



Registration Form 2020

Basic Skills Workshop: Prepares the practitioner for Basic facilitation & technical skills & Level 1 Certification (Includes static and dynamic set-up & operational systems)

Please complete this form for each participant. Please fax to 512-858-2365 or mail registration to PO Box 1074, Dripping Springs, TX. 78620 Attention: Open Enrollment. Should you have any questions about registration, please call 512-894-0936. **Payment or purchase order must be received with the registration form to secure your enrollment spot.**

Name: _____ Organization: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Course	Date(s)	Registration	Total
Basic Skills Workshop & LV 1 certification	April 27 th to May 1st, 2020 (Monday-Friday)	\$525.00	
Early Bird with 30 day Advance Purchase by March 27 th , 2020	April 27 th to May 1st, 2020 (Monday-Friday)	\$480.00	
TOTAL AMOUNT			

Please make checks payable to: Rope Works Inc.

Level 1 Testing is a written & practical examination conducted at the end of the training that will issue the practitioner an ACCT accredited certification with Rope Works as the Certifying Body. This certification **expires one year from the date received**, and you must meet the Re-certification criteria for Practitioner Certification to renew your certification. If you do not feel you can meet the criteria or do not want to test, Rope Works will offer you a certificate of workshop completion.

***Re-Certification Criteria for LV 1** (50 hours of documented program delivery **OR** 16 hours additional training w/in one year of the certification date for Level 1 Full Certification in addition to a written & practical exam). You must bring a copy of your portfolio to submit for our records.

Training's are subject to cancellation 7 days prior to start date if minimum number of participants six (6) is not met. Refunds will be issued if Rope Works cancels the training.

If you must cancel, a \$150 fee will be assessed if before 7 days from the start of training. Otherwise, training fee is non-refundable due to the minimum number required for the training & logistical preparations that have already been made between Rope Works, participants, host site, and the trainer.

Meals, Lodging, & Transportation are not included in the registration.

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Basic Skills Workshop for Challenge Course Professionals

Location: Texas A&M Challenge Works, College Station, Texas

Dates: April 27th to May 1st, 2020

This course is a four-day instructional program and the fifth and final day is the testing for certification.

Rope Works open enrollment trainings are hosted at a site that is able to offer a wide range of traditional use challenge course operations. The facilitation and group development piece has always been important to us. We will assess the needs of the training class on the first day as well as keeping with our training curriculum to customize your experience as best as possible.

Course Description: Introduction to the operation of games, initiatives, spotted, & high challenge course elements. Emphasis on technical skill sets that include: proper spotting, set-up/take-down of high course activities, identification of appropriate belay methods/techniques, knots, course construction, knowledge of hardware & equipment, and retrieval/rescue systems.

Course Objectives: At the conclusion of the course, practitioners will be able to:

1. Understand the historical and philosophical components of challenge/ropes courses
2. Identify and implement proper sequencing relative to group assessment & goals
3. Understand and teach proper spotting techniques for low and high course activities
4. Evaluate and manage the components of safety to include: emotional, social, physical
5. Implement concepts relative to experiential programming and create reflective learning opportunities
6. Perform pre use inspections pertaining to the environment, element, and equipment
7. Identify proper course construction relative to the ANSI/ACCT Design, Performance, and Installation Standards
8. Perform documentation procedures for equipment and course use
9. Understand and implement the proper set-up/take-down of low and high element activities, knot craft, & belay systems and techniques
10. Awareness of site emergency action plan and site-specific technical rescue procedures
11. Differentiate between perceived and inherent risk, & choice vs. coercion
12. Create a respectful group environment utilizing tools such as group contracts, leadership models, and/or thoughtful programming

Session Topics Include but is not limited to:

- Games, Initiatives, Low Elements
- Trust Sequence
- Fall Protection Systems with training on Cable Grab and Lead Anchor systems
- Traditional Dynamic Traverse Elements (Variety Available)
- Static Course and Operations
- Climbing Tower operations
- Giant Swing/Screamer operations
- Pamper/Power Pole (Leap of Faith) operations
- Single Gravity Zip line operations
- Belay Transfers @ height
- Detailed Pre-use inspections for equipment and structures
- Rescue/Retrieval Systems