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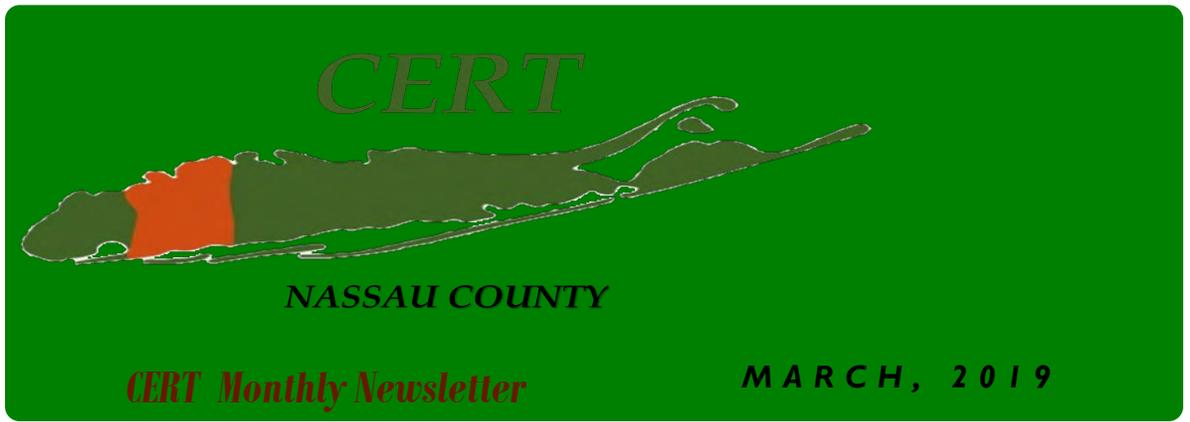
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Nassau County CERT Newsletter

Once again just as we all think and hope that Winter is behind us and Spring is around the corner, we are reminded that March and even into April can bring us snow heavy rains, flooding and freezing temperatures. We must always be prepared for what ever challenges mother nature bring us

In the upcoming months we will have some great opportunities to volunteer at the Long Island Marathon and the Bethpage Credit Union airshow at Jones Beach. We are in the final planning stages for these events and details will be released shortly. Also, we will be conducting out-reach at various events.

In order to keep CERT a vital and dynamic organization, we need to continue adding active members. To this end, a new CERT basic class began on February 27th. A few up coming trainings have been scheduled, on Sunday, March 24, the Department of health will be holding a Stop the Bleed class, see newsletter for details and SKYWARN weather spotter class will be held in late April.

We continue to work on training which we hope will include Pet Sheltering training, CPR/AED/First Aid and fire extinguisher training at the Nassau County FSA. Everything we do seeks to prepare our membership for emergencies big and small. We look forward to offering varied training throughout the year!

Our door is always open please contact Bob, Joshua, Paul or your Division Leaders if you have any concerns, questions we are here for all of you.

Best Regards,

Bob , Joshua & Paul



Class began on Wednesday February 27, 2019 at:

**Office of Emergency Management
510 Grumman Road West
Bethpage, Ny 11714**

CERT Basic Class - Winter 2019

Day / Date	Topic	Class	Location
Wednesday, February 27, 2019	Introduction / What is CERT	1	OEM
Wednesday, March 06, 2019	Fire Safety / Portable Radio Fundamentals	2	OEM
Wednesday, March 13, 2019	Disaster Medical Operations	3	OEM
Wednesday, March 20, 2019	Light Search & Rescue Operations	4	OEM
Wednesday, March 27, 2019	Sheltering Operations	5	OEM
Wednesday, April 03, 2019	Emergency Operations Center / Warehouse	6	OEM
Wednesday, April 10, 2019	Disaster Psychology / Terrorism / Graduation	7	OEM



Spread the Word



STOP
THE BLEED®



MAKE A DIFFERENCE. GET TRAINED.

Sunday, March 24, 9:00-11:00AM:

510 Grumman Road West,
Bethpage, NY 11714.

Tragedy can strike at any time.

Anyone can learn how to control bleeding in an emergency

Receive a free kit with tourniquet and combat gauze.

Register by responding to:

oemcert@nassaucountyny.gov

or call

Lorraine at 516-227-9627

CERT Basic Class Training February 27, 2019

CERT Basic Class # 1

- ◆ **Introduction to CERT**
- ◆ **What is CERT**
- ◆ **NIMS**



Tower Exercise





Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services (RACES)

On February 25th, the RACES and CERT Communications Group met for their monthly meeting at OEM. We had the pleasure of a guest speaker as part of our training portion of the meeting. Ron Tomo KE2UK spoke on MARS (Military Auxiliary Radio System). MARS volunteer operators provide contingency radio communications for our U. S. Department of Defense. Ron touched on what MARS does and how they train and support the DOD when called upon. Also, Ron spoke on how other amateur radio groups assist MARS by supplying county status reports when the need arises. We were honored to have Ron speak at our meeting and thank him for his service. Remember, RACES / CERT Communication Meetings are open to all so check out our schedule of trainings to see what may be of interest to you.





RACES 2019 Trainings



Meeting Date	Training Topic	Individual Responsible	
January 28	ICS Forms	Michael Arcari	Bob Long
February 25		Bob Jordan	
March 18	Leadership	Tom Vaughn	
April 15	Long Island Marathon Planning Meeting	Bob Long	Michael Arcari
May 20	Skywarn - Summer Reportable Criteria	Michael DeMita	
June 17	Interoperability	Michael Arcari	
July 15	Leadership	Tom Vaughn	
August 19	Psychological First Aid	Michael Arcari	
September 16	Preparedness Training	Michael Arcari	
October 21	Skywarn - Winter Reportable Criteria	Michael DeMita	
November 18	Table Top Exercise	Michael Arcari	Ton Vaughn
December 16	Year End Review	Bob Long	Michael Arcari

Other Training Topics	<p><i>Physiological First Aid</i></p> <p><i>Safe Talk</i></p> <p><i>Team building / Leadership (2)</i></p> <p><i>Table Top of some kind</i></p> <p><i>Training on any new equipment we may get</i></p> <p><i>CERT Refresher (broken down to elements, or two months)</i></p> <p><i>Guest Speakers?</i></p> <p><i>Other Ideas</i></p>
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HELP SAVE THE LIFE OF A LOVED ONE!

If you are interested in the Nassau County Overdose Prevention And Naloxone Training at any of the listed locations You must register at: <https://forms.nassaucountyny.gov/agencies/CE/narcan/ontraining.php>

Description:

Overdose prevention workshop with Naloxone/Narcan training. Learn to recognize an overdose and reverse it to save a life. And then, find out what to do next - treatment and recovery options.

Zucker Hillside Hospital
Sloman Auditorium
75-59 263rd Street
Glen Oaks, NY 11004
Monday, March 4, 2019 07:00 PM

Syosset Public Library
225 South Oyster Bay Road
Syosset, NY 11791
Wednesday, April 24, 2019 07:00 PM

Hicksville Public Library
169 Jerusalem Avenue
Hicksville, NY 11801
Thursday, March 7, 2019 07:00 PM

Albertson Fire Department
100 I U Willets Road
Albertson, NY 11507
Monday, May 20, 2019 07:00 PM

Hempstead Lawrence Road Middle School
50 Lawrence Road
Hempstead, NY 11550
Wednesday, March 13, 2019 07:00 PM

Chabad of Port Washington
80 Shore Road
Port Washington, NY 11050
Monday, June 3, 2019 07:00 PM

The Wheatley School
11 Bacon Road
Old Westbury, NY 11568
Wednesday, March 27, 2019 07:00 PM

Port Washington Public Library **Refresher Class**
1 Library Drive
Port Washington, NY 11050
Wednesday, April 3, 2019 07:30 PM

The Life Enrichment Center
45 E Main Street
Oyster Bay, NY 11771
Thursday, April 11, 2019 10:30 AM

Lynbrook Temple Am Echad
South Shore Reform Congregation
1 Saperstein Plaza
Lynbrook, NY 11563

March 2019 - Upcoming Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	CERT Basic Class # 2 Division 1 Meeting	7	8	9
	11	12	13 CERT Basic Class # 3	14	15	16
	18 RACES Meeting 7:30 pm	19	20 CERT Basic Class # 4	21 Officers Meeting 7:30 pm	22	23
24 Stop The Bleed	25	26	27 CERT Basic Class # 5	28	29	30
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Important CERT Dates

Division 1 Meeting

March 6th
Nassau County OEM Lecture Hall
Time: 7:30 pm

RACES Meeting

March 18th
Nassau County OEM Lecture Hall
Time: 7:30 pm

Officers Meeting

March 21st
Nassau County OEM Lecture Hall

Important CERT Dates

Division 3 Meeting either

Tuesday March 26th or Thursday March 28th

To be determined

April 2019 - Upcoming Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 CERT Basic Class # 6	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 CERT Basic Class # 7	11	12	13
14	15 RACES Meeting 7:30 pm	16	17	18 Officers Meeting 7:30 pm	19	
	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 Division 2 Meeting				

Important CERT Dates

RACES Meeting

April 15th
 Nassau County OEM Lecture Hall
 Time: 7:30 pm

Officers Meeting

April 18th
 Nassau County OEM Lecture Hall
 Time: 7:30 pm

Division 2

April 30th



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PLEASE HELP US RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS!!

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(Current CERT Members may attend any class as a refresher)