

# NCSSAR 2019 Academy Program Schedule

| Sessions       | Topics  | Cycle 1  | Cycle 2   | Times |
|----------------|---|----------|-----------|-------|
| Fitness Hike   | Type 2 qualification  | Sat 2/9  | Sun 8/3   | 0900  |
| Medical        | First Aid Training  | Sat 2/23 | Sat 9/7   | 0830  |
| CPR            | CPR/AED Training  | Sat 3/9  | Sat 9/21  | 0900  |
| Session 1      | Intro to SAR<br>Personal and Search Safety<br>ICS/SEMS<br>Pack Requirements | Wed 2/13 | Thur 8/15 | 1800  |
| Session 2      | Crime Scene Requirements<br>Interview Skills<br>Helicopter Safety           | Wed 2/20 | Thur 8/22 | 1800  |
| Session 3      | Clue Awareness<br>Man Tracking<br>Radio Communications                      | Wed 2/27 | Thur 8/29 | 1800  |
| Session 4      | Map and Compass   | Wed 3/6  | Thur 9/5  | 1800  |
| Session 5      | GPS for the Search Function   | Wed 3/13 | Thur 9/12 | 1800  |
| Session 6      | Search Tactics/Navigating<br>Search Terrain                                 | Wed 3/20 | Thur 9/19 | 1800  |
| Session 7      | Basic Knots<br>Rough Terrain<br>Litter Loading & Transport                  | Wed 3/27 | Thur 9/26 | 1800  |
| Field Day      | GPS Field, Map & Compass,<br>Rough Terrain, Man Tracking<br>Exercises       | Sat 3/30 | Sat 9/28  | 0900  |
| Field Day      | Search Tactics Exercises  | Sun 3/31 | Sun 9/29  | 0900  |
| Evaluation Day | GPS Field, Map & Compass,<br>Rough Terrain, Man Tracking<br>Field Test      | Sat 4/27 | Sat 10/19 | 0900  |
| Evaluation Day | Search Tactics Field Test   | Sun 4/28 | Sun 10/20 | 0900  |