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America's Volunteer Guardians District 11 Northern Region Serving Northern California, Nevada, Utah

Date: June 10, 2019 From: DSO-OP Stolz

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 - 1. General Comments

If you missed it, we had a great send off for Mr. Doug Leavell and we wish him well. Our new OTO, BOSN Finkelson will have his COC at Station Lake Tahoe on 21JUN2019. I haven't heard when he will be reporting to his new assignment but in the meantime, we are in the very capable hands of BOSN Devoy.

As I mentioned in my last report, follow your chain of leadership and please do not contact Mr. Devoy directly.

Reminder also, that Mike Brown will still be handling PPE request and concerns and he can be contacted best by email at <u>m.brown.uscgaux@gmail.com</u>. He will need the requesters name, ID number, flotilla, size, etc.

2. Authorized patrol days

All patrol missions are now authorized Friday thru Sunday. In the past during a 3-day holiday weekend, Monday was added to the list. Check with your OIA for confirmation.

Weekday patrols are authorized for ATON/PATON verification or at the request of the Coast Guard. The purpose of any patrol must be included in the comment section of AOM. See item 7 of this report for more details. Available patrol days may change toward the end of the fiscal year due to budget concerns.

3. Annual Operation Workshop

The annual OPS WKS for District 11nr operations personnel <u>is mandatory</u> again this year for our district and must be completed by <u>30JUN2019</u> to stay out of REWK.

This training should be delivered in a group session and the slides are available at the following URL for the PDF version

http://rdept.cgaux.org/documents/Workshop%20archives/2019SurfaceOperationsWorkshop.pdf and

<u>http://rdept.cgaux.org/documents/Workshop%20archives/2019SurfaceOperationsWorkshop.pptx</u> for the Power Point version.

There is now a link for this training on the district, response, surface operations web page.

Although this training doesn't show up in the Training Management report it is in the members Individual Training Record and can be found in AUXINFO.

4. The required RM 2.0 refresher training will be offered after the District 11 Board and Staff meeting on 15JUN2019 at 1300 on Coast Guard Island. There will be plenty of room so please invite your operation people to attend.

As of this writing the auxiliary still doesn't have any authorized instructors and we rely on the Coast Guard to provide this training. So, take advantage of this class on the 15th. I have been assured the instructor issue is close to being settled.

5. OPTREX update

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Date	Host	Check-ride date	Comments
June 20-22	Division 12	June 22 nd	Location: Marina Bay YC, Richmond Contact: Georgie Scheuerman
June 29	Division 5	June 29	Location: Suisun City Marina, Launch Ramp Contact: Curtis Han
August 16 & 17	Division 7	August 17 th	Location: Jordanelle Res. Contact: Mike Williams
August 24 & 25	Division 11	August 24 th	Location: Lake Tahoe Contact: Bruce Martin
September 14 & 15	Division 6	Sept 15 th	Location: TBA Contact: Wally Smith
September 27 - 30	Division 10	Sept 28 th	Location: Don Pedro Contact: Howard Ratzlaff
October 18 - 20	Flotilla 55	Oct 19 th	Location: Doran Beach Park, Bodega Bay Contact: Doug Twitchell
October 25-27	Flotilla 88	October 26th	CANCELLED

OPTREX Schedule 2019

Consult the district calendar for additional or missing information shown on this schedule

7. AOM comment section.

It's important for AIO's to know who is patrolling and what their plans are. The following matrix has been established to provide that information. Please follow it in <u>every</u> patrol order request.

(1) Patrol Type - O1A MOM, 02 Regatta, ETC

- (2) Radio Guard CG Station, GOVT Agency, Land mobile
- (3) Other AUX units List by name or number, none or unknown
- (4) OGA/CG Other government agencies, CG unit
- (5) Time 0900-1600 What hours you plan to be engaged in operations
- (6) Coxswain/Operator Name and contact Cell number on facility
- (7) Additional Comments Guest onboard, conduction 2 boat training, etc

(8) If guest onboard, is Liability Release signed. Scan and attach to AOM at closeout(9) After Action comments- What did you do during the patrol

Thank you to Tommy Holtzman for his contribution.

Respectfully Submitted,