



LIFESAVING SOCIETY  
*The Lifeguarding Experts*

## **LEADERSHIP RECERTIFICATIONS - SPRING 2017**

### **JANUARY 9, 2017**

The Lifesaving Society is excited to announce the launch of the 2017/2018 Leadership Recert cycle.

#### **Lifesaving Instructors (LSIs) and First Aid Instructors (FAIs)**

Nothing has changed for your recertification requirements; you will continue to recertify as your certification expires.

Please note that you are able to continue teaching after April 1, 2017 as long as you have completed your First Aid/CPR Update.

#### **National Lifeguard Instructors (NLIs) and National Lifeguard Recert Conductors (NLRCs)**

You will be required to recertify between April 1 and June 30, 2017 in order to continue teaching after June 30, 2017.

Please note that you must complete your First Aid/CPR Update by March 31, 2017. The First Aid/CPR Update is a pre-requisite to your NLI recertification.

Only NLIs and NLRCs who recertify before June 30<sup>th</sup> can teach NL courses and NL Precert/Recerts after June 30, 2017.

Please update your personal information on-line so that we have the most current way of getting in touch with you surrounding information about this recertification cycle.

NLIs and NLRCs must bring proof of completion for the First Aid/CPR Update, a pocket mask, the Alert Manual and NL Award Guide to your recertification and be prepared to go in the water.

#### **ALL Instructor Trainers for Lifesaving (LSITs), First Aid (FAITs) and National Lifeguard (NLITs)**

You will be required to recertify between April 1 and June 30, 2017 in order to continue teaching after June 30, 2017.

Please note that you must complete your First Aid/CPR Update by March 31, 2017. The First Aid/CPR Update is a pre-requisite to your LSIT, FAIT & NLIT recertification.

Only Instructor Trainers who recertify before June 30<sup>th</sup> can teach their respective stream's courses and recertifications after June 30, 2017.

Please update your personal information on-line so that we have the most current way of getting in touch with you surrounding information about this recertification cycle.

All Instructor Trainers must bring proof of completion for the First Aid/CPR Update, a pocket mask, all relevant manuals and Award Guides to your recertification. LSITs and NLITs please be prepared to go in the water.

Please contact the Branch office at 604-299-5450 if you have any questions.

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## Lower Mainland Instructors and Instructor Trainers

All recertifications will be delivered by Affiliates (municipalities and local pools) in the Lower Mainland beginning **April 1, 2017**. Please check our website for dates, times, locations and fees (lifesaving.bc.ca).

## Regional Instructors & Instructor Trainers

For your convenience, this year we will be combining the Leadership Recerts with the Regional Affiliate meetings in Regions where space is available to do so. Dates, times, locations and costs are listed below.

**Registration for Branch-run recertifications starts: February 15, 2017**

Registration will be limited to 12 participants in each stream.

### KOOTENAYS

Dates: **April 7-9, 2017**

Location: Creston & District Community Complex (Creston)

Affiliate Meeting	April 7	12:00pm – 4:00pm	
LSI/LSIT	April 8	8:00am – 12:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
FAI/FAIT	April 8	2:00pm – 6:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
NLI/NLIT	April 9	8:00am – 1:00pm	\$110 (incl. GST)

### THOMPSON / OKANAGAN

Dates: **April 21-23, 2017**

Location: Canada Games Aquatic Centre (Kamloops)

Affiliate Meeting	April 21	12:00pm – 4:00pm	
LSI/LSIT	April 22	8:00am – 12:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
FAI/FAIT	April 22	2:00pm – 6:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
NLI/NLIT	April 23	8:00am – 1:00pm	\$110 (incl. GST)

### NORTHERN BC

Dates: **April 24-26, 2017**

Location: Four Seasons Aquatic Centre (Prince George)

Affiliate Meeting	April 24	5:00pm – 9:00pm	
LSI/LSIT	April 25	8:00am – 12:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
FAI/FAIT	April 25	2:00pm – 6:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
NLI/NLIT	April 26	8:00am – 1:00pm	\$110 (incl. GST)

### ISLAND North and South Island Affiliate Meeting dates, times and locations: TBA

Dates: **April 29-30, 2017**

Location: Ravensong (Qualicum Beach)

LSI/LSIT	April 29	8:00am – 12:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
FAI/FAIT	April 29	2:00pm – 6:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)
NLI/NLIT	April 30	8:00am – 1:00pm	\$110 (incl. GST)

### YUKON

Dates: **May 11-12, 2017**

Location: Whitehorse Aquatic Centre (Whitehorse)

NLI/NLIT	May 11	4:30pm – 9:30pm	\$110 (incl. GST)
LSI/LSIT	May 12	9:00am – 1:00pm	\$100 (incl. GST)

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# 2017 Leadership Recertification Timeline

## LOWER MAINLAND AFFILIATES AND INSTRUCTORS

All ITs & Instructors may continue teaching courses only if First Aid/CPR Update completed

Window for Affiliate-run LSIT, FAIT, NLIT, & NLI recertification (Check lifesaving.bc.ca)

Training of Branch ITs

2017/2018 Recertification Guides available online

March 3

April 1

April 30

June 30

## REGIONAL AFFILIATES AND INSTRUCTORS

February 15

Registration opens for Branch-run recertifications

April 7

May 12

Branch-run LSIT/LSIT, FAI/FAIT, NLI/NLIT recertifications and training of Branch ITs (Check schedule for your region)

All ITs & Instructors may continue teaching courses only if First Aid/CPR Update completed

Window for Affiliate-run LSIT, FAIT, NLIT, & NLI recertification (Check lifesaving.bc.ca)