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2021/2022 JIBC Search & Rescue Training Schedule

Last updated: May 6, 2021– Check www.jibc.ca/sar for updates

About COVID-19 restrictions: Due to the fluid and unknown future of COVID 19 impacts, please note that this schedule is being built and released on the **assumption** that PHO restrictions will ease to allow the Face to Face SAR Training to resume in mid-August, as well as allow for comfort of both our Instructors and students when planning their travel method to attend the scheduled courses. Due to the dynamic situation of COVID-19, there **could** be modifications to the schedule.

In this 2021-2022 Training Schedule, there are some scheduling exceptions: EMRG-1660 PSLL will be offered in super regions, EMRG-1790 GSAR as a provincial course and EMRG-1783 SARM1 will be offered three times for this year only.

Application Deadlines: ~~Spring courses (April to June) – Sunday, February 28, 2021~~
Fall courses (Sept to Nov) – Wednesday, June 16, 2021
Winter courses (Jan to March) – Sunday, Nov 28, 2021

NEW: ONLINE APPLICATION PROCESS

We are happy to announce SAR Training Applications are now accepted via online form. This will provide automatic email confirmation to the applicant and identified training officer, and submit the data to us directly.

Step 1: SAR Member and Training Officers - Review course requirements: Review the Course Calendar at www.jibc.ca/sar to confirm you have the pre-requisites and can meet course requirements. Review JIBC records at myjibc.ca. Ensure you have time in your schedule to attend the course and complete required pre-study, work or practice.

Step 2: SAR Member - Collect required information. You'll need to provide your Training Officers name and email, in addition to an email address you check regularly, your JIBC student number and date of birth.

Step 3: SAR Member - Complete the online application form: The online application form for the upcoming season is at www.jibc.ca/sar under the "Key Links" section, or [is linked to here](#).

Step 4: Automatic email confirmations sent: Automatic email confirmations will be sent to the applicant, the identified Training Officer and the JIBC.

Step 5: Training Officers - confirm and prioritize applications: The JIBC will compile and review applications for each SAR Group and send to the identified Training Officer to authorize and prioritize applications.

Step 6: JIBC sends email confirmations: The JIBC will register, waitlist or decline applicants based on criteria agreed on and reviewed with the Provincial Training Committee. These criteria include: complete pre-requisites, member of in-region GSAR groups, selection priorities identified by each group, the date of the application. Email confirmations will be sent out two to four weeks after the application deadline.

For further information review the Course Calendar at www.jibc.ca/sar, contact your Training Officer, or the JIBC at 1-888-898-5422, 604-528-5786 or email sar@jibc.ca. Our emails sometimes are filtered out of your inbox – add sar@jibc.ca as a "safe sender" in your email program, and check your spam or trash if you are expecting emails from us.

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PROVINCIAL TRAINING

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Course	Location	Date	Deadline
*EMRG-1783 SAR Management Level 1	JIBC New Westminster Campus	Sept 16 - 19, 2021	June 16, 2021
*EMRG-1783 SAR Management Level 1	JIBC New Westminster Campus	Nov 4 – 7, 2021	June 16, 2021
*EMRG-1783 SAR Management Level 1	JIBC New Westminster Campus	Feb 17 – 20, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
EMRG-1790 GSAR Train the Trainer	JIBC New Westminster Campus	Feb 26 – 27, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
EMRG-1752 OAR Team Leader – Sled-based	Valemount	TBD	Nov 28, 2021

REGIONAL TRAINING

(*) these courses require advance online reading, study and assessment.

Combined Region: Vancouver Island and South West			
*EMRG-1738 Rope Tech 2 - Foundations Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Arrowsmith (Little Mtn)	Sept 10 – 12, 2021	June 16, 2021
		Nov 5– 7, 2021	
*EMRG-1736 Rope Rescue Tech 1 Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Squamish	Sept 24 – 26, 2021	June 16, 2021
		Nov 12 – 14, 2021	
EMRG-1660 PSLI for SAR	JIBC New Westminster Campus	March 5 – 6, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
Vancouver Island			
*EMRG-1711 GSTL	Campbell River	March 4 – 6, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
EMRG-1751 OAR Team Member	TBD	TBD	Nov 28, 2021
South West			
EMRG-1711 GSTL	JIBC – New West Campus	Feb 11 – 13, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
EMRG-1751 OAR Team Member	TBD	TBD	Nov 28, 2021
Combined Region: Central and South East			
*EMRG-1736 Rope Rescue Tech 1 Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Vernon	Aug 20 – 22, 2021	June 16, 2021
		Oct 15 – 17, 2021	

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*EMRG-1738 Rope Tech 2 Foundations Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Nelson	Aug 27 – 29, 2021 Oct 22 – 24, 2021	June 16, 2021
EMRG-1660 PSLL for SAR	Vernon	Oct 16 – 17, 2021	June 16, 2021
Central	Location	Date	
*EMRG-1711 GSTL	Penticton	Oct 29 – 31, 2021	June 16, 2021
EMRG-1751 OAR Team Member	TBD	TBD	Nov 28, 2021
South East			
*EMRG-1711 GSTL	Cranbrook	Oct 1 – 3, 2021	June 16, 2021
EMRG-1751 OAR Team Member	TBD	TBD	Nov 28, 2021
Combined Region: North West and North East			
*EMRG-1738 Rope Tech 2 Foundations Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Prince George	Aug 27 – 29, 2021 Oct 8 – 10, 2021	June 16, 2021
*EMRG-1736 Rope Rescue Tech 1 Teaching weekend Evaluation weekend	Terrace	Aug 13 – 15, 2021 Oct 1 – 3, 2021	June 16, 2021
EMRG-1660 PSLL for SAR	Williams Lake	March 18 – 20, 2022	Nov 28, 2021
North West			
*EMRG-1711 GSTL	Smithers	Oct 15 – 17, 2021	June 16, 2021
EMRG-1751 OAR Team Member	TBD	TBD	Nov 28, 2021
North East			
*EMRG-1711 GSTL	Prince George	Sept 17 – 19, 2021	June 16, 2021
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