# AQUATIC SKILL BUILDER 2021: LEADING THE WAY TO A SAFER POOL



## Saturday, August 21st 2021

8:30am-5:00pm Snohomish Aquatic Center Water Session 1: Developing Confidence in the Deep Water, Tony Trofinczuk Classroom Session: Servant Leadership; Does it really work? Greg Schmidt Water Session 2: Putting Strong Leadership and Teamwork Skills Together in the Water , Tony Trofinczuk



Washington Recreation and Park Association 2150 N 107th Street Suite 205 Seattle,WA 98133 | 206-361-8869 | wrpa@wrpatoday.org Fees: All Day 8:30am-5:00pm Members \$30.00 Non Members \$50.00 Morning Half Day 9:00am-12:00pm Members \$15.00 Non Members \$25.00 Afternoon Half Day \$1:00-5:00pm Members \$15.00 Non Members \$25.00 Schedule:

8:30am–9:00am: Check Ins and Greetings

# 9:00am-12:00pm: Developing Confidence in the Deep Water

Developing confident deep water skills is crucial to having successful saves in the deep water. In this workshop we will learn how to use effective communication to become great leaders and team players while building confidence in our lifeguarding skills. This is a comprehensive, practical in water skills session with the opportunity to progess in these skill areas.

#### 12:00pm-1:00pm: Brown Bag Lunch

### 1:00-2:30pm: Servant Leadership; Does it really work?

Leadership is motivating a group of people to successfully act towards achieving a common goal. Creating an aquatic team that has strong and positive leadership is crucial to having a safe and successful operation. During this session, Greg will lead a discussion titled *Servant Leadership; Does it really work?* 

## 2:30-5:00pm: Putting Strong Leadership and Teamwork Skills Together in the Water

We will start the session working on our Shallow Water skills and then use the leadership and teamwork skills that we learned throughout the day to apply them to full lifeguarding scenarios. During the scenarios we'll see how effective communication between each other is key to a successful save, but also as a team work through any unforeseen issues that could arise.

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