

5th Annual NAPCH UP Regional Seminar

Where: **NEW LOCATION** Escanaba, Michigan.

When: May 14 & 15, 2020.

Start time on the 14th will be 9:30am

This year the U P seminar has been moved to Escanaba, MI. The area around Escanaba has quite a few K9 teams that we are hoping can attend the seminar. Delta Force Security out of Gladstone has stepped up to host the seminar. Delta Force has numerous contacts in the area and has secured numerous training sites in the area for us to use.

All teams will meet at the UP Michigan fairgrounds on May 14th at 9:30 am. We will meet by the grand stands off of 12th Ave North. Training the 14th will take place at the fairgrounds and a local trucking company that's approximately half a mile from the fairgrounds. Day 2 of the seminar will take place at Delta Force headquarters in Gladstone, MI as well as a Dock area on Lake Michigan. Delta Force is having a ship docked for detection work at the lake.

Training for the 2 days will consist of detection (narcotics/explosives), aggression control and real life scenarios for patrol work. Delta Force is working on having a blast site for the explosive dogs to run a post blast exercise.

As in the past , the seminar is open to all NAPCH members. We will NOT be doing any certification during the seminar. All equipment and aids will be provided along with lunch and dinner on Thursday the 14th. Anyone attending is responsible for arranging their own hotel accommodations. The following are the Master Trainers to contact to

let us know if you will be attending along with hotel and site addresses for the seminar.

Master Trainers

Mark Wilkes ph# 313-570-2660

Marty Munger ph# 906-458-6542

Gordon Morse ph# 313-218-1435

Hotel and Site information:

Adobe Hotel- 26 Lowrie Ave Gladstone, Michigan. Ph# 906-428-3170. A block of rooms has been set aside for the seminar. Room pricing- double \$89.70/ single \$80.63, this the total price at government rate. Bring a crate for your partner. When making your reservation tell them you are with the NAPCH group. If you don't you will not get this rate. Please make your reservation ASAP. The block of rooms will be dropped on the first of May so the hotel can book for other guests.

U P Michigan State Fair- 2401 12th Ave. Escanaba, Michigan.

Delta Force Security- 4 Tipperary Gladstone, Michigan.

Ph# 906-399-4383

Contact any of the Master Trainers for questions concerning the training seminar.

MT Mark Wilkes