

MARINE RESCUE UNIT

COXSWAIN TRAINING REQUIREMENTS 2008

Trainees must be duty crew invited to undergo Coxswain skipper training.

Item	Operation	
1.	Satisfactory service as RIB skipper for six months.	
2.	Competently operate all radios, GPS, and radar.	
3.	Knowledge of all equipment carried. Detailed knowledge of maintenance/engineering of Rescue Vessel hull and motor.	
4.	Competent in emergency drills.	
5.	Competent driving in river. Figure eights and 180 degree turns. On and off beach in river. Patient pick ups in river.	
6.	Drive RV over bar under varying conditions. Patient pick up at sea. Parallel running.	
7.	Demonstrate competent towing of sail and power vessel over bar to berth in varying conditions. Managing overturned boats at sea.	
8.	Demonstrate competent driving RV at night.	
	*Drive Rescue RV over the bar on ten occasions under varying conditions to the satisfaction of the Training Officer or his appointed delegate.	
9.	Treatment of patient in RV . Carry patient from RV to appropriate wharf.	
10.	SAR techniques, close down procedures, logbook & recordkeeping.	
Additionally		
11.	Demonstrate competent command of RV to the satisfaction of the Training Officer.	
12.	Completion of recognised Inshore Training Course	
	AYF Inshore Certificate of equivalent Current Waterways Authority Boating Licence Current First Aid Certificate Current Advanced Resuscitation Certificate ACA Radiotelephony Certificate Multiple bar crossing can be made on one day but only *ONE crossing can be signed off per day	

Approved by *Training Officer MRU*

Date *00/00/00*