

AUXILIARY SECTOR COORDINATOR - REPORT

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Division 8: Continues to support Sector Humboldt through members' activities.

Flotilla 08-07 continues to maintain the fuel dump, receiving 2500 gallon of fuel, which is located at Point Arena Lighthouse. The Flotilla maintains both Point Cabrillo and Point Arena Lighthouses. In addition they maintain the fuel farm in Point Arena Lighthouse.

Flotilla 08-08 Planning OPTREX in October 2019. There are three major events the Flotilla will be involved in are:

1. Splash-In which involve Life Jacket gave away,
2. Sail Boat races,
3. Health and Safety Fair.

Flotilla 08-11 continues to operate the USCG 29' Rib Boat and developing a relationship with the Sea Cadets, Boy Scout Troop 10 and Girl Scouts of America all located in Crescent City, CA. Continue to support Sector Humboldt Helo Opts. Continue to use Coastie in many of the PE events

Flotilla 08-39 meet with the park Superintendent and park Chief Ranger regarding Helo Opts, which is a go starting first week in May. Also discussed what services were available to the park by the Flotilla. Flotilla 08-39 is planning a Helo Opts Friday during their OPTREX. Also discussed Life Jacket give away by Whiskeytown Park, they have requested the Flotilla assistant. Work a regatta ant Whiskeytown Park 25 & 26 May, two boats.

Operational summary (7 days) for initial period of Salmon Sentinel ops. No openers in HB AOR. CA/OR border patrols of closed CA area, by cutters, through mid-May. Shore side public education and enforcement commenced on southern HB AOR. OPORD Sentinel references CG AUX as CG AUX Div. 8 flotillas (meaning Ft Bragg & Crescent City). The main ocean side flotillas should already be in lockstep with their parent station regarding commencing scheduling and coordination of activities in support of RBS mission side of OP Salmon Sentinel. Dock walks, boater education at boat launches and to the extent possible VEs, are the main needs from AUX ISO spring/summer Ops. If VEs are in demand, maybe that is a surge that locally can be routed up the Aux chain.

*Side note , but associated:

For both Inland and Oceanside flotillas, Memorial Day weekend and official start of boating season is almost upon us, and in conjunction to Sentinel Pulse Ops, Memorial Day weekend we will also be partaking in National OP Dry Water.

We expect to stay active and in lock-step throughout the boating season both active duty and Aux as a unified force, with all efforts planned out/ scheduled and coordinated through the stations and AUXLO.

Air support & training, Air Sta HB is resuming their weekly trips inland. We need to make sure we maximize every opportunity for coordination with all 3 lake flotillas.
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End of Report:

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