



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 17 Aug 09 to 23 Aug 09

PEP Region	Search and Rescue			Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills	Motor Vehicle Incidents	Other (floods fire etc.)	General Enquiries and Info
	Air	Land	Inland Water				
Van Island	0	3	0	15	4	0	21
South West	0	9	1	25	0	5	50
Central	0	4	2	8	17	9	70
South East	0	4	2	2	7	0	36
North East	0	0	3	13	7	4	71
North West	0	1	1	8	4	0	54
Headquarters	0	0	0	1	0	0	652
Provincial Weekly Totals	0	21	9	72	39	18	954
Provincial Year to Date	45	361	149	1411	748	289	15685
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	159	3003
Protection Order Registry	208	3736
Problem Wildlife	504	9397
Wildlife Enforcement	111	2001

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 17 AUG 09 TO 23 AUG 09

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
16 19:00 900524 UPDATE	SEA	LAND				1	-1	The SAR in Grand Forks was stood down when the 12 year old child was located deceased.
16 22:11 900525 UPDATE	NWE	LAND		23	1		-1	The search for the missing prospector continued in the Settea Lake area east of Dease Lake. On 17 Aug, a commercial aircraft was contracted to do overflights and the RCMP used a helicopter to search. SAR members were brought in from Smithers, Terrace, Atlin, Prince George, along with SAR members from Kluane and Whitehorse in the Yukon. PEP Air was used to assist with transporting SAR members. On 20 Aug, the individual was located in good condition walking out of the area. He reported that he had taken a fall off a small cliff and had been unconscious for some time.
17 00:42 900526	SWE	LAND	1	4	1			4 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for a hiker that was overcome by darkness in the Cypress Provincial Park. The subject was located successfully and escorted from the area.
17 03:08 900527	NEA	INLAND WATER	4	16	4			3 North Peace SAR, 10 Prince George SAR and 3 PEP Air members responded to search for four missing tubers in Beaton Provincial Park after they failed to show up at their pick-up point. The tubers were located after they walked out to a roadway and were picked up by friends.
17 09:23 900528	VIR	LAND	1	8	1			3 PEMO and 5 Saanich SAR members, Coast Guard and 2 members Central Saanich Fire with their boat responded to search for a missing female on the Pauquachin First Nations Reserve. The subject was located alive and was passed to BCAS for assessment.
17 20:33 900529	SWE	LAND	2	8	2			8 Hope SAR members responded to search for two missing people in the area of Squeah Lake near Yale. The subjects were located alive and well. Their vehicle had broken down and one of the subjects was brought back to town while the second subject opted to stay with the vehicle overnight. They will be making their own arrangements for recovery of the vehicle.
18 17:54 900530	VIR	LAND	2	18	2			18 Campbell River SAR volunteers responded to search for a EPIRB Beacon activation on Mt. Myra. A father and son were located and brought out safely.
18 18:39 900531	SWE	LAND	1	15	1			15 Coquitlam SAR volunteers responded to rescue a 21 year old female who had sustained injuries in a 20 foot fall at Buntzen Lake. SAR was stood down when BCAS was able to get the subject out on their own.
18 19:03 900532	SWE	LAND	2	2	2			2 members of North Shore Rescue responded to investigate a report of two subjects and their dogs off route near the Old BCMC trail on Grouse

								Mountain. Both subjects were escorted back to the parking lot after being located by SAR.	
18 21:38 900533	SWE	LAND	1	1	1			1 Surrey SAR member was contacted regarding a missing elderly male reported to have walked away from his home in Cloverdale. Subject was quickly located by the RCMP and SAR was stood down.	
14 16:18 900515 UPDATE	CTL	INLAND WATER		17			1	-1	10 Hope SAR members recovered the body of the pilot whose helicopter had crashed in the Fraser River near Lytton after it was spotted near Hell's Gate. 7 Kent Harrison SAR volunteers had been placed on stand-by for possible mutual aid.
19 15:26 900534	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	18				1	10 Kamloops SAR volunteers responded along with 8 PEP Air members to search for a missing male whose boat overturned in the river just west of Savona. The RCMP helicopter and river boat responded along with numerous private boaters and 20-30 First Nations Band members. ONGOING.
20 08:56 900535	CTL	LAND	1	29				1	19 Penticton SAR members and 10 PEP Air volunteers responded to search for an 80 year old male missing from the Cherry Park Care Home since 13 Aug. ONGOING.
20 09:35 900536	SEA	LAND	2	4	2				4 Nelson SAR members responded to search for two missing hikers near the MacBeth Ice fields. SAR was stood down as the hikers made it out on their own.
20 15:50 900537	VIR	LAND	1	8				1	8 Powell River SAR members were requested to assist BCAS with an injured male suffering from a possible heart attack. SAR was stood down when it was confirmed that the male had succumbed to his injuries.
20 18:53 900538	SWE	LAND		9					9 Kent Harrison SAR volunteers responded to search for a downed paraglider on the back side of Mount Agassiz. Nothing was located and the team was stood down pending further investigation by the RCMP.
20 21:07 900539	SWE	LAND	2	7	2				7 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for two stranded hikers on Grouse Mountain. The hikers were located uninjured and were escorted out of the area.
21 06:39 900540	SEA	LAND	4	9	4				9 Nelson SAR volunteers responded to search for a woman and her three children after their abandoned vehicle was located near the junction of Hwy 3 and Hwy 6. South Columbia SAR were contacted to provide mutual aid, but were stood down when the family was located and transported to hospital for assessment.
21 09:48 900541	NWE	LAND	4	5	4				5 Bulkley Valley SAR members responded to search for four overdue hikers in the mountain south of Telkwa. They were stood down after the family of the missing hikers hired a helicopter, which managed to locate and bring the subjects out.
21 10:39 900542	NEA	INLAND WATER	3	8	3				8 SAR volunteers from Prince George, Fort St. John and PEP Air responded to search for three boaters overdue on the Pine River in the Taylor area. They were stood down after it was learned that they had

								gotten stuck on a sandbar the previous evening and had then been pulled off in the morning by friends.
21 17:18 900543	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	94			1	94 SAR members from Central Cariboo, 100 Mile House, Williams Lake, Quesnel and Prince George responded to search for a missing fisherman after his canoe was located near Gavin Lake Camp in the Williams Lake area. ONGOING
21 19:36 900544	SEA	LAND	3	2	3			2 Columbia Valley SAR members responded to rescue three hikers from Cobalt Lake in the Bugaboo Provincial Park near Invermere. They were stood down when the Canadian Mountain Holidays Lodge dispatched one of their helicopters to pick the individuals up.
21 21:24 900545	CTL	LAND	1	8	1			8 Central Okanagan SAR volunteers participated in the search for a horseback rider in the Joe Rich area near Kelowna. The individual was located safe and sound.
22 02:44 900546	SWE	LAND	1	7	1			7 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to search for an overdue hiker in Golden Ears Park. The individual was located and brought out of the area in RCMP Air 5.
22 10:19 900547	CTL	LAND	1	14	1			14 Vernon SAR volunteers responded to an RCMP request to search for a missing child in the Salmon River Road area of Armstrong. He was located a short time later in good condition.
22 16:13 900548	CTL	INLAND WATER	3	2	3			2 Penticton Fire Rescue personnel responded to an RCMP request to rescue 3 occupants of a sinking boat on Skaha Lake. The vessel was dragged ashore by another vessel.
22 18:56 900549	SEA	LAND	1	1	1			1 Revelstoke SAR member responded to a request to assist with an injured ATV rider after an emergency assist signal was received. SAR was stood down when the RCMP managed to retrieve the individual and transport them to BCAS.
22 19:35 900550	SWE	LAND	2	10	2			10 Lions Bay SAR volunteers responded to assist two hikers who became disoriented on The Lions. SAR members were transported in by helicopter. The hikers managed to join up with other hikers in the area and declined transport out.
23 17:36 900551	CTL	LAND	1	16	1			5 Oliver SAR and 11 Penticton SAR members responded to assist BCAS with a 50 year old female who has fallen off her horse and has lost consciousness. SAR was stood down as BCAS was able to land a helicopter at the scene.
23 15:19 900552	NWE	INLAND WATER	1	8	1			8 Terrace SAR members responded to assist the RCMP with a suicidal male in the Skeena River near Ferry Island. The subject was rescued at his request upon contact.
23 20:25 900553	SEA	INLAND WATER	1	8	1			8 New Denver Fire Rescue members responded to rescue a kite boarder in Slocan Lake. Kite Boarder swam to shore and was in good condition.
23 21:54 900554	SEA	INLAND WATER		4				4 Nelson SAR members responded to a flare sighting on Kootenay Lake. After searching the lake using FLIR system the search was stood down pending further evidence of missing person.

23 22:12 900555	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	8			1	8 Coquitlam SAR members responded to search for an overdue 58 year old fisherman on Munro Lake. ONGOING
WEEK TOTAL		30	49	391	45	3	1	ELT - 0
YEAR TO DATE		555	668	5442	614	38	16	ELT - 38

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BODY RECOVERY

On 19 Aug, Hope SAR responded to an RCMP request to conduct a body recovery in the Fraser River near Yale. Kent Harrison and Chilliwack SAR assisted along with RCMP air 4 and the body was recovered and transported to the Hope launch site for handover to RCMP.

INTERFACE FIRES

On 20 Aug 2009, an interface fire #C50418 was reported in the Cariboo Regional District at Scum Lake. 13 recreational cabins and a total of 6 people were evacuated.

On 21 Aug 2009, an interface fire #C40429 at Kelly Creek was reported in the Thompson-Nicola and Squamish Lillooet Regional Districts..

On 22 Aug 2009, an interface fire #K21478 at Fadear Creek was reported in the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 22 Aug 2009, an interface fire #K21524 Lions Head at Pritchard was reported in the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 22 Aug 2009, an interface fire #K21466 was reported on Mara Mountain at the north east corner of Kamloops Lake in the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 22 Aug 2009, an interface fire #K31483 was reported at Notch Hill, Sorrento in the Columbia Shuswap Regional District.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 19 Aug. Prince George SAR responded to an RCMP request for an evidence search in the city area.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
17	Kelowna	105 people
17	Quesnel	8 people
18	Vancouver	0 people
20	Prince George	14 people
20	Merritt	2 people
20	Maple Ridge	14 people
22	Westbank	2 people