

RWC-Rescue Watercraft

RESCUE TEAM CHALLENGE

SEA BRIGHT



USLA Certified Open Water Lifesaving Agency
USLA Certified Aquatic Rescue Response Team
USLA Certified Personal Rescue Watercraft Agency

OCEAN RESCUE

Sept 5th 2020



SEA BRIGHT, New Jersey



Craft Scrutinizing:

The competing (ski) RWC must be designated visually as an RWC in the current equipment cache of the competing team. RWC horsepower must not exceed 175 HP. The RWC must have a properly rigged professional grade rescue-sled and all mandatory USCG PWC safety equipment.

Inspection list will be made available on 8/25/20 at: seabrightoceanrescue.com

Three Events:

RWC teams must use a different operator for each non-relay event.

1. Swimmer Pick-up Single heat eliminations, 8 teams, 4 heats, 2 teams per heat, Heat assignments chosen randomly

2. Surf Rescue Bottom two elimination, four teams, 2 heats

3. Rescue Relay Top 2 ranking,, final heat

REGISTRATION is limited 8 RWC teams from within the USLA Mid-Atlantic Region. Technical rescue teams from NYC including FDNY and NYPD ESU have been invited to compete.

FIRST COME FIRST, FIRST REGISTRATION

Mandatory Safety Measures

RWC operator: must wear PFD, helmet and fins on belt

Rescue Swimmer: must wear fins and use Peterson tube

ALL RESCUE WATERCRAFT: must pass scrutinizing (similar to a USCG Inspection)

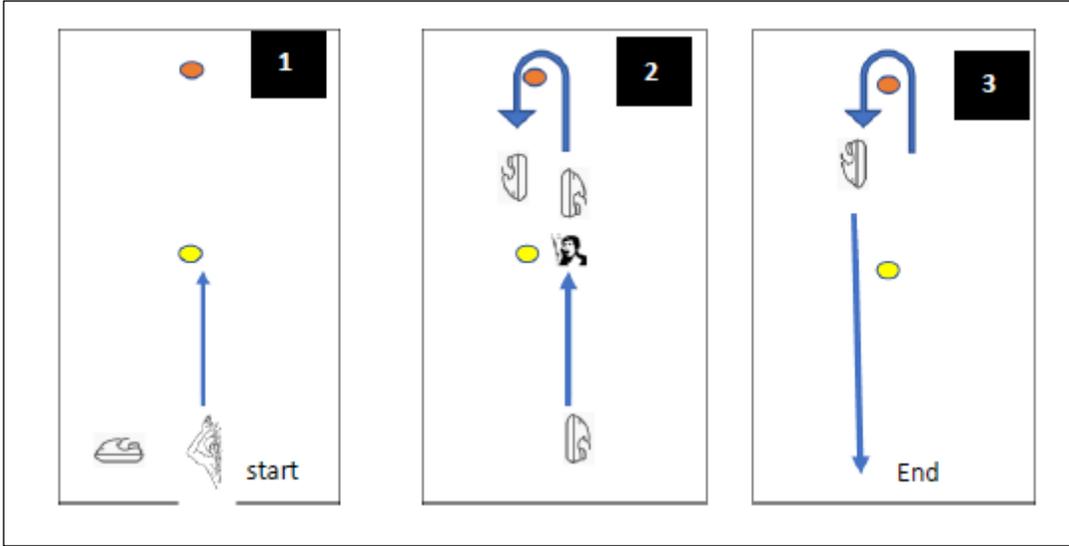
Each team must have their own 4 person RWC launch and recovery team for each event

MORE DETAILS , RULES, and REGULATIONS available 8/25/20 at SEABRIGHTOCEANRESCUE.COM

Rescue Watercraft staging and prep begins at 5:30 pm with craft scrutinizing (inspection) completed before 6:30 pm

First Event Starts-6:45 pm , sharp ENTRY is Free RSVP Deadline 9/01/20 via email sborrescue@gmail.com

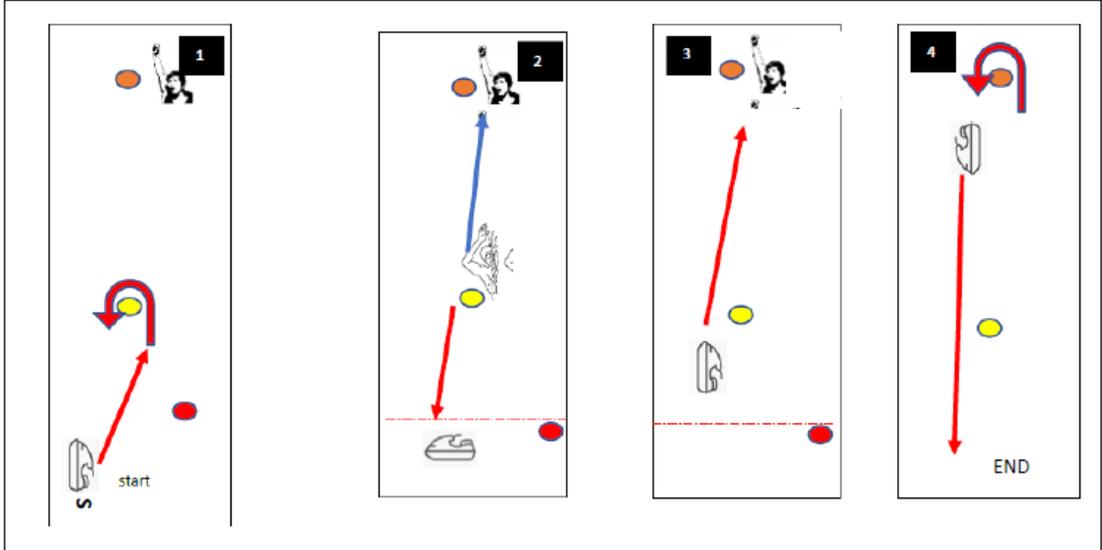
EVENT 1 Swimmer Pick-up



- Rescue Swimmer leaves for buoy
- RWC launches when swimmer reaches buoy
- RWC picks up swimmer and moves to buoy 2
- RWC rounds buoy 2 with swimmer
- operator beaches ski with swimmer on sled
- Rescue Swimmer runs to finish line

EVENT 2 Surf Rescue

- Victim is staged at Buoy 2
- RWC launches with rescue swimmer
- RWC drops swimmer at buoy 1 and returns behind limit line
- Swimmer swims to Buoy 2 and makes contact with victim
- RWC then moves to buoy 2 picks up swimmer and victim and rounds buoy 2
- RWC moves to shore
- Operator beaches RWC with swimmer and victim on sled



EVENT 3 Rescue Relay

- 2 victims are staged at Buoy 2
- Round 1:** RWC launches with rescue swimmer
- RWC rounds buoy 1 with swimmer
- RWC moves to buoy 2 and picks up one victim
- RWC returns to buoy 1 and rounds buoy 1 with swimmer and victim
- RWC returns to shore and drops-off victim and crew change occurs
- Round 2:** RWC launches again with new operator and rescue swimmer to pick-up second victim (repeat above steps)
- Operator beaches RWC with swimmer

