



# 2015 Riverside Explorer Competition



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**\*\*Please log onto [RPDONLINE.ORG](http://RPDONLINE.ORG) for registration and fees\*\***

## **IMPORTANT DATES AND TIMES:**

### **Registration Packet Pick-up:**

Friday, September 18, 2015, 1800-2100

Hyatt Place Riverside/Downtown – Room TBD

3500 Market Street, Riverside, CA 92501

(951) 321-3500

### **Day One:**

Saturday, September 19, 2015, 0730 –1700

Scenarios, Oral Panel, and Report Writing

### **Day Two:**

Sunday, September 20, 2015, 0730 – 1500

Physical Agility Courses and Award Ceremony

### **Location:**

Hillcrest High School

11800 Indiana Ave

Riverside, CA 92503

## **OVERVIEW:**

The Riverside Police Explorer Post 714 is hosting the first annual Police Explorer Competition being held Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> 2015. The competition will be located at Hillcrest High School in the City of Riverside.

This 2-day competition will consist of over 15 different events in the field of Law Enforcement. During the first day, Explorers will be faced with several scenarios, which will be evaluated for their personal or team's success. The second day will consist of physical agility courses for both Explorers and Officers.

In the evening on September 19<sup>th</sup> after the competition, please join all explorers for a fun filled evening at Castle Park Amusement Center.

In the afternoon of the last day, all Explorers will attend an award ceremony where the best individuals and teams will receive medals and trophies. 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> place awards will be given for each individual event and overall post scores. Explorer Posts must participate in all of the events to be eligible for the overall trophy. Riverside Police Explorers will not be competing in any of the events.

Class A uniform is preferred for awards ceremony on Day 2.

## **RULES:**

**All scenario and event judges have final say and their decisions will stand.**

- The events will be judged and graded by Police Officers and Volunteers from the Riverside Police Department. Please note that some events are subject to change and/or cancellation.
- Each participating Explorer Post must provide their own training weapons and any additional items (flashlights, handcuffs, etc....) required. **All training weapons must be clearly marked and painted so they can't be mistaken for an actual weapon. NO AIRSOFT GUNS PERMITTED!**
- Each participant must turn in the required medical and release of liability paperwork before entering the competition.

## **SECURITY NOTICE:**

The Riverside Police Explorer Competition will only be accessible to paid participants and one free guest per post. All competitors and advisors will register prior to entering the competition. Due to the safety of our Explorers, Officers and staff, non-registered persons will not be allowed entry. Security measures will be in place to confirm the identity of every person on the campus.

Designated **COLD ZONE** Areas will be clearly posted. **COLD ZONE** specifically means no firearms permitted by evaluators, advisors, or other personnel inside the scenario. This is planned out for the safety of everyone based on the events scenarios.

**Registration Fees:**

\$90 per person for all Advisors and Explorers

Registration includes: t-shirt, lanyard, lunch for both days, and Castle Park Amusement Park Ticket good for only the evening of September 19<sup>th</sup> after competition. (Must show wristband with ticket)

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**Refund Deadline:**

June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015- Must be received in writing



**Domestic Violence:**

A team of 2 Explorers with an optional back-up team of 2 additional Explorers will be dispatched to an unknown Domestic Violence call. The team must determine the situation and take appropriate action. (Maximum time limit 10 min.)

**Felony Traffic Stop:**

A team of 2 Explorers with an optional back-up team of 2 additional Explorers will conduct a Felony Stop on a wanted suspect and vehicle. The team must determine the situation and take appropriate action. (Maximum time limit 10 min.)

**Unknown Risk Traffic Stop:                    \*COLD ZONE\***

A team of 2 Explorers with an optional back-up team of 2 additional Explorers will conduct a traffic stop for a vehicle code violation. The team must react to the scenario as it develops. The team must determine the situation and take appropriate action. (Maximum time limit 10 min.)

**Crime Scene Investigation:**

A team of 4 to 5 Explorers will respond to investigate a standardized crime scene. The graders and judges will provide details of the crime. (Maximum time limit 10 min.)

**Building Search:**

A team of 4 to 5 Explorers will respond to an audible alarm call and will search a building of unknown size and configuration. The team will attempt to locate possible suspects hidden inside. (Maximum time limit 10 min.)

**Airsoft Shooting:**

A minimum of 2 explorers and maximum of 5 explorers per post will be scored on their individual performance. Air soft guns will be used to shoot targets at medium range. The five highest scores in the competition will win awards. **\*\*Airsoft guns will be provided, please do not bring your own\*\***

**Team Obstacle Course:**

A team of 4 Explorers will race through a timed course and may assist each other during difficult stages. **Each team must have a minimum of 1 female competing.**

**Individual Obstacle Course: \*\*\*\*(Advisors and Explorers)**

1 female and 1 male per post will race through a timed course individually. Each competitor will be scored separately. There must also be 1 female advisor and 1 male advisor competing.

**Bicycle Course: \*\*\*\*(Advisors and Explorers)**

A team of 2 will race through a timed bicycle course, which will include cones, curbs, and various obstacles. The team will be scored on their accumulative times. There must also be a team of 2 advisors.

**Tug of War:**

A maximum of 5 Explorers from each post can participate in a fire hose pull. This event will also be open for agencies and Officers to challenge each other.

**Report Writing:**

Competitors will be given details of a crime and asked to write a complete and detailed police report. All competitors will test at the same time and the best individual score per post will be accepted. 30 minute time limit (2 explorers per post)

## **LODGING:**

### **Hosting Hotel:**

Hyatt Place Riverside/Downtown

3500 Market Street, Riverside, CA 92501

(951) 321-3500

**\*\*Explorer Posts will receive a special discounted rate for the competition dates**

### **Local Recommended Hotels:**

Mission Inn Hotel/Spa

3649 Mission Inn Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501

(951) 784-0300

Marriott Riverside at the Convention Center

3400 Market Street, Riverside, CA 92501

(951) 784-8000

Hampton Inn & Suites

4250 Riverwalk Parkway, Riverside, CA 92505

(951) 352-5020

**All paperwork needs to be mailed to:**

Officer Katie Mendonca

4102 Orange St.

Riverside, CA 92501

**Any questions please contact:**

Officer Katie Mendonca at 951-826-5544 or [KMendonca@riversideca.gov](mailto:KMendonca@riversideca.gov)