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State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control
February 16, 2018

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1. CT Fire Academy and CFA Bookstore – Closed for the Holiday Weekend

In honor of Presidents Day, the CT Fire Academy and Bookstore will be closed Saturday February 17th and Monday February 19, 2018. Normal business hours will resume on Tues. February 20th.

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2. CFA Rescue Tech Core – Starts March 24, 2018 – Mansfield, CT

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 rescue equipment. This program is a prerequisite for all technical rescue certification courses. The PPE requirements are rescue gloves, a protective helmet and footwear. Required Texts: IFSTA Fire Service Search and Rescue 8th edition, Technical Rescue Operations Field Guide 4th edition Training Prerequisite: Firefighter I, Hazardous Material Operational and minimum EMR Class Hours: 48

Course # 17544

Course Fee: $465.00

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3. Advanced Vehicle Extrication – April 12 & 13th – Stratford, CT

This two-day program is designed to provide the experienced student with realistic scenarios involving different problematic extrication. The objectives of this class are to provide the student an environment to implement an incident management system at motor vehicle incidents, along with contemporary extrication and stabilization techniques. Vehicles will be in compromising positions providing students with challenging scenarios. Full protective clothing (no SCBA) required. Cost: $330.00 Class Hours: 16 FM Credit: None EMS-I Credit: None

Course # 17500

Course Fee $330

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4. Bowling with Fire Task Force 51

The Fight For Air Climb team made up of members from Fire Task Force 51 will host its 2nd annual Bowling Night on Sunday March 4, 2018 from 5-7 PM. It will feature 2 hours of bowling (two games), shoes, pizza, and soda for $20 per person. The event will be held at Bowl-O-Rama 2143 Berlin Turnpike in Newington. The proceeds will benefit the American Lung Association and their fight for Lung Health. If you want tickets or have any questions, feel free to contact us at RHFD.co2@gmail.com More information is available in the attached poster.

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5. Accelerated - Blended Learning EMT Course

HOWSER Public Safety is offering an accelerated EMT Course featuring blended learning

“Online & In Person” designed for busy adults, college students, Jr. Firefighters, etc. Classes begin on February 28, 2018 and meet every Wednesday from 6 – 10 p.m. in Old Saybrook. 2 months and done! See the attached for additional information and registration.

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6. EMS Instructor Course

CPR Training Professionals is holding an EMS Instructor course beginning March 25, 2018. Each Sunday from 830am to 4:30pm and the class ends on the only Saturday class, May 19, 2018.

We are also offering an American Heart Association Instructor course on February 24, 2018 at 9am.

See attached flyers and please click the links below for information and to register:

Click for information and to register on EMS Instructor class

Click for information and to register for AHA CPR Instructor

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7. Building Construction: Combustible

This course provides the components of building construction that relate to fire and life safety and how understanding the building types and construction principles will improve fire suppression and fire ground safety. The emphasis of this course is on firefighter safety. The elements of construction and design of structures are shown to be key factors when inspecting buildings, pre-planning fire operations, and operating at emergencies. This two day class will also describe the benefits of cross-disciplinary cooperation among fire protection and design professionals. The course will explain the elements of building construction as they apply to construction codes. It will help to understand the elements of building construction as they apply to firefighter safety, how to anticipate fire behavior based on structural elements of, and thermal effects. As well as explain how design elements and emerging building methods and materials affect fire behavior and structural performance.

Training Prerequisites: None
Class Hours: 16
FM Credit: 12

Cost $65.00
Course # 17505

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8. 15th Anniversary of the Station Nightclub Fire - West Warwick, RI

Next Tuesday, February 20, 2018 marks the 15th anniversary of the Station Nightclub Fire in West Warwick, RI. This fire was the catalyst for the Fire Sprinkler Incentive Act, and we are planning a special memorial service/press conference at the burn site next Tuesday. The event will occur at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time and will be carried via **LIVE STREAM**. Details on how to access the live stream are forthcoming from our media team, but I wanted to give everyone a heads up. Confirmed speakers include U.S. Fire Administrator Keith Bryant, Station Nightclub survivors Rob Feeney and Gina Russo, Chief Tom Jenkins, President of the International Association of Fire Chiefs, Chief Ron Siarnicki, Executive Director of the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation, Bill Webb, Executive Director of the Congressional Fire Services Institute, Jim Pauley, President of the National Fire Protection Association, and of course NFSA President Shane Ray. This event will honor those who died and the survivors, and also celebrate the advocacy success realized with fire sprinkler incentives included in the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. Stay tuned for all the details and coverage, but mark your calendars for Tuesday, February 20th if you'd like to tune in live. We will send a media advisory on Monday with complete link & details so you can share with all of your contacts.

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9. CSFA Legislative Update

CSFA's Legislative Representative provides a House Bill Status Report and makes an urgent call for membership to submit public testimony this week. Please read the details in the Legislative Update by Leon Collins and learn what you can do to help save funding for our Regional Fire Schools.
Sent from Leon Collins, Legislative Representative

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10. Employment Opportunity – Firefighter – City of Waterbury

The City of Waterbury is currently seeking candidates for the position of Firefighter. Starting salary is $53,975.
Please see attached flyer and application. Also information can be found on their website below

http://www.waterburyct.org/content/9569/9605/9625/9904/default.aspx

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11. School Safety Conference 2018 – The Woodstock Academy

The Woodstock Academy will be holding a School Safety Conference July 18-20 at The

Center for the Arts The Woodstock Academy-South Campus 150 Route 169 in Woodstock, CT. See the attachment for program information and registration.