



SES

STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE - KALBARRI

November 2013

Operational Call Outs :- None in October

Training and other activities :-

3rd - 6th October. Rope Rescue Systems 4 day Course.

This course trains volunteers in the systems used in cliff rescue situations. From safety issues, anchor selection, setup of anchors, use of different equipment in differing situations and set up of all necessary rope systems.

The course was held at the unit and out on location at Hawks Head where trainees rotated round the different task positions as multiple rescue scenarios were accomplished.

Volunteers from Kalbarri and Geraldton successfully completed the course.

14th October. 'All things rope' refresher training and post formal course assessments also basic knots and rope systems.

28th October Multiple team challenges over multiple disciplines. Four teams of mixed capabilities competed against each other round four challenges. Lower and then raise a 50kg weight from the top of the training tower, First Aid assessment and extraction of 'injured' victim in vehicle, setup extended self equalizing anchor and 3/5 to 1 haulage systems. And radio communications tests to accommodate challenges when communications are not crisp and clear. The four challenges enabled skills to be picked up quickly from those who knew to those who didn't.



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November 2013 Activities

Date	Time	Activity	Organiser(s)
Sunday 10th	08:00	Rope Training at location—all rope personnel	Steve C
Monday 11th	18:45	Search Scenario - River area - Flood Boat & Zodiac.	Steve C
11th-17th		SES week culminating in BBQ on Sunday 15:00	Mac
Monday 25th	18:45	First Aid Refresher	Steve C

Want to learn new skills? - Are you up to the challenge ? - Join us - phone 0417994277.



SES WEEK 2013

**11 th - 17 th
NOVEMBER**

Kalbarri SES Unit

**Invite - Members Families, Employers and Supporters
To a Family BBQ**

3pm Sunday 17th November at 11, Magee Crescent

Confirm BBQ numbers - SMS to 0417994277 or kalbarrises@westnet.com.au

-- Thank you Kalbarri Community for your continued support --

-- Come along to see what we do and join us at this Family BBQ --