



**To: SCHMRT Members and Administrators**  
**From: Gerry Gray, Operations Director**  
**Date: Saturday, November 21, 2009**  
**Subject: November 2009 SCHMRT Drill Recap**

**[Drill Attendance Roster and Drill Sign-in Sheet both attached]**

## [DRILL RECAP](#)

On November 18, 2009, 31 members of the SCHMRT assembled at RFD Station 8 for the regular monthly drill which started at 0900 hrs. CalFire, Shasta County Fire, Red Bluff Fire, and Redding Fire were represented.

The drill topic again was "circuit stations" and members rotated through six (6) different stations: SUITS, MEDICAL MONITORING, HM24 CAB OPERATIONS, HM24 TECHNICAL REFERENCE ROOM OPERATIONS, MEMBER EXPECTATIONS, UNKNOWN PRODUCT ID.

### **STATION 1: SUITS (R. MOORE)**

This station was primarily intended to give new members the opportunity for some Level A "suit time". Once encapsulated, members were presented with some basic obstacles and tasks to complete.

### **STATION 2: MEDICAL MONITORING (K. JOHNSON)**

Medical monitoring is required prior to and after any HM operation. The purpose of this station was to medically check all of our members – as expected, all were medically qualified for any HM operation.



### **STATION 3: HM24 CAB OPERATIONS (K. WARD)**

Kevin went through HM24 and discussed with the membership all of the bells and whistles of the truck in the cab and around the cab.

### **STATION 4: HM24 TECH REF ROOM OPERATIONS (R. VALLES)**

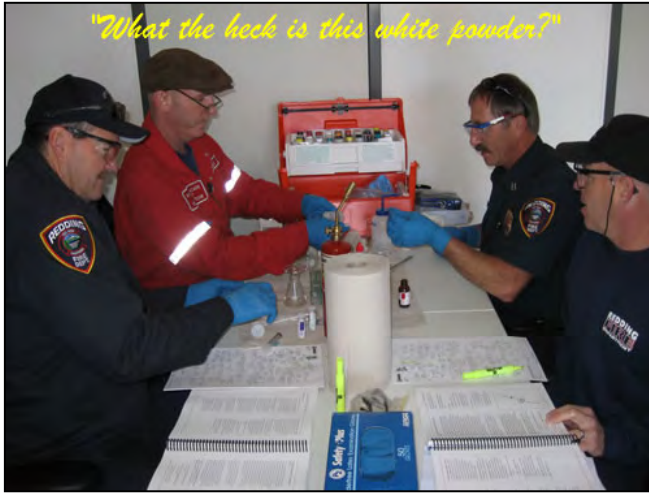
Rik took all members through the Tech Ref Room on HM24 and

showed them all of the new changes that we have completed over the past few months and our plan for basic tech ref operations.

### STATION 5: MEMBER EXPECTATIONS (GRAY)

I spent several minutes with all of the members identifying my expectations for their participation on the SCHMRT. Obviously, first and foremost is a healthy attendance to SCHMRT functions (such as drills). As discussed, we expect that each member attend a minimum of eight (8) 1-day drills per year. Then we addressed the nuts-n-bolts requirements, such as the annual HM physicals and fit-testing requirements. Lastly, I urged all of our members to find a SCHMRT workgroup to help with.

### STATION 6: UNKNOWN PRODUCT ID (S. HOWARD/M. BLAIR)



Non-dairy creamer may seem like one of the simplest compounds around, but under the scrutiny of the tests available to our team it is a complex compound that proved challenging to identify. You may never have thought of it as such but there is an organic portion, there is an inorganic portion, and there is a biological (protein) portion involved. So, my choice for "mystery chemical of the month" proved to stump everyone and throw

false positives all over the spectrum. Still, good experience and discussion was gained as the members worked through the Haz Cat steps of identification.

### TEAM MEETING RECAP

Following the training part of the day, all members and I huddled for a team meeting. This was a good opportunity to revisit all aspects of the team. Some suggestions from the membership that will be incorporated into future drills:

- Draeger tube refresher
- Marplot/Aloha software refresher
- Communications (BK & Kenwood) radio refresher
- SCSO Robot demonstration
- Members would like to see more in-suit training opportunities

We discussed scheduling the annual suit-testing for the December drill. With the personnel available we should make short order of this task.

A point was brought up by one of the members that CHP might use a different set of criteria for medical monitoring than SCHMRT does. No CHP

representatives could attend this drill (they all were on assignment), but I assured the membership that we would follow-up on this and clarify.

HM24 has a detailed cab-tilt instruction placard which has always been loosely kept under the driver's seat. A good suggestion from one member was to have it mounted near the cab-tilt controls on the cab so you can reference it prior to tilting the cab (as it likely had been intended). My response was "duh!" – (it's in the works.)

Following drill dismissal, some of our members stayed for a 30 minute presentation by Code 3 for a Cure, a fire service non-profit designed to assist firefighters with cancer. For more information, please contact:

**Code 3 for a Cure Foundation**

(909) 732-8744

[firefighters@code3foracure.org](mailto:firefighters@code3foracure.org)

[www.code3foracure.org](http://www.code3foracure.org)

## GENERAL SCHMRT UPDATE

The team continues to work very hard on the inventory for HM-24. I am pleased with the efforts and results and feel that we have a good grasp on the inventory and condition of our equipment on HM-24. Many thanks to our members for taking on the essential project.

### 1. Workgroup Leaders/Managers:

- Andy Reiling: SCBAs
- Kevin Ward: Documents and Forms
- Cyndi Freeman: Member Records
- Rod Moore: Suits and Suit Maintenance
- Rob Pitt: Inventory Management
- Kyle Johnson: Communications Equipment
- Rik Valles: Technical Reference
- Scott Packwood: HM24 Apparatus Issues

The Team Leaders are those individuals who continue to make things happen on this team. It is truly a thankless job, but I do want to take a moment and thank each and every one of the SCHMRT Workgroup Leaders and encourage them to continue in their assignments.

### 2. SCHMRT.ORG

Reminder to visit the team website at [www.schmrt.org](http://www.schmrt.org) regularly for updates.

### 3. Future Drills

We are considering a trip to Butte County in the months to come to train alongside the Butte Co Haz Mat Team. Also, we discussed a drill

in an icy/snowy location (such as Siskiyou Co in the winter) for the experience in such environment – we actually never have deployed in such conditions for a Level A entry.

As always, I am available for any questions and/or comments about the SCHMRT.

*Gerry*

**Next drill is "Circuit Stations" at  
RFD Station 8 on December 16, 2009 at 0900 hrs.**

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# SCHMRT DRILL ATTENDANCE ROSTER 2009

MEMBER	AGENCY	CREDITS	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	LEGEND
Boshell, John	SCFD	8		3	1	1	1	1			1				X = No. of Credits
Freeman, Cyndi	MFPD	10	3	3	1				1	1	1				Work or Incident
															Drill Cancelled
Ciapponi, Nick	CDF/SHU	4						1	1		1	1			Vacation
Corn, Scott	CDF/SHU	12	3	4		1	1	1	1		1				Sick/Injury
Haker, Jeromy	CDF/SHU	7		4					1		1	1			Other Training
Johnson, Kyle	CDF/SHU	7	1	1		1	1			1	1		1		Not Member
Lazzari, Dustin	CDF/SHU	8	1	4		1						1	1		
Mobley, Jim	CDF/SHU	8	1	4		1	1				1				Updated 11/21/09
Quigley, Garrett	CDF/SHU	11	3	4	1		1	1					1		
Reginatto, Corado	CDF/SHU	11	3	4		1	1					1	1		
Reid, Bill	CDF/SHU	8		4		1	1		1		1				
Reiling, Andy	CDF/SHU	9	3			1	1	1	1		1	1			
Swensen, Clint	CDF/SHU	7		4		1	1		1						
Whitehurst, Tim	CDF/SHU	12	3	4	1	1			1		1		1		
Bymer, Peter	CDF/TGU	1	1												
Pasillas, Gerrad	CDF/TGU	0													
Becker, Robert	CDF/TGU	4							1	1		1	1		
Frits, Mark	CDF/TGU	7		4					1			1	1		
Stroing, Tom	CDF/TGU	7				1	1		1	1	1	1	1		
Vance, Byron	CDF/TGU	7		4							1	1	1		
Lazarich, Sam	CDF/TGU	1												1	
Packwood, Scott	CDF/LMU	5			1	1					1	1	1		
Martin, Doug	CDF/LMU	3									1	1	1		
Cummings, Keith	CDF/SKU	4								1	1	1	1		
Anderson, Mike	RFD	3								1	1	1			
Bates, Rich	RFD	9		4		1	1		1	1			1		
Blair, Mike	RFD	13	3		1	1	3		1	1	1	1	1		
Carter, Randy	RFD	11	3	4	1	1	1							1	
Coleman, Sean	RFD	11	3		1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1		
Flader, Steve	RFD	12	3			1	3		1	1	1	1	1		
Foley, Jason	RFD	10	3			1	3		1		1	1			
Frank, Rob	RFD	10		4	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Freeman, Daryl	RFD	9	3	3					1	1	1				

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Jentzen, Dan	RFD	14	3	4	1	1	1	1			1	1	1		Vacation
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Moore, Rod	RFD	14	3	4	1	1	1	1	1			1	1		
Nardo, Ryan	RFD	10		4	1	1			1	1	1	1			Updated 11/21/09
Pitt, Rob	RFD	5							1	1	1	1	1		
Plummer, Shawn	RFD	8		4					1		1	1	1		
Sawyer, Mike	RFD	8	3		1				1	1	1		1		
Schreiber, Lonnie	RFD	7	1		1		3				1		1		
Stoke, Jeremy	RFD	4			1		3								
Utveck, Ron	RFD	12	3	4		1			1	1	1	1			
Valles, Rik	RFD	12	1	4	1		1		1	1	1	1	1		
Ward, Kevin	RFD	13	3	4	1				1	1	1	1	1		
Rogers, Adrian	SLC	2						1			1				
Carr, David	RBFD	1										1			
Shobash, Matthew	RBFD	3									1	1	1		
Bellinger, Jason	AFD	0													
Fincher, Howard	AFD	1										1			
Zufall, John	SCSO	8	1	4			1			1	1				
Boyes, Bill	CHP	14	3	4	1	1	1	1	1		1	1			
Joiner, Steve	CHP	10	3	4			1	1			1				
Rickard, Ken	CHP	11	3	4	1			1			1	1			
Ross, Greg	CHP	11	3	4			1	1		1		1			
Scott, Jim	CHP	1										1			

# SCHMRT Training Sign-in Sheet (11/18/2009)

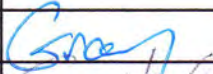


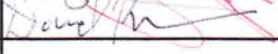
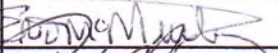
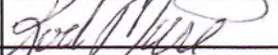



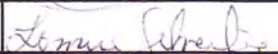
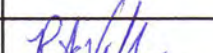
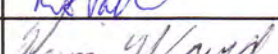
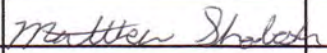
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Mobley, Jim	CDF/SHU			
Quigley, Garrett	CDF/SHU	<del><i>Garrett Quigley</i></del>		
Reginatto, Corado	CDF/SHU	<i>Corado Reginatto</i>		
Reid, Bill	CDF/SHU			
Reiling, Andy	CDF/SHU	<i>Dr. App.</i>		
Swensen, Clint	CDF/SHU			
Whitehurst, Tim	CDF/SHU	<i>Tim Whitehurst</i>		
Bymer, Peter	CDF/TGU			
Pasillas, Gerrad	CDF/TGU			
Becker, Robert	CDF/TGU	<i>Robert Becker</i>		
Frits, Mark	CDF/TGU	<i>Mark Frits</i>		570-1122
Stroing, Tom	CDF/TGU	<i>Tom Stroing</i>		526-1303
Vance, Byron	CDF/TGU	<i>Byron Vance</i>		
Cummings, Keith	CDF/SKU	<i>Keith Cummings</i>		340-0290
Packwood, Scott	CDF/LMU			
Martin, Doug	CDF/LMU	<i>Doug Martin</i>		
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