




ACADEMY 2017 SCHEDULE



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Month	Day of the Week	Date	Time	Class	Location	Instructor	
August 	Thursday	3	1830-2130	Academy Orientation Background Check Paperwork	Sheriff Office	Jackie Tubis SGT. Leon	
	Thursday	10	1830-2130	DSW Paperwork What is SAR?	Sheriff Office	Academy Staff Timothy Alston	
	Thursday	17	1830-2130	SAR Management, Helo, Comm's and OP's	Sheriff Office	Jackie Tubis	
	Thursday	24	1830-2130	24-Hour Pack "Gear Talk"	Sheriff Office	Nat Bowditch Gerald Osuna	
	Saturday	26	0830-1900	CPR (BLS) / Basic First Aid	Sheriff Office	Brian Alexander Academy Staff	
	Thursday	31	1830-2130	Packaging / Z-Rig / MPD	Sheriff Office	Timothy Alston Rusty Wachermann	
September 	Thursday	7	1830-2130	Comms Packaging / Z-Rig / MPD	Sheriff Office	Timothy Alston Rusty Wachermann	
	Thursday	14	1830-2130	Search Tactics	Sheriff Office	Kris Black	
	Saturday	16	0830-1200 1200-1500	Tracking and Sign-Cutting Field Exercise Search Tactics Field Exercise	Santa Teresa County Park	Tracking Team Timothy Alston	
	Thursday	21	1830-2130	Navigation	Sheriff Office	Kelly Wells	
	Saturday	23	0830-1200 1200-1900	Fitness Hike w/Team Stanford Life Flight	Almaden Quicksilver Park	Conjunctive With Team Training Rusty Wachermann	
	Sunday	24	0830-1900	Navigation Field Exercise	West Valley College	Rusty Wackermann Gerald Osuna	
	Thursday	28	1830-2130	Coroner's Office Tour	Coroner's Office	Sgt. Shaheen	
	October 	Thursday	5	1830-2130	Ropes, Knots and Rescue Systems	Sheriff Office	Rusty Wackermann
Saturday		7	0830-1200 1200-1900	Ropes, Knots and Rescue Systems Field Exercise Mechanical Advantage	Santa Teresa County Park	Rusty Wackermann Gerald Osuna	
Thursday		12	1830-1930 1930-2130	Defensive Driving Video Survival	Sheriff Office	Timothy Alston	
Saturday		14	0830-1900	TBD	TBD	TBD	
Sunday		15	0830-1900	Search Canines	Evergreen Valley College	K9 Team	
Thursday		19	1830-2030 2031-2130	Crime Scene Handling SAR Equipment Tour	Sheriff Office	Ron Bruess Academy Staff	
Saturday		21	0830-1530 1531-0000	Mock Search with Academy Survival Overnight	Joseph D. Grant Ranch County Park	Conjunctive With Team Training Rick Buseman	
Sunday		22	0000-0700	Survival Overnight-Conclusion	Joseph D. Grant Ranch County Park	Team	
Thursday		26	24 Hours	Written Test	On-Line	Timothy Alston Brian Alexander Kim Ringeisen Rusty Wachermann	
November		Wednesday	1	1900-2100	Graduation	Sheriff Office	Conjunctive With Team Training

- Highlighted training(s) are in conjunction with Team trainings.
- Highlighted training(s) are on Saturday
- Highlighted training(s) are on Sunday

Sheriff's Office Headquarters, 55 W. Younger Ave., San Jose
Almaden Quicksilver Park, Mockingbird Hill Entrance
Santa Teresa County Park, Pueblo Group Area, 260 Bernal Rd., San Jose
West Valley College, Parking Lot 2, 14000 Fruitvale Ave., Saratoga
Evergreen Valley College, Lot 7, 3095 Yerba Buena Rd., San Jose
Coroner's Office, 850 Thornton Way, San Jose
Monte Bello Preserve, 10S 572060E 4131015N Pagemill Rd., Palo Alto

In case of an emergency or you are unable to attend a training session,
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