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SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY
DIVISION 10 COMMANDER'S REPORT
For Division 11 North

TO: DCO Curtis Han, D11NR
Cc: District Board and Staff
DATE: March 2023 ACTIVITIES REPORT
DIVISION: 10 - San Joaquin Valley
DCDR: Thomas Witt

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Flotilla 10-02 Modesto, Chris Bennett
- Flotilla 10-03 Stockton, Monica Eaton
- Flotilla 10-05 Fresno, Donald Pierce
- Flotilla 10-06 Kaweah, Rod Rollins

DETAILS:

- Flotilla 10-02
 1. Reported 3 new members and 3 more with applications being worked on.
 2. Conducted 2023 planning meeting.
 3. On the lookout for ways to grow membership and the flotilla.
- Flotilla 10-03
 1. Nothing reported – FC family emergency.
- Flotilla 10-05
 1. **MARTIN OUELLETTE** – Working on TCO, instructor, PV and VE. Pursuing watch stander with Station Rio Vista.
 2. **JAMES TORRANCE:** Participated in Veterans Day parade. Completed requirements for instructor, OXOP and well on his way for becoming boat crew. He also has become certified as interpreter in German.
 3. **JOHN FERRETTI:** Has been active in duties as VFC, VSC, organizing educational presentations to US Naval Sea Cadets, assisting in recruiting for US Coast Guard.
 4. **STEVE PITTS:** is still recovering and getting healthy. He is currently in CT refreshing VSC, PV and staff officer position.
 5. **DONALD PIERCE:** Assisting Coast Guard recruiting, mentoring members and being a good FC.
 6. **SANTIAGO SINSUAN:** has received his American Citizenship and re-instated back into the CGAUX.
 7. **SIMON ELMAN:** has been assisting the Red Cross with weather related evacuations, and still working on AUX certification.

8. Vessel examiner training for 4 members nearing completion.
 9. Member training and developing future leaders.
- Flotilla 10-06
 1. . Nothing reported, FC is in Florida.

PROJECTS:

1. NSBW May 20th through the 26th.
2. Finalize OPEX on May 12th through the 14th at Brannon Island State Park.
3. Continue to work on OPTREX on September 8th through the 14th at Brannon Island State Park.

Goals and Objectives:

1. Increase membership.
2. Increase VSC'S, Program visits, boating classes and underway hours.
3. FELLOWSHIP AND FUN!