

Bureau County Mounted Search and Rescue

Search and Rescue Training

Ground Search and Mounted Search Techniques
Instructor is Anthony Marzano, Will County SAR

Saturday May 3 rd	8:00am – noon 1PM - 1700	Bureau County Courthouse, 22 Park Ave, Princeton IL In the field (directions provided during morning class)
Sunday May 4 th	8am - 1700	Hands On Exercise In the field (directions provided on Saturday)

Saturday afternoon will be GROUND SAR. (No horses).
Sunday will be both ground SAR and mounted SAR techniques.

Cost \$10 per person to help defray cost of class
Make all checks payable to: BCMSAR

You registration fee includes: All handout materials, certificate of attendance. You will be on your own for all meals and drinks.

You must be registered to attend.
Class size is limited to 50

You will need to attend both days to receive certification

This two day course is designed to introduce the student to the specialized training required for ground search operations.

Note: Since several field exercises are included in this course the student must come equipped for any weather and be prepared for physical exertion in the field.

If you are coming from a distance and need a place to stall your horse for Saturday day/night, please call.

For more information, contact Dorene Stalter 815-872-1103

**Search & Rescue Basic Training –
Print, Complete, and Return to Bureau County Mounted Search and Rescue**

Date: Saturday May 3rd & Sunday May 4th ,2008
Location: Bureau County Courthouse, Princeton, IL 61356
Fee: \$10

Training: Both the two-day Ground-based and Mounted Search & Rescue classes will be available. You must attend both days to receive your certificate.

Certification: This ground-based training is a prerequisite to all other Search & Rescue classes including mounted search and rescue. The instructor for this course is Anthony Marzano, I.E.M.A. Search & Rescue instructor.

Registration: Complete both the form below and the Release of Liability and return to the Bureau County Mounted Search and Rescue. (address below)

Dress: Appropriate to the forecasted weather conditions. This includes appropriate footwear for walking off trail in heavy wooded areas and stream crossings. No tennis shoes and if at all possible wear orange or a bright color.

Equipment: Training requires a loud whistle and a compass and whatever medication you may need while in the field. Granola bars and other "power" snacks are also recommended.

Horses: Must have 1-year Coggins test papers. Horses will not be needed on Saturday.

Lodging: Lodging is available in the area. You are responsible for making arrangements for your lodging. If you need a place to stall your horse until Sunday, please call Dorene @ 815-872-1103

Please register before April 24th, 2008

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, zip _____

Phone number _____ Will you be bringing a horse? _____

Return Completed form with Release of Liability and \$10 class fee to:
Bureau County Mounted Search and Rescue
c/o Dorene Stalter
20467 2050N Ave
Princeton, IL 61356

Release of Liability

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HOLD HARMLESS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT FOR SEARCH AND RESCUE TRAINING CONDUCTED BY BUREAU COUNTY SEARCH AND RESCUE

Read this carefully before signing!!!

I wish to participate in the search and rescue training offered by the Bureau County Search and Rescue on the following date(s): May 3-4, 2008

In participating I fully understand and recognize the risks and dangers involved, as well as the fact that unanticipated, uncontrollable, and unexpected risks and dangers may arise during the training.

I agree to abide by the instructions and rules provided by Bureau County Search and Rescue. If I have any questions about those instructions and rules, I agree to ask a representative of Bureau County Search and Rescue for a clarification.

I recognize that the Bureau County Sheriffs Office and Bureau County Search and Rescue cannot eliminate or control all potential hazards to me or my horse or act to guarantee our safety.

I know and understand that search and rescue training may involve the interaction between multiple individuals and horses and thus presents risks beyond the control of the Bureau County Sheriffs Office and Bureau County Search and Rescue and I agree to assume the complete risk of injury or damage which I or my horse might sustain while participating in this training, and I will hold the Bureau County Sheriffs Office and Bureau County Search and Rescue and all persons affiliated with the operation of this training free from liability for any injury or damage I might sustain while participating therein.

In consideration for this agreement, the Bureau County Sheriffs Office and Bureau County Search and Rescue agree to provide this search and rescue training and to allow my participation in the same. I agree to allow, and be financially responsible for, any necessary emergency medical treatment by any medical professional or institution in the event of my injury or illness.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY.

Participant's Signature

Date

**Return Completed Form to:
Bureau County Mounted Search and Rescue
20467 2050N Ave
Princeton, IL 61356**