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Up Coming Events

- Next meeting April 23, 2020 location TBD (possible webinar again – more details to come).



Pictured L to R are Rick Rutherford, Don Anderson, John Hardin inside the aircraft

** There will be other events, patrols, training days, to be added as they come available.



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Our Missions

Recreational Boating Safety -

consisting of our many boating safety classes, distributing boating safety information to the public, providing free vessel safety checks, and doing safety patrols on land, water, and in the air.

Support of Maritime Homeland Security and other maritime safety challenges that have emerged in recent years.

Who We Are

Since 1939, the men and woman of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary have volunteered millions of hours in support of the Coast Guard and the recreational boating public.

We are the uniformed civilian volunteer arm of the United States Coast Guard.

Hello Auxiliaries!

I hope everyone is staying safe and sane in these trying times.

For the time being our meetings will be held via Go To Meeting to adhere to the social distancing guidelines in effect for battling the COVID-19 virus.

Courtesies to be mindful of during a Webinar

a. If you would like to speak please state your name for Secretary of Records and wait for acknowledgement to have the mike.

b. Be aware that all background noise ie TV, Radio, Dogs barking, stirring your coffee can all be heard. So at times you may need to mute yourself.

We have 3 members Nichole Faulkender, Mia Mason and Wendy Zampardi that are available to assist those that cannot get out or need groceries picked up.

Please contact Nancy Holtzman at 916-708-0298 in the event of any changes to your health or wellbeing. You can also contact Nichole Faulkender at 916-288-7596.

FLIGHT ON COAST GUARD AIRCRAFT

On Thursday, 12 March 2020 Rick Rutherford, John Hardin (Flotilla 3-5) and Don Anderson had the opportunity to ride along on a training mission on a Coast Guard CJ-27 out of AIRSTA Sacramento. They lifted off from the McClellan airstrip en-route to Half Moon Bay to conduct training with the CG Cutter Tern. The plan was to air drop a dewatering pump to the underway cutter. However, due to only 15' visibility on the ocean surface due to fog the intended mission was canceled. The aircraft then flew over the fog cover outside of San Francisco Bay and practiced search patterns and a simulated air drop.

See the cool pictures on the next page!