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## SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY DIVISION 10 COMMANDER'S REPORT

**TO:** DCO Dean McFarren, D11NR  
**Cc:** District Board and Staff  
**DATE:** September 2022 ACTIVITIES REPORT  
**DIVISION:** 10 - San Joaquin Valley  
**DCDR:** Thomas Witt

### **HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Flotilla 10-02 Modesto, Steve Braden
- Flotilla 10-03 Stockton, Guy Mallery
- Flotilla 10-05 Fresno, Donald Pierce
- Flotilla 10-06 Kaweah, Richard Myers
- PA
- Division 10 OPTREX

### **DETAILS:**

- Flotilla 10-02
  1. Members have been adding to their operations hour by doing patrols on the delta.
  2. One new boat facility now, for operations.
  3. One new member added to the membership, with two more waiting on the side line.
  4. Pa events have been slow due to the excessive temps and smoke.
- Flotilla 10-03
  1. Nothing reported
- Flotilla 10-05
  1. completed 2 NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS, 1st is AP with number, and 2nd being processed by DIRAUX. CPR Class completed by 4 members.
  2. Contacted all members checking status and goals.
  3. There are new members for Fresno and Visalia and leaders stepping up, 2023 is looking much better.
    - a. Members: Donica Bisiar AP progressing on IQ.
    - b. Steve Pitts home still recovering from surgery.
    - c. Rose Caglia, a walk-in, good background, completed new membership process.
    - d. James Torrance finished New Member application being sent to DIRAUX.
    - e. Working on CT, BQ and CPR
    - f. PA EVENTS: are night out in City of Sanger, 18<sup>th</sup> September, and Planning Veteran's parade on the 11<sup>th</sup> of November.

- **Flotilla 10-06**
  1. Elected officers for 2023 have been decided on.
  2. There are prospect new members and membership is starting to get active again.
  3. previous members returning and paying dues. Elections being organized.
  4. Covid really took a hit on flotilla members.
- **PA events** Due to the high temps and wild fire smoke, it has put a damper on PA events.
- **OPTREX** Division 10 OPTREX is on schedule for the 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, and the 25<sup>th</sup> of September. There are 3 new crew, 3 requal crew, 2 requal coxswain and 1 requal PWC scheduled to attend. There is also one on the water training. So far there are 20 attending not counting the QE's, auxchef staff and gold side.

**PROJECTS:**