



**Central Okanagan SAR
and the
British Columbia Tracking Association
present**



**Novice / Track Aware / Tracker
Friday, April 11, 2025 - Sunday, April 13, 2025**

Course Description: See Course Descriptions on the BCTA website for details (www.bctracking.org)

Location: Central Okanagan SAR Hall (the Barn), 4680 Old Vernon Rd, Kelowna

Course Times: Sign-in and Registration Friday 18:00. Class hours: Friday 18:00 to 22:00, Saturday 08:00 to 22:00, Sunday 08:00 to 14:00, (including breaks).

Course Fees: Tuition is \$200.00 (Non-refundable) for current BCTA members; \$400.00 for non-members. Payment must accompany your registration form and be submitted at least two weeks prior to the course. This covers course materials and instructor reimbursement. The fee will only be refunded if the course is cancelled.

Meals:
To be determined.

Accommodations:

Equipment: Bring GSAR daypacks and be ready to conduct training in any weather conditions. Bring a sharp-focus flashlight (not a bulls-eye), tracking stick, tape measure, compass, notepad and pencil, safety glasses, energy snacks, and water bottles for in the field. GPS is optional, but recommended.

Membership: Membership in the BC Tracking Association provides you with a 50% discount on the course tuition. Memberships are good until December 31st of the year in which they were purchased. Memberships must be purchased 2 weeks in advance of the course from www.bctracking.org
1-year membership is \$15
3-year membership is \$40

**Complete the attached registration form and submit it along with the course fee(s) no later than
Friday March 28, 2025**

Cheques Payable To: Central Okanagan Search and Rescue

Mail To: Suite 260, 101-1865 Dilworth Drive,
Kelowna, BC, V1Y 9T1

**Questions? Need more Information? Contact Brian Stainsby
Email: bstainsby@cosar.ca or call 2503170378**

BC TRACKING ASSOCIATION -- COURSE APPLICATION

COURSE NAME		COURSE DATE	
Novice / Track Aware / Tracker		Friday, April 11, 2025	
APPLICANT INFORMATION: Must be aged 19 or 16-18 with parental consent			
Search and Rescue Group (No abbreviations please) or Employer/Sponsor:			
*Note that students who are not members of an EMBC-recognized Search and Rescue group will need to sign an additional Convergent Volunteer Registration form and liability waiver when arriving for the course.			
First name		Last name	
Emergency Contact Name		Emergency contact number	
Dietary Considerations (Allergies, vegetarian, etc.)			
HOME ADDRESS INFORMATION			
My information is already correct (Skip the section below)			
Street Address			
City or town		Postal code	
Phone (home)		Phone (Cell)	
Email Address			
TRAINING BACKGROUND			
CERTIFICATION / QUALIFICATION		YEAR OBTAINED	CERTIFYING ORGANIZATION
Ground Search and Rescue			
Track Aware (or equivalent)			
Tracker / TK1 (or equivalent)			
Advanced Tracker / TK2 (or equivalent)			
Sign cutter (or equivalent)			
COURSE COSTS			
ITEM	COST		AMOUNT INCLUDED
Course Tuition	\$200 / \$400 for non-members		
	0.00		
	0.00		
Other costs (if applicable)	0.00		
	TOTAL		
SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS			
BY EMAIL		HARD-COPY	
Email money transfers and completed forms to treasurer@cosar.ca		Send cheques and completed forms to Suite 260, 101-1865 Dilworth Drive, Kelowna, BC, V1Y 9T1	
		Cheques must be payable to Central Okanagan Search and Rescue	

COMPLETED FORMS AND PAYMENT MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 2025-Mar-28