

Douglas County Search & Rescue

2016-2017 Training and Activity Schedule

Following is the proposed SAR training and known major activities schedule for 2016-17. The training classroom sessions are set for the 2nd Tuesday of each month (some exceptions do occur).

Classes required for State SAR Certification are noted with☒. Most classes are held in the Sheriff's Conference Room, starting at 7PM. Verify with your unit liaison each months training date, time and location.

2016

September 13	SAR Family Picnic – Fairgrounds, Pavilion behind Floral Bldg., 6 pm
October 11	☒ Orientation to SAR / SAR Laws
October 15	New Member Facility Walk Through “ The Shed ” 09:00 hours
October 25	☒ Emergency Survival Skills & Clothing and Equipment
November 05	☒ Track Aware 9-12 am, at Sheriff's Conference Room, field exercise 1-4 pm
November 08	☒ Search Techniques & Strategies
November 12-13	☒ Survival Skills Field Session, Time and location TBA
December 04	☒ Rough Terrain Evacuation, SAR Shed (7:30am to 2pm)
December 09	Christmas SAR Party

2017

January 10	☒ Radio Communications
February 14	☒ Map & Compass, Coordinate Systems and GPS
February 17-19	Outdoor Sports and Recreation Show, Fairgrounds
March 7	☒ Map & Compass
March 11-12	☒ Map & Compass Field Weekend
March 27-31	Spring Break for K-12 (ESAR Hike Rogue River Trail)
April 08-09	☒ Map & Compass Field Weekend
April 11	☒ Open
May 9	☒ Crime Scene Security
May	Washington State SAR Conf. King County TBA
June	CORSAR TBA
June	☒ Helicopter Safety TBA
July	ESAR Wilderness Backpacking Trip TBA
August 9-12	Douglas County Fair
August	ESAR Tipsoo to Miller Lake Cross-Country Hike TBA
Sept. 12	SAR Family Picnic – Fairgrounds, Pavilion behind Floral Bldg., 6 pm

First Aid and CPR - SAR members should work to obtain cards. Any identified course dates will be announced but are not part of the training schedule.

Members will have to complete the **ICS 100b, 700, and Bloodborne Pathogens** on-line classes as part of the certification process. Members **must have these classes before they can go on any searches**. The links are available at <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=is-100.b> and <http://www.saferesponse.com/>. You will need to complete the **200** class for a Type I or II rating.

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