



CAL FIRE / SLO County Fire Department Training Announcement

Class Title: Rescue Watercraft Technician - CAL FIRE
Personal Watercraft Rescue Operations - CSFM

Dates: November 16, 17, 18, 19, 2020 ★ must attend all hours, non-negotiable

Times: Monday, 0900 – 1800 meet at Avila Pier
Tuesday, 0900 – 2400 (including Night Ops) Meet Cayucos Beach Pier
Wednesday, 0900 – 1800 Morro Bay Boat launch
Thursday, 0900 – end time and location TBD

Description: Must be Agency / Department sponsored. This advanced waterman course reviews and tests the skills needed to operate a Rescue Watercraft (RWC) while performing rescues in the ocean environment. This course in conjunction with R&FWR is an approved State Fire Marshal FSTEP class. Meets NFPA 1670 and 1006.

Who may attend: Paid First Responders with BC or supervisor approval, however student priority as follows: SLO County Fire coastal station staff, SLO County US&R, CAL FIRE personnel, interagency affiliates

Cadre / Instructor(s): FC Neuschwander, FC Pacheco, FAE Mackewicz, and Pismo LGs

Coordinator: Training Fire Captain Chad Fleming

Location: TBD (Port San Luis Harbor, Cayucos State Beach, Morro Bay, Sand Spit, and Montaña de Oro)

Pre-requisites:

1. Complete Open Water 500-meter swim in 12 minutes or less.
Swim Test will be at 0900 at Avila Pier, Monday, November 16
2. CAL FIRE Surf Rescue Ops (or USLA Lifeguard Academy)
3. Students must be able to drive utility and back a trailer.
4. River and Flood Water Rescue class completion*
5. All students must also register and bring to class proof of completion of California Boat Ed Course (\$34.95 fee and 3hrs). Boater safety card will be issued in the mail.
<https://www.boat-ed.com/california/faq/#price-and-payment>

Fee: \$375 Cashier's Check or Money Order payable to **SLO COUNTY FIRE / PWCRO**, make sure student name is in the memo section. Cashiers check must be valid through 12/19/2020 (not expired). Payment must be attached to registration-. Course enrollment and fee exemption for CAL FIRE SLU Permanent / LTs and SLO County PCFs with your Battalion Chief authorization. Questions about registration fees, email SLU.training@fire.ca.gov. Cancellations less than 10-days, no-shows or failures will forfeit fees. See registration box on pg. 2 for mailing address and additional information.

How to Register: Access flyer / registration at calfireslo.org/training, do not handwrite, must include your Battalion Chief's authorization digital signature, if you exempt - email to SLU.training@fire.ca.gov. If you are paying for class - mail your registration with payment to SLU HQ (see registrations box pg. 2). All Students Must Be On-Duty during instructional hours of Training.

What to Wear: CLASSROOM - Students must wear their department's duty uniform (pants, button up shirt, boots)
FIELD - Lifejacket, wetsuit, helmet, gloves, booties, towel, sunscreen, food, fluids

Questions: Course questions call FC Neuschwander 805.459.9299; registration and fees questions email: SLU.training@fire.ca.gov

★ Do not handwrite, registration located at calfireslo.org/training/upcoming.courses

non-negotiable Registration due by: **Friday, October 30, 2020**

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Are you a member of the SLO County Fire Coastal Station, SLO US&R, CAL FIRE SLU Personnel, Inter-agency affiliates

Yes No

Please read flyer in its entirety prior to completing registration

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<small>(for certificates, if applicable)</small> Last Name, First Name:		<input type="checkbox"/> SLU CAL FIRE Employee	
SLU STN # or Department:	Rank: <input type="checkbox"/> PCF <input type="checkbox"/> Res <input type="checkbox"/> FFI <input type="checkbox"/> Para <input type="checkbox"/> FAE <input type="checkbox"/> FC <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<small>(list Other rank below in Other Title)</small>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other CAL FIRE Unit: <small>(Unit 3 letter Identifier)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> SFT ID # <small>(#### ####)</small>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Agency:	<small>(if not listed above)</small> Other Title		
Home Mailing Address:			
City, State:		Zip:	
Work, ext. (area code): <small>(### ### #### x###)</small>		*Cell: <small>(#####)</small>	
<small>(Use your email address on file with SFT, if applicable)</small> *email:			
*Emergency Contact: <small>(Last name, First name)</small>		*Contact #: <small>(#####)</small>	

Fees - Is your payment issued by your agency? Y N After class completion, you may request paid receipts by emailing SLU.training@fire.ca.gov

Release and Hold Harmless Agreement: I am not aware of any physical disability or health related reasons which would preclude me from participating in training activities with San Luis Obispo County Fire Department. I understand that participation in this program can include activities which may expose me to certain risks of injury. In consideration of this consent to participate in these programs and activities, I hereby agree, on behalf of myself and my assigns and heirs, to release, defend and hold harmless, the County of San Luis Obispo, the Fire Department and their employees, agents and/or representatives ("Releasees") from any and all direct, indirect, special or consequential actions, claims, damages, costs, and liability, legal or otherwise, arising or resulting from my participation. Including without limitation, damage to or destruction of any property or injury or death to any person. This release shall be binding upon my heirs, administrators, executors, and assigns. In signing this release, I acknowledge and represent that I have read the foregoing Release/Agreement, fully understand it and its content and sign it voluntarily and that no oral representations, statements or inducements, apart from the foregoing written agreement, have been made. I am aware that this is a release of liability and a contract between myself and the releasees and sign it of my own free will. I am fully competent and I execute the Release Agreement for full, adequate and completed consideration fully intending to be bound by the same.

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Signature of Participant

Participant

Date

please use digital signatures

Authorizing Signature - All Agencies (see flyer for authorization specifics for this class)

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**** Supervisor Signature**

Last Name, First name of Supervisor

Date

Do Not leave blank or authorize yourself

*** Prior to signing - read flyer in its entirety*

- We do not reserve spots → Fees must be submitted with registration → Fees will not be reimbursed if you fail class → Non-Negotiable
- We will not accept incomplete registrations → Cancellations require 10-day notice → Less than 10-days or no-shows will forfeit all fees
- It is the student's responsibility to confirm enrollment @ SLU.training@fire.ca.gov → Registration is on first-come-first served basis

* Do not handwrite, access registration @ CalFireSLO.org/training/courses

* Required

Registrations: PLEASE NOTE - NO EXCEPTIONS -		Registration packet will Not be accepted, if:
a.	BC or above, has not authorized; or, if registration is not complete, legible and accurate	<small>(make sure student name is in memo section)</small>
b.	\$375.00 *Cashier's check/money order for correct amount is not included and made out to: <u>SLO COUNTY FIRE / PWCRO</u>	
c.	*due day 1 Pre-requisites copies are not included, Code of Conduct missing. See flyer	
d.	Mail authorized/complete registration and Cashier's Check to NEW MAILING ADDRESS: email SLU.training@fire.ca.gov to confirm that you've been added to the roster TR-7 does not register you for class, forward registration to training You will not be allowed in class without being on our Roster, pre-registered/paid by deadline Incomplete registrations are shredded	CAL FIRE - TRAINING ATTN REGISTRATIONS / PWCRO 635 N SANTA ROSA ST SAN LUIS OBISPO CA 93405-7815
		Student acknowledgement: <input type="text"/>

