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To: District 11NR Board and Staff

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### **New PWC Course**

National is pleased to announce the launch of an exciting and comprehensive Personal Watercraft (PWC) seminar course designed to enhance safety, skills, and knowledge for PWC enthusiasts. This seminar course is designed for instructors who want to expand their flotilla's course offerings.

This course is designed to teach participants the basics of safe PWC operation, including:

- How to operate a PWC in a variety of conditions
- How to avoid accidents and injuries
- How to be a courteous and responsible PWC operator

It is estimated that the presentation of the material will require approximately 90 minutes.

## **Golden Key and Lighthouse Awards**

National is making the initial offering of the Golden Key and Lighthouse awards. These are for 50 and 100 hours (respectively) of lead instructor time in 2023. These will be presented to our DCO at NACON and then distributed within our district.

#### **E Directorate Call**

DSO-PE attended the national E Directorate-hosted call for DSO-PEs on 09 AUG 2023. Topics included Maxim, Golden Key, and Lighthouse Awards; developments at the state levels; planning for the next five, ten, and fifteen years; and qualifying new instructors. Our district was highlighted for our recently completed Instructor Development Course.

### **District PE Goals Snapshot**

\*\* Congratulations to Flotilla 53 (North Solano County) for becoming the second flotilla to complete all four goals, joining its sibling flotilla, Flotilla 52 (Napa)! \*\*



Our district's 2023 PE goals are: (i) for each division and each flotilla to have a PE officer, (ii) for each flotilla to have a fully qualified instructor, (iii) for each flotilla to have completed one PE course of any type, and (iv) for each flotilla to have completed one "A Paddler's Guide to Safety" course.

	PE officer	Instructor	Class	Paddlecraft
Division 1: Senior Area				
Flotilla 1-2: Sausalito-Tiburon				
Flotilla 1-4: Central Marin				
Flotilla 1-7: Point Bonita				
Flotilla 1-9: Coyote Point				
Division 3: Sacramento Region Area				
Flotilla 3-1: Mcclellan Park				
Flotilla 3-3: Gold Country				
Flotilla 3-5: Sacramento				
Flotilla 3-10: Cosumnes River				
Division 4: South Bay Area				
Flotilla 4-1: San Jose				
Flotilla 4-3: Palo Alto				
Flotilla 4-6: Redwood City				
Flotilla 4-8: Almaden				
Flotilla 4-9: Silicon Valley				
Division 5: Suisun Bay Area				
Flotilla 5-1: Vallejo				
Flotilla 5-2: Napa				
Flotilla 5-3: North Solano County				
Flotilla 5-5: Sonoma County				
Flotilla 5-7: Diablo				
Division 6: Gold Coast Area				
Flotilla 6-4: Monterey				
Flotilla 6-7: Santa Cruz				
Flotilla 6-10: Capitola				
Division 7: Utah Area				
Flotilla 7-2: Salt Lake City				
Flotilla 7-3: Wasatch				
Flotilla 7-6: Ogden				
Flotilla 7-8: Garden City				



#### **Division 8: North Coast 8 Area**

Flotilla 8-7: New Mendocino County

Flotilla 8-8: Lake County Flotilla 8-11: Crescent City

Flotilla 8-39: The Thirty-Niners

Division 10: San Joaquin Valley Area

Flotilla 10-2: Modesto Flotilla 10-3: Stockton Flotilla 10-5: Fresno Flotilla 10-6: Kaweah **Division 11: Sierra Area** 

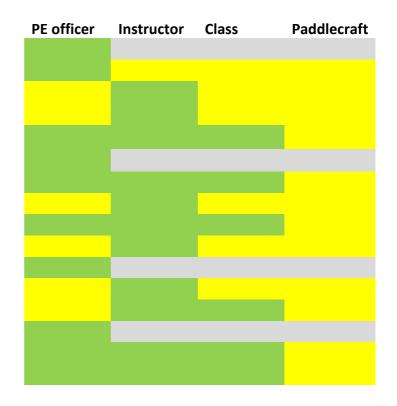
Flotilla 11-1: North Lake Tahoe

Flotilla 11-3: Reno

Division 12: East Bay-Neptune Area

Flotilla 12-1: East Bay

Flotilla 12-91: San Ramon Valley



# **Upcoming Courses**:

COURSE NAME	START DATE	LOCATION	CONTACT
Boat America	Sat, 19 Aug 2023 1 Day	Martinez, CA	Margie Balch, Coordinator twohalibut@aol.com
Boat America	Sat, 28 Oct 2023 8	San Rafael, CA	Mary Kirkwood marinboatingclasses@yahoo.com
Boat America	Sat, 14 Oct 2023 1 Day	San Ramon, CA	Greg Olsen gregory.t.olsen@cgauxnet.us
Boat America	Sat, 29 Jul 2023 8 Hours	Eden, UT	Paul Custance custancepaul@yahoo.com
Boat America	Sat, 19 Aug 2023 8 Hours	Provo, UT	Paul Custance custancepaul@yahoo.com
Boat America	Sat, 16 Sep 2023 8 Hours	Provo, UT	Paul Custance custancepaul@yahoo.com
Boating Skills & Seamanship	Tue, 12 Sep 2023 22	San Rafael, CA	Mary Kirkwood marinboatingclasses@yahoo.com
Boating Skills & Seamanship	Wed, 13 Sep 2023 2 Hours	Santa Cruz, CA	Wally Smith boatingclasssantacruz@yahoo.com
Weekend Navigator	Wed, 20 Sep 2023 2 Hours Each Session	West Sacramento, CA	Don Anderson auxdon@yahoo.com



# Respectfully submitted,

Sean Harvey, DSO-PE

## District 11NR SO-PEs

Division 1 – COMO Mary Kirkwood
Division 3 – AUX Don Anderson
Division 8 – AUX Jess Pomeroy
Division 4 – vacant
Division 5 – AUX Kit Galvin
Division 6 – AUX Bruce Krogstad
Division 12 – AUX Doug Beckstein

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