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## **Basic Search and Rescue (BSAR)**

**July 13-15, 2012**

Floyd County Regional Swift Water Training Center  
9044 Lake Road  
Prestonsburg, Ky 41653

### **Course Description:**

This course is designed to provide guidance to SAR field responders on the best practices and techniques. Information about the duties and tasks of SAR field responders, current information on SAR field responder clothing and equipment, as well as details on the latest search techniques, information on SAR specialists such as hasty search, grid search, utilizing specialty teams, subject packaging and transport. Class will begin 6:00 p.m. local time on Friday night and 8:00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday. There will be a night search on Saturday evening. All students must have water, two flashlights, sturdy shoes, no tennis shoes and appropriate dress for the night exercise. If you have a SAR pack, please bring for the exercise. Pencil and paper required.

### **Student Criteria:**

This course is open to all Emergency Management, Rescue, Fire, Emergency Medical, and Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having responsibility for searching for missing or lost persons.

### **Special Notes:**

A MINIMUM # twenty (20) advance student registrations is REQUIRED and must be received by July 2 2012 in order to conduct this course. You are considered accepted as a student in this class upon receipt of your application by this office so you will not receive a letter acknowledging that acceptance. Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will *NOT* be reimbursed by KYEM.

### **Registration:**

Registration application for the course can be completed using the following link: [www.kyem.ky.gov/training](http://www.kyem.ky.gov/training) and click on register. Students will be notified if the course is cancelled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate contact information.

### **For more information, contact:**

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