

SARSCENE 2008 Program-at-a-Glance

Tuesday, October 14, 2008

08:00 – 16:00	Pre-Conference Meetings and Training. Please refer to page 6 of this Guide for complete details
11:00 – 19:00	Exhibitor Check-in and Delegate Registration — Delta Main Lobby

Wednesday, October 15, 2008

07:00 – 20:00	Delegate Registration — Delta Main Lobby
08:00 – 16:00	Pre-Conference Meetings and Training. Please refer to page 6 of this Guide for complete details
08:30 – 16:00	SAR Games at Sunshine Park — Shuttles available from Delta Hotel
18:00 – 20:00	SAR Expo Grand Opening and Welcome Reception — Crush Lobby and Avalon Ballroom ABC Entertainment by <i>Jim & Fergus</i> .

Thursday, October 16, 2008

	Avalon Ballroom Salon B	Avalon Ballroom Salon C	Avalon Ballroom Salon D	Harbourview E-F	Harbourview G	Brownsdale	Off-site	Avalon Ballroom A & Crush Lobby
07:00 – 18:00	Delegate Registration — Delta Main Lobby							SAR Expo Open from 09:30 to 17:30
08:15 – 9:00	Opening Ceremony							
09:00 – 10:00	Plenary Presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Anna Gainey, <i>Gainey Foundation</i> ■ Larry & Jacque Beveridge, <i>Canadian Hug a Tree Program Video</i> ■ Ron Foxcroft, <i>Fox 40 International</i> ■ Lucy Harris, <i>video presentation</i> 							
10:00 – 10:30	30 minute break							
10:30 – 12:15	Town Hall See description on page 13 of this Guide							
12:15 – 13:45	Lunch break (1 hour 30 minutes) on your own							

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13:45 – 14:45 Workshop Block 1	Man Tracking Terry Grant WSB1-S1	Community Flood Response & Evacuation Planning for GSAR Volunteers Neil Brewer <i>Kent Harrison Search and Rescue</i> Ian Cunnings <i>British Columbia Provincial Emergency Program</i> WSB1-S2	ICS and GSAR Michel Villeneuve <i>Parks Canada</i> SARNIF WSB1-S3	Introduction to Search & Search Management in the Urban Environment Chris Young <i>Contra Costa Co. Sheriff's Department</i> WSB1-S4	Ocean Guardian III Grant Ivey <i>Canadian Coast Guard</i> Ward George INTERNATIONAL WSB1-S5	ADFAR2 — Developing Prevention Tools For a Highly Diverse Target Audience Dr. Pascal Haegeli <i>Canadian Avalanche Centre</i> SARNIF WSB1-S6	Long Line Demonstration (Cuckolds Cove) A CCGA vessel/ fast rescue craft/ and RCMP Murray will be at the dock (near The Keg)	SAR Expo Open from 09:30 to 17:30
14:45 – 15:15	30 minute break							
15:15 – 16:15 Workshop Block 2	National SAR Prevention Strategy Jacqui Bannach <i>National Search and Rescue Secretariat</i> Cyndie Jones <i>British Columbia Provincial Emergency Program</i> WSB2-S1	Coordinating SAR Activities in the Arctic Region Rick Button <i>United States Coast Guard</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB2-S2	Urban SAR — Lessons Learned Guy Kerr <i>Calgary Police Service</i> WSB2-S3	Technical Rope Rescue — An Irish Overview Mike O'Shea <i>Irish Coast Guard</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB2-S4	Contributing Factors to a Successful Rescue Ian Foss <i>Golden & District Search & Rescue</i> WSB2-S5	Boating Safety Programs and How They Can Work in a Partnership Brian Avery <i>Transport Canada</i> WSB2-S6		
16:30 – 18:30	Technical Visits — Sign up is located beside Registration in the Main Lobby <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Coast Guard Base (MRSC St. John's) ■ Signal Hill 							
19:00	Volunteer Appreciation Night							

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09:00 – 10:00 Workshop Block 3	Title — TBD Daniel Levesque <i>COSPAS-SARSAT</i> WSB3-S1	SAR K-9 Selection, Training, Certification & Deployment by Law Enforcement Search Managers Dave Walker <i>Hamilton Police Volunteer SAR K9 Team/London SAR K9 Team</i> WSB3-S2	Participants' Perceptions of the Nature and Cause of Injuries and Medical Conditions: A Kayaking Case Study Colin Powell <i>University of Wales Institute</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB3-S3	Successful Search and Rescue Partnerships Const. Colin Wiebe <i>Abbotsford Police Department</i> WSB3-S4	Volunteering Ian Venham <i>RNLI</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB3-S5	UAV + CASARA Exercise Andrew Carryer <i>MacDonald Dettwiler and Associates Ltd</i> WSB3-S6		
10:00 – 10:15	15 minute break							
10:15 – 11:15 Workshop Block 4	Termination of 121.5 Transition and Effects on SAR Maj. Kelly Freitag <i>Canadian Forces — Canadian Mission Control Centre</i> WSB4-S1	SAR and 3rd Party Child Abductions Don Blakely <i>Vernon SAR</i> WSB4-S2	History Of The CCGA In NL Region Winston Pitcher <i>Canadian Coast Guard Auxiliary (NL Region)</i> WSB4-S3	SAR Fundraising Cyndie Jones <i>British Columbia Provincial Emergency Program</i> Neil Brewer <i>Kent Harrison Search and Rescue</i> WSB4-S4	The International Lifesaving Federation's (ILS) World Drowning Report Barbara Byers <i>Lifesaving Society Ontario</i> SAR NIF WSB4-S5	Training to Decrease Liability Alan Thomas <i>Toronto Fire Services</i> WSB4-S6		
11:15 – 12:15 Workshop Block 5	Evolution of the 103 SAR Tech Sgt Morgan Bidderman, and WO Dale Robillard <i>Canadian Forces — 103 SAR Squadron</i> WSB5-S1	Alternative Alerting Technologies Kevin Psutka <i>Canadian Owners and Pilots Association</i> WSB5-S2	Voluntary Sector Capacity in an Emergency Bill Lawlor <i>Canadian Red Cross</i> WSB5-S3	Northern SAR Strategy Ron Kroeker <i>National Search and Rescue Secretariat</i> WSB5-S4	Heat and its Effect on Canine Teams POD Carol Namur <i>The Volunteer Group Sauvetage Canada Rescue</i> WSB5-S5	The Extended Maritime Survivor Locator (EMSL) Dean Rowsell <i>C-CORE</i> SAR NIF Marine Marker for Common SAR Objects David Green <i>C-CORE</i> SAR NIF WSB5-S6		

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12:15 – 13:45	Lunch break with exhibitors (1 hour 30 minutes)						Long Line Demonstration (Cuckolds Cove) A CCGA vessel/ fast rescue craft/ and RCMP Murray will be at the dock (near The Keg)	SAR Expo Open from 09:30 to 17:30
13:45 – 14:45 Workshop Block 6	Survival Pattern and Psychology of Survival Sgt. Trevor Fakes <i>Canadian Forces School of Survival and Aeromedical Training (CFSSAT)</i> Sgt. Timothy McMeekin <i>CD, BS, MID</i> WSB6-S1	Kananaskis Country Public Safety Program Partnerships George Field <i>Kananaskis Country; Parks and Protected Areas; Tourism, Parks, and Recreation Alberta</i> WSB6-S2	Safely Home National Community Action Plan Dianne Johnson <i>Alzheimer Society of Canada</i> Enka Xhixha <i>Alzheimer Society of Canada</i> WSB6-S3	Exercise Unified Command — A Multi-jurisdictional GSAR Exercise, PEI, 2008 Roger Steadman <i>Parks Canada</i> Lori-Anne Duffy <i>Parks Canada</i> SAR NIF WSB6-S4	New Zealand's 406 Beacons Transition Experience Duncan Ferner <i>New Zealand Search and Rescue Council</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB6-S5	SAR Dogs in International Missions Silvie Montier <i>Canadian Search and Disaster Dogs Association</i> WSB6-S6		
14:45 – 15:15	30 minute break							
15:15 – 16:15 Workshop Block 7	Canadian R&D on the Next Generation Search and Rescue Satellite System Richard Paiement <i>Communications Research Centre (CRC) Canada / Industry Canada</i> SAR NIF WSB7-S1	13 Year Old Missing Persons Case Lester Parsons <i>Royal Newfoundland Constabulary</i> WSB7-S2	Search is an Emergency, SAR Pre-Plans for Long Term Care Facilities — “A Work In Progress” Sgt. Don Webster <i>Ontario Provincial Police</i> WSB7-S3	B.C. Search & Rescue Association Critical Incident Stress Management Program Whitney Numan <i>British Columbia Search and Rescue Association (BCSARA)</i> WSB7-S4	An Educational Partnership Between the Canadian MedicAlert Foundation and You Michael Nemeth <i>AEMCA(f), ICP MedicAlert Foundation</i> Laura King Hahn R.N. <i>MedicAlert Foundation</i> WSB7-S5	Thermal Protection in Life Rafts: Assessment of Occupant Heat Balance and Development of Performance Criteria Scott MacKinnon <i>National Research Council Canada, Institute for Ocean Technology</i> SAR NIF WSB7-S6		
16:30 – 18:30	Technical Visits — Sign up is located beside Registration in the Main Lobby <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Ocean Sciences Centre ■ Memorial University — Marine Institute, Offshore Safety and Survival Centre (OSSC) ■ Cape Spear National Historic Site 							
Evening	Free evening							

Saturday, October 18, 2008

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08:00 – 13:00 16:30 – 18:30	Delegate Registration — Delta Main Lobby SAR Awards Banquet Registration — Delta Main Lobby								
09:00 – 10:00 Workshop Block 8	Myths and Legends of Lost Person Behaviour Robert Koester <i>dbS Productions</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB8-S1	Leadership Crisis, And Moving Forward Scott Wright <i>SARSAV</i> Mike DesRoche <i>SARVAC</i> WSB8-S2	WHY Wilderness First Aid Blair Doyle <i>Canadian Red Cross Society</i> WSB8-S3	Cold Water Boot Camp...and Beyond Dr. Gordon Giesbrecht <i>Univ of Manitoba</i> Ted Rankine <i>Play Safe Productions</i> SAR NIF WSB8-S4	SAR in Brazil Maj Av SILVIO MONTEIRO <i>Brazilian Aeronautical Authority DECEA (Departamento de Controle do Espaço Aéreo)</i> WSB8-S5				
10:00 – 10:15	15 minute break								
10:15 – 11:15 Workshop Block 9	Tracking Profiling Ross Gordon <i>Search and Rescue Institute New Zealand (SARINZ)</i> Tony Wells <i>Search and Rescue Institute New Zealand (SARINZ)</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB9-S1	Advanced GPS Use in MR/SAR Lyle Brotherton <i>Micronavigation</i> INTERNATIONAL WSB9-S2	Parks Canada's Search and Rescue in Western Newfoundland and Labrador Stephen Anderson <i>Parks Canada</i> Craig Burden <i>Parks Canada</i> WSB9-S3	NetSim by CCGA Pacific Malcom Dunderdale <i>Canadian Coast Guard Auxiliary – National</i> WSB9-S4	Search and Rescue in Québec Alain Croteau <i>Sûreté du Québec</i> WSB9-S5	How to Plan, Organize and Manage Your Meetings to Obtain Maximum Results Dave Brewer <i>British Columbia Search and Rescue Association (BCSARA)</i> WSB9-S6			
11:15 – 12:00	Conference Wrap-up Plenary								
12:00 – 12:45	Lunch break								
13:30 – 15:30	Search and Rescue Public Demonstrations Quidi Vidi Lake — Shuttle available								
18:30	Reception with cash bar Delta Hotel, Avalon Ballroom								
19:00	Search and Rescue Awards Banquet Delta Hotel, Avalon Ballroom								