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News Advisory

**FIFTY-FIVE SOUTHLAND TEENAGERS GRADUATE
FROM DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COURSE**

- WHO:** LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT
COMMUNITY/LAW ENFORCEMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM;
LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND THE
SOUTHLAND UNIT OF THE YOUNG MARINES.
- WHAT:** FIFTY-FIVE SOUTHLAND TEENAGERS WILL GRADUATE FROM
"C.E.R.T." CAMP, COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM,
AN INTENSIVE TRAINING COURSE DESIGNED TO TEACH
STUDENTS LIFESAVING SKILLS, DISASTER PREPAREDNESS,
FIRE SUPPRESSION, "CRIBBING," LIGHT SEARCH AND RESCUE,
TRIAGE, AND HEAD TO TOE ASSESSMENT OF VICTIMS.
GRADUATES FROM THIS COURSE RECEIVE AMERICAN RED
CROSS CERTIFICATION IN FIRST-AID/CPR AND FEMA
(DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FEDERAL
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY) BASIC LEVEL I "C.E.R.T."
CERTIFICATE. PARTICIPATING STUDENTS ARE YOUNG MEN
AND WOMEN FROM THE YOUNG MARINES OR POLICE/FIRE
EXPLORERS AND RANGE FROM 14-18 YEARS OF AGE.
- WHEN:** SUNDAY, AUGUST 12, 2007, AT 5:00 P.M
- WHERE:** ANGELS GATE PARK
3601 SOUTH GAFFEY STREET, SAN PEDRO
(THOMAS GUIDE PAGE 854, B-2)

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT THE SHERIFF'S COMMUNITY/LAW
ENFORCEMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM OFFICE AT (323) 526-5015.**