checks at Oakland Yacht Club, Emeryville Yacht Club and Berkeley Yacht Club so far this year.
5. Quindy Sammler staffs monthly Public Affairs table at Alameda West Marine.
6. Quindy also attended MEES and MSAM training at Station Rio Vista.
7. Winnie Zhou and Steven Hilt will be attending AUXLAMs Leadership Course in Hawaii at the end of May.
8. Six Division 12 members are interested in Ferry Audit training, however the program is on hold.

PROJECTS:

1. Division 12/1 OPTREX June 20-23
2. San Ramon Art and Wind Festival

AGENCY and ORGANIZATION INTERACTION:

1. Coordinated with California Boating and Waterways for the Pacific Sail and Powerboat Show.
2. Coordinating with Marina Bay Yacht Harbor for Division 12/1 Victory OPTREX.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:

Program	2019 Goal	Progress to Date
Marine Safety	Dockwalker Training Monthly MS table at Alameda West Marine At least one Ferry Audit per month One Marine Safety Activity (Coastal Clean-up)	On track
Vessel Examination	300 Vessel Safety Checks 150 Paddle Craft Checks Quality 4 new Vessel Examiners Re-qualify VEs whose qualifications have lapsed Integrate Dockwalker Program with VSCs	On track
Member Training	Core Training for new and 5-year members Members complete GAR 2.0	On track

	Organize Division 1/12 OPTREX	
Human Resources	Meet quarterly with FSO-HRs from each flotilla	On track
Diversity	Recruit diverse group of future Auxiliarists Complete all requirements for NACO 3-Star Award	On track
Telecommunications	Qualify 3 TCOs Participate in Division 12 OPTREX Participate in Fleet Week	On track
Navigation Systems	Complete all bridge surveys by 30 April Complete all PATON verifications by 31 August Qualify 2 new Aid Verifiers	Bridges will be completed by end of May On track to complete PATON verification

PHOTO GALLERY:



Ceremony to celebrate Cutterman Gary Kaplan



Flotilla Commander Greg Olsen with San Ramon Mayor Bill Clarkson



Quindy Sammler attended MEES and MSAM Training in Rio Vista