



**State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control**

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1. Rescue Technician- Core

To be held in Meriden on 03/27, 3/28, 3/29, 4/03, 4/04, and 04/05 – a few seats are still available.
#17337 \$420.00

This course is designed to meet the job performance requirements in Chapter 5 of NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician. Students will learn the basics of site operations, size-up, resource management, hazard/risk assessment, ground support for helicopter operations and incident management as it relates to the rescue environment. Students will learn skills to use rope-rescue equipment to manage victims, anchor-rope systems, build and operate lowering and hauling systems in a low angle environment. Students will also be able to inspect and maintain related equipment. This program is a prerequisite for all technical rescue certification courses.

Follow link to Application and 2017 Calendar

<http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/cwp/view.asp?Q=574030&A=832&cfpcPNavCtr=#51838>

2. WUI: Fire Department Wildfire Preparedness and Readiness Capabilities

Below is a link to NFPA's release of "Wildland-Urban Interface: Fire Department Wildfire Preparedness and Readiness Capabilities" - based on interviews with fire departments located in WUI areas and examines how local fire departments change and adapt following a major wildfire event, and identifies critical factors that facilitate or constitute barriers to being prepared and ready to control and mitigate wildfires.

<http://www.nfpa.org/WUIReadinessReport>

3. Southbury Training School Hosting Fire Service Instructor I Class

The Southbury Fire Department Training School is hosting a Fire Service Instructor I class beginning March 18th, 2017. Spaces are available. Please contact Chief Tim Baldwin at 203-586-2638 or timothy.baldwin@ct.gov

Schedule:

March 18th 8:30-4:30
March 21st 6:30pm – 1030pm
March 23rd 6:30pm-10:30pm
March 25th 8:30-4:30
March 28th 6:30pm-10:30pm
March 30th 6:30pm-10:30pm
April 1st 8:30-4:30
April 8th 8:30-4:30

Certification Exam: April 22nd 8:30 am

Please see attached.

4. Retirement Celebration for Alan Zygmunt – Southington F.D.

A retirement celebration will be held for Battalion Chief Alan Zygmunt in honor of his 30 years of service with the Southington F.D. The event will be held on Friday, March 24, 2017 at Testa's Banquet Facility 26 South Center Street in Southington, CT. Cocktail hour 6 p.m. with dinner/ceremony to follow at 7:00 p.m. A sit down style dinner with beer and wine included. \$50 per person. Advance ticket sales only! Please contact 860-621-3202 Ext. 8234 or stop by Fire HQ, 310 North Main Street before Tuesday, March 14, 2017. Tickets are also available at the CT Fire Academy, please see Jason Decremer. See the attached.

5. PALS Instructor Class - Ridgefield

An American Heart Association Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Instructor class is being held in Ridgefield on April 4, 2017 from 9:30am – 3:30pm. This program qualifies the instructor candidate to teach the PALS Provider and PEARS Provider programs. Total cost of the program is \$275.00. See the attached flier for additional information or register online at <http://bit.ly/PALSInstructor>

6. NIOSH Fire Fighter Fatality Investigation and Prevention Program Reports

Career Fire Lieutenant Killed by Roof/Ceiling Collapse During Overhaul—Georgia

A career fire lieutenant died after being struck by a roof and ceiling collapse during overhaul following a structural fire in a vacant single-family home. The fire lieutenant was removed from the structure and transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Volunteer Fire Fighter Dies from Injuries Sustained at a Residential Structure Fire—New York(<https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/reports/face201426.html>)

A volunteer fire fighter was injured at a residential structure fire. The fire fighter was found face down in the basement of the house in several inches of water. The fire fighter was transported to a trauma center and he died 4 days later.

Wildland Fire Superintendent Dies from Heart Attack after Performing Physical Fitness Training—Idaho(<https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/reports/face201517.html>)

A career, seasonal wildland fire superintendent completed physical fitness training. The training included a 1.8-mile run on a trail over rolling hills. Following the run, he suddenly collapsed. The superintendent was pronounced dead at the scene.

7. ICS-300, Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents

The Emergency Management and Homeland Security Division of DESPP is conducting ICS-300, Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents training on March 29, April 5, and 12, 2017. The class delivery will be on three consecutive Wednesdays. The classes will be at the LEGO Group, 555 Taylor Road, Enfield, CT 06082 from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM each day. To register, go to the www.ct.gov/DEMHS website under Training Calendar. Questions please contact Gary Ruggiero, 860-685-8545 or gary.ruggiero@ct.gov

8. ICS-400 Advanced ICS Command and General Staff – Complex Incidents

The Emergency Management and Homeland Security Division of DESPP is conducting ICS-400 Advanced ICS Command and General Staff – Complex Incidents training on April 19 and 26, 2017. The class delivery will be on two consecutive Wednesdays. The classes will be at the LEGO Group, 555 Taylor Road, Enfield, CT 06082 from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM each day. To register, go to the www.ct.gov/DEMHS website under Training Calendar. Questions please contact Gary Ruggiero, 860-685-8545 or gary.ruggiero@ct.gov

9. Firefighter I

The application for the Valley Fire Chiefs Regional Fire Schools summer Firefighter I class is now open. Please go to our website to see the schedule and to sign up at valleyfireschoolct.org.

10. 2Q driver training program

The Valley Fire School is offering a 2Q Driver Training Program. Please go to our website to see the schedule and to sign up for the class. valleyfireschoolct.org

PLEASE DO NOT REPLY TO THIS EMAIL



RETIREMENT PARTY

Friday March 24, 2017
Cocktail Hour 6:00 P.M.
Dinner/Ceremony 7:00pm

**Please join us as we honor
Battalion Chief Alan Zygmunt
For his 30 years of service with the
Southington Fire Department**

*This event will be held at
Testa's Banquet Facility
26 South Center St
Southington, Ct 06489*

A sit down style dinner will be served
Beer and wine included
\$50 per person

Advance tickets only
Please contact 860-621-3202 ext. 8234
or stop by Fire HQ, 310 North Main Street
before Tuesday March 14, 2017

Fire Service Instructor 1

Presented by the Ct Fire Academy



**To be held at the
Southbury Training School Fire Department
1461 South Britain Road, Southbury Ct. 06488**

Class Schedule

**March 18 Saturday, Day 1
March 21 Tuesday Night, ½ day 2
March 23 Thursday Night, ½ Day 2
March 25 Saturday, Day 3
March 28, Tuesday Night, ½ Day 4
March 30, Thursday Night, ½ Day 4
April 1, Saturday, Day 5
April 8, Saturday, Day 6
April 22, Certification Exam**

Program Cost- \$390.00 payable to the Ct Fire Academy

Books are available through the Ct Fire Academy Book Store at an extra charge. The textbook is the IFSTA 8th Ed., Fire Service Instructor

Course application is the standard Ct Fire Academy course application which shall be sent to

Connecticut Fire Academy

Questions may be directed to Chief Timothy Baldwin at 203-586-2300 or email at timothy.baldwin@ct.gov

DIRECTIONS: I-84 TO Exit 14. Proceed onto Rt 172 North. At the blinking light take a left into the campus. Enter the 3rd driveway on the left to park. STS FD will be across the street