

BCWWA 2020 Operator Continuing Education Day – Prince George

February 12, 2020

Coast Prince George Hotel

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

7:45 – 8:25am	<i>Registration and Continental Breakfast</i>
8:25 – 8:30am	Welcome and Introductions <i>BCWWA</i>
8:30 – 9:30am	A Guide to Assist You in Amending Your Water and Wastewater Confined Space Entry Procedures <i>Ken Blair, WorkSafe BC</i> Confined space procedures and protocols are required for water and wastewater facilities. This session from WorkSafe BC will provide information on confined space requirements and changes, and guide you through the practical steps needed to help make your amendments fit the requirements.
9:30 – 10:30am	The Latest in Sampling and Analysis Equipment for Water and Wastewater Operators <i>Jeff Spencer, BI Purewater PG</i> Sampling and analysis procedures and the latest in equipment will be the focus of this session. Operators will get instruction on sampling procedures and on how to use handheld and online monitoring equipment. Examples of equipment will be provided to allow operators the opportunity to see and use the latest in equipment that is available.
10:30 – 10:45am	<i>Coffee Break</i>
10:45 – 11:45am	Hydrant Troubleshooting, Maintenance and Teardown <i>Joel Sansome, Mueller</i> In this interactive session, operators will examine hydrant maintenance, teardown, and assembly
11:45 – 12:45pm	<i>Lunch</i>
12:45 – 2:15pm	Water and Wastewater System Pump Troubleshooting, Maintenance and Teardown <i>David Okano & Neil Thompson, Xylem Inc.</i> This session will provide operators with hands on instruction on Flyght pumps for both water and wastewater systems. Xylem will be providing pump examples that are common to the region and delivering hands on instruction for maintenance and repair as well as troubleshooting techniques.
2:15 – 2:30pm	<i>Coffee Break</i>

Pressure Reducing and Control Valve Maintenance and Troubleshooting

Jerry Ponikvar, Mueller

2:30 – 4:00pm

This session will provide operators with hands on instruction on pressure reducing and control valve assemblies. Mueller will provide information on maintenance, repair and troubleshooting. Operators will have the opportunity to work on valve assemblies to learn more on maintenance and troubleshooting techniques.

4:00 – 4:05pm

Closing Remarks