



Vernon SAR
and the
British Columbia Tracking Association
present



Track Aware / Tracker Vernon

Friday, September 11, 2026 - Sunday, September 13, 2026

- Course Description:** See Course Descriptions on the BCTA website for details (www.bctracking.org)
- Location:** Vernon SAR, 5150 Silver Star Rd., Vernon
- Course Times:** Sign-in and Registration Friday 19:00 Class hours: Friday 19:00 to 22:00, Saturday 08:00 to 22:00, Sunday 08:00 to 14:00 (including breaks).
- Course Fees:** Tuition is \$225.00 (Non-refundable) plus a 1 or 3 year membership if you are in a SAR group; \$450.00 plus a 1 or 3 year membership for persons outside of SAR. 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:** An optional meal plan is available for \$45.00
Includes Sat dinner at the hall; drinks and snacks for Friday eve, Sat am and Sun am (ie: coffee and muffins). Let coordinator know if you have any dietary restrictions.
- Accommodations:** Suggestions: <https://www.cedarfalls.ca>
<https://camping.bcparks.ca>
<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/yvefi-fairfield-inn-and-suites-vernon/overview/?scid=f2ae0541-1279-4f24-b197-a979c79310b0>
- 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:** 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 August 21, 2026**

Cheques Payable To: Vernon Search & Rescue Group Society
Mail To: 5150 Silver Star Rd.
Vernon, BC V1B 3K4

**Questions? Need more Information? Contact Lisa Thompson
Email: Dizzielizzie@gmail.com or call 2503066036**

BC TRACKING ASSOCIATION -- COURSE APPLICATION

COURSE NAME		COURSE DATE	
Track Aware / Tracker Vernon		Friday, September 11, 2026	
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	\$225 / \$450 for non-members		
Meal plan (optional)	45.00		
	0.00		
Other costs (if applicable)	0.00		
	TOTAL		
SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS			
BY EMAIL		HARD-COPY	
Email money transfers and completed forms to Not Available		Send cheques and completed forms to 5150 Silver Star Rd. Vernon, BC V1B 3K4 Cheques must be payable to Vernon Search & Rescue Group Society	

COMPLETED FORMS AND PAYMENT MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 2026-Aug-21