



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

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SEASON HIGHLIGHTS TO DATE — total classes — total participants

1) Clinics NSP & APP clinics

S-Cal 5 Clinics; MLR 2 Clinics, ESR 2 Clinics, NCAL 1 Clinic

2) Season end Clinic in Tahoe Basin, location TBA, April 20 - 25.

3) Update of NSP Certified training resources and test criteria remains a work in process. Division supervisors met in December at a Denver Airport Hotel to update material for each testing criteria. Great progress on building agreement on testing criteria and building a shared vision across the Division Supervisors. Division Supervisors invested many hours or discussion and very thoughtful consideration of program, content and ability of Divisions to adapt some areas depth of testing to meet geographic needs

SEASON GOALS:

Present training opportunities for Division Patrollers to access knowledge to attain Certified classification across the Division.

Training Clinics and Testing events scheduled in all regions of the Division.

Training & testing clinics in all regions except AZ this season are completed with dates still on the calendar.

ISSUES and RESOLUTIONS:

1) Updating NSP Certified training resources with a shared vision across the Division Supervisors. Still need to sell to the new National Board Education Committee.

2) Marketing, Marketing : Building on the success of Team Geibel in Southern Cal and leverage across the remaining regions.

3) Continue to build the strong relationship with APP. It is so wonderful to have industry experts in our midst and leverage training and best practices from such a deep knowledge base.

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