

13 August 2019 Report

To: DCO Mary Kirkwood

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Re: Division 08 August 2019 Report

Highlights:

1. Flotillas 08-07, 08-08, 08-11 and 08-39
2. Division 08 COW for 2019 will be held 01 December 2019 at Benbow Inn in Garberville, CA.
3. Division 08 next meeting 11 September 2019 time 1900 hours webinar. Division 08 Election to be held at Boat Station Humboldt, 12 October 2019.

Details of Flotilla Reports:

- Flotilla 08-07 reported the following:
 - Activates:
 - Continue to maintain the fuel farm in Point Arena Lighthouse, completed all weekly re circulation and testing of the fuel during month of July, with one Helo callout.
 - Point Cabrillo: One major polishing was performed and one regular cleaning was performed.
 - No member conducted VSEs during the month June. Total VSC count now stands at 22.
 - Flotilla conducts there meeting alternating between three locations, Pt Arena, Library or Staff lounge, Station Noyo Fiver and Pt Cabrillo Light Station.
- Flotilla 08-08: Reported the following:
 - Submitted article with photos of Life Jacket Give Away to the media for publication.
 - FSO-PA Dorothy DeLope stood Radio Guard during month of July for 3 hrs.
 - FSO-PV Roberto S. Morfin reported the flotilla completed sixty-one (61) PVs for the month of July.
 - Flotilla continues to safety patrols for Clear Lake.

OLD BUSINESS:

SPLASH - IN: Phil Mammano reported that he had contacted the Lakeport Chamber of Commerce regarding the upcoming Float Plane Splash-In. He will be advised of schedules and plans to determine if we will participate in any way.

HEALTH AND SAFETY FAIR: Roberto Morfin indicated he had made contact and submitted our signup sheet. The event is October 12th at the Lake County Fairgrounds. We are hoping we can obtain the District ACV for display.

ACV TRAINING: Phil Mammano and Roberto Morfin are signed up for the District Communication Vehicle Operational Training course to be held in Alameda on June 16th.

NEW BUSINESS:

- No New Business

Flotilla Goals:

- ◆ To foster flotilla collaboration on member classes, joint vessel exam days, PE classes and Disaster Preparedness, etc.
- ◆ Increase membership by 5 or more.

Flotilla Reports 08-11: Highlights of monthly activities

• **OPERATIONS REPORT:**

• **REPORTING PERIOD 27/June/19 to – 26/July//19**

- U/W missions 3
- U/W time 4 hrs. 35 min.
- Helo cover 1

• **NAVIGATION REPORT:**

- No report

• **VESSEL EXAMINER REPORT:**

- Eureka will during the summer conduct vessel exams second Saturday of every month.

• **PUBLIC AFFAIRS:**

- Promotional Posters and replenished materials remain on store windows for recruitment
- Flotilla members being encouraged to use recruitment cards
- Recorded 30 second PSA Radio Spots for Bi-Coastal Media, aired 3 times a day;
- Eureka TV Station aired 30 second commercials on Channel 3 TV;
- Facebook Page continues to promote flotilla and Auxiliary in general.

• **PUBLIC EDUCATION:**

- Schools, Civic Organizations, and other clubs are being contacted and arranged for public appearances with or without Coastie. Coastie is down for repairs.

- **MEMBER TRAINING (MT)**

- Sea Cadet Youth Protection Training,
- PT, P6 pump and Survival Swim competed.

FLOTILLA GOALS:

- Continue to work on PE Classes, Established electronic communications with members through Calendars, Briefs, Agendas, Minutes, and electronic invitations. All communications have been shared with Eureka Flotilla, Crescent City Harbor, and Naval Sea Cadets. Continue communications with Sea Cadets and Harbor personnel in the spirit of community outreach the Auxiliary expanded education on sailing and seamanship exposure;
 - Auxiliary Facebook and Website page: US Coast Guard Auxiliary Crescent City Flotilla 113-08-11 continued to be monitored;
 - Double numbers of Vessel Examiners to cover Eureka and Crescent City for 2019;
 - Bring on three additional boat crew members for 2019;
 - Bring on one new coxswain for 2019;
 - Commitment to Diversity ;
 - Erect advertisement sign at the harbor for boat crew members and coxswains needed;
 - Bring on two sea cadet members as boat crew members in 2019; and Making preparations for Water Safety days.
- **Flotilla 08-39 reported the following:**
 - Flotilla 08-39 reported completed 25 PVs for month July and 37 for the month 37.
 - The flotilla has completed a total of 249 PVs for 2019.
 - Flotilla 08-39 2019 PV program goal was to increase its number of visits by 2% over the previous year and has exceeded its goals.
 - Completed Moonlight Kayak safety tours 10 July through 14 July.

Division 08 Activities:

Division 08 next Webinar meeting will be 21 August 2019.

Division 08 Future Activities:

- Agency Interactions:
 - Continue to work with USCG at Crescent City, Eureka, Air Station Humboldt, Life Boat Station, Noyo River and Helo Exercise at Whiskeytown Lake by Flotilla 08-39.
- Upcoming Events, Locations and Dates

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- Flotilla 08-07 will continue to support the Coast Guard Surf Boat Station at Noyo River, Fuel Farm, and maintenance of lens at Pt. Cabrillo Light Station.
 - Flotilla 08-08 has proposed an OPTREX for 25-27 October 2019 to be held at Clear Lake
 - Flotilla 08-11 will continue to operate the MLB (29 RB) located in Crescent City.
 - Flotilla 08-39 will implement Helo Opts with Sector Humboldt Air Station and Whiskeytown Park starting 16 July. Next Antlers Shasta Lake OPTREX 23-26 April 2020.
 - Division 08 COW will be held 01 December 2019 at Benbow Inn near Garberville, CA.
- Division 08 Goals:
 - To foster flotilla collaboration on member classes, joint vessel exam days, PE Classes, Disaster Preparedness, etc. and continue to support Sector Humboldt.
 - To increase last year's goals by 2%.

End of Report

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