

Rescue Craft Paddling Instructor

Training and Assessment (2 days)

Who Should Attend:

Personnel who are experienced in the use of rescue paddle crafts and in the delivery of training for water rescue training, who want to further their instructional ability in coaching and developing students in the use of rescue paddle craft.

Pre-Requisites or APL:

- In-date DEFRA MOD 3 Instructors Award
- In-date Rescue Craft Paddling Skills Award

Requirements:

- Indicated aptitude for working near and in water
- **This course demands a high standard of personal paddling ability and instructional knowledge, it is imperative that students are well practiced before attending in order to pass**
- Fit for two full days of physically demanding training

Aim:

To provide the knowledge and skills to manage training involving rescue skills and simulations using rescue rafts and sleds.

Outcomes:

- Assess and manage risks in training venues suitable for Rescue Craft Paddling
- Retrieve students and craft in difficulty
- Explain and demonstrate a variety of paddle skills in single and double blade craft
- Explain and demonstrate advanced manoeuvres in class 2 flow
- Assess student performance in paddling rescue craft
- Explain how hydrology can be utilised for rescue craft manoeuvres
- Explain how rescue craft paddling fits within the water hierarchy of rescue

Duration:

2 days with 15 hours contact time

Ratios:

Trainers 1:4 Students

Delivery Method:

Lectures, classroom work, practical sessions and scenario based training with increasingly challenging conditions.

Equipment:

Specialist equipment and PPE is included. You can provide your own PPE provided it is serviceable subject to inspection by our trainers.

Assessment:

Course content is assessed by a combination of direct observations of session delivery and personal skill sets, and written tasks. This course is assessed to a high standard. Individual feedback is provided.

Certification:

Students will receive a digital Outreach Rescue certificate of achievement upon meeting assessment criteria. Results are recorded on a personal record of performance and recorded on the Outreach Rescue Database.

Certification is valid for 3 years.

Progression:

Reassessment & Refresher training is recommended every 2/3 years by means or re-attending this course.

Venue:

Outreach Rescue, Tan-y-Bwlch Centre, Llanllechid, Bangor, Gwynedd, North Wales LL57 3HY

Please contact us to discuss the possibility of delivering this course at your premises.

Further Information & Booking:

Current open course dates are available on www.outreachrescue.com

Please contact us to book or to enquire about bespoke courses or additional dates:

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