

**SECRETARIAT OF THE PACIFIC COMMUNITY**  
**Kiribati Basic Observer Course**  
**Tarawa**  
**1 October- 30 November 2012**

**TRAINING SCHEDULE**

TIME	MONDAY 22/10/12	TUESDAY 23/10/12	WEDNESDAY 24/10/12	THURSDAY 25/10/12	FRIDAY 26/10/12
0830 – 1000	Introduction/Course Agenda/ Hand-outs/Others	Video Tagging cruise LL fishing PS fishing Glen	Review exercise Long, Lat, UTC date, time, Benaia	Review Tuna Benaia <b>SPECIES ID TEST: (TUNA)</b>	Review Sharks and billfish Benaia and Harold <b>SPECIES ID TEST: (SHARKS)</b>
1000 – 1030	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
1030 – 1200	24 HOUR TIME SHIP'S TIME Vs LOCAL TIME/DATE UTC/GMT TIME/DATE Harold	SPECIES ID (JUVENILE YFT & BET) OTHER TUNA Ben	<b>TEST: (NAVIGATION)</b> All	Shark Ids Benaia	Test BILLFISH)  Glen
1200 - 1300	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1300 – 1500	EXERCISE ON 24HR SHIP'S TIME & DATE UTC TIME & DATE Harold	LATITUDE & LONGITUDE Glen	OBSERVER CODE OF CONDUCT Mans	SPECIES ID (WHALES) Glen	Review whales Test on whales Glen
1500 - 1530	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
1530 – 1630	EXERCISE ON 24HR SHIP'S TIME & DATE UTC TIME & DATE Harold	NAVIGATION EXERCISE OBSERVER DAILY JOURNAL Glen	SPECIES ID (BILLFISH) Harold  Review Navigation Benaia	REVIEW TUNA ID TEST	Review Shark test Retest- navigation  <b>COLLECTION OF JOURNALS</b>

TIME	MONDAY 29/10/12	TUESDAY 30/10/12	WEDNESDAY 31/10/12	THURSDAY 1/11/12	FRIDAY 2/11/12
0830 – 1000	Review tests Whale - Glen Sharks- Benaia Billfish- Harold	By -catch  Benaia/Mans	No class- venue given to another group	Test on blackfish and dolphin	Test on by catch
1000 – 1030	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
1030 – 1200	Species ID Dolphins Blackfish Benaia	Quiz by-catch Review Dolphin Blackfish Turtles Benaia	No class-venue given to another group	Test on turtles	LL – 1 Benaia
1200 - 1300	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1300 – 1500	Turtles Benaia	Re-sit billfish	No class- venue given to another group	Review on by-catch Introduction LL Videos	LL 1 exercise Power off
1500 - 1530	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
1530 – 1630	Turtle videos (Handling, Biology, etc) Glen	Re-sit sharks	No class – venue given to another group	Introduction LL Videos PPP	Re-sit whales

TIME	MONDAY 5/11/12	TUESDAY 6/11/12	WEDNESDAY 7/11/12	THURSDAY 8/11/12	FRIDAY 9/11/12
0830 – 1000	Review LL 1 exercise Benaia LL – 2/3 Mans	LL 4 Form Harold	LL - 1,2,3 test All	LL- 4 test All	PS 1 test All
1000 – 1030					
1030 – 1200	LL 2/3 exercise Mans	LL 4 exercise Harold	LL - 1,2,3 test All	LL- 4 test All	PS 1 test All
1200 - 1300					

1300 – 1500	LL 2/3 review exercises Mans	PS 1 Mans	PS 1 Mans	PS 2 Introduction Benaia	CMM Karl
1500 - 1530					
1530 – 1630	LL 4 introduction Harold	<b>No class</b> <b>No electricity</b>	PS 1 Mans	PS 2 form Benaia, clips of operation.	<b>CMM</b> <b>Karl</b> <b>Journal submission-</b> <b>Mans</b>

TIME	MONDAY 12/11/12	TUESDAY 13/11/12	WEDNESDAY 14/11/12	THURSDAY 15/11/12	FRIDAY 16/11/12
0830 – 1000	PS 1 review Mans	Biological/tagging sampling	<b>Biological</b> <b>sampling/tagging</b>	<b>Biological review</b> <b>Test Biological</b>	<b>Gen 5</b> <b>Mans</b>
1000 – 1030					
1030 – 1200	PS 2 exercise Benaia	Biological/tagging sampling	<b>Biological</b> <b>sampling/tagging</b>	<b>Tag recovery</b> <b>review</b> <b>Test Tag recovery</b>	<b>Gen 5</b> <b>Mans</b>
1200 - 1300					
1300 – 1500	PS 2 review ex Benaia Biological Benaia	Biological/tagging sampling	Biological sampling Practical	<b>PS 2 test</b>	PS field trip Ocean Master Olympus Kim
1500 - 1530					
1530 – 1630	Biological sampling Benaia	Biological/tagging sampling	Biological sampling practical	<b>PS 2 test</b>	<b>PS field trip</b> <b>Ocean Master</b> <b>Olympus Kim</b>

TIME	MONDAY 19/11/12	TUESDAY 20/11/12	WEDNESDAY 22/11/12	THURSDAY 23/11/12	FRIDAY 24/11/12
0830 – 1000	<b>Gen 5 test</b>	PS ¾ Benaia/Mans	<b>PS 3 /4 test</b> <b>Harold and Benaia</b>	<b>Gen 2, 6</b> <b>Tim P</b>	FFA Journals/W/report- Tim P Journal review – Mans LL trip report- Sifa
1000 – 1030					
1030 – 1200	Gen 5 test PS ¾ Benaia/Mans	<b>FFA</b> <b>Tim P</b> <b>UST Treaty</b> <b>FSM Arrangement</b>	<b>PS 3 / 4 test</b> Harold and Benaia	MSC PS 5 Tim P	MFRD
1200 - 1300					
1300 – 1500	PS ¾ Benaia/ Mans	FFA CMMs – Observers Tim P	FFA Gen 3, 1 Tim P	FFA MSC PS 5, recons Tim P	Group Photo
1500 – 1530					
1530 – 1630	PS ¾ Benaia/ Mans	<b>FFA</b> <b>Tim P</b>	FFA Gen 3, 1 Tim P	FFA Trip reports, recons, Tim P	<b>Graduation</b> <b>Lagoon club</b>