



REPORT TO THE FAR WEST DIVISION
PROGRAM STATUS REPORT
FWD 2015 – 2016 RECAP
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PROGRAM: Certified

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SEASON HIGHLIGHTS — total classes — total participants

- Over seven training and testing clinics across the FWD saw an increase in the number of active patrollers. Based on the snowfall of the prior years this seems easy to call, however the training locations change each year both date and hosting resort, so the effort to attend is still notable.
- Dave Stromswold of Homewood completed his Final test and received # 615
- Progress on NSP Classification guidelines and training reference for Program wide use continues. Division Supervisors nearly complete with training & testing guideline outlines. Expect completion by September 2016, and pass on to NSP Education Committee. NSP Chair Ed McNamara has reviewed and made suggestions on content to date.
- Large group 25+ patrollers started training in Southern CA with the Dynamic Giebels.

GOALS FOR COMING SEASON:

- Continue training Patrollers on the offered areas of testing in conjunction with the APP,
- Host two NSP led training sessions outside of the APP offered venues, (finding hosts this fall)
- Market events to the Certified patrollers using the recently generated list of FWD Certified patrollers,
- Increase current Certified classified patrollers with three patrollers attain Certified classification,

ISSUES and RESOLUTIONS:

- Complete NSP Program Training / Study Resource Guide – Committee work on Schedule.
- Free time to attend trainings -- more free time.
- Budget request \$650 - 850 for travel to events and lodge costs

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