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State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control
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1. Rescue Week and Beyond –Spotlight on Paratech University

Thursday & Friday, October 5th and 6th – 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. or
Saturday & Sunday, October 7th and 8th - 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Paratech University consists of two 8 hour days which will include: classroom, tool labs and hands on training. Scenarios will challenge each student in various real life scenarios they may encounter in a response. Beginning Day One and continuing through Day Two each squad will rotate through the following learning stations; Heavy Lifting and Stabilization Station using Hydraulic Struts , Building Shoring Station using Rakers, Flying Rakers and Woodless Raker Systems ,Heavy Lifting Station: using Maxiforce® and Multiforce Air Lifting Bags and a Rigging Station: using Monopod with Rope Systems and Bipodwith Grip Hoists. Two separate programs are being offered one during the week and one on the weekend in order to meet the needs of the CT Fire Service. Find the brochure and application on our website.

http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/cwp/view.asp?Q=595508&A=833

http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/lib/cfpc/Rescue_Week_Booklet_for_web_170817.pdf

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2. Employment Opportunity – Per Diem EMT-B - Canterbury Vol. FD

The Canterbury Vol. Fire Department is accepting applications for EMT-B. This is a per diem Day Staff position, up to 20 hours per week. We run 12 hour shifts, Monday through Friday 0500 - 1700 hrs. Must hold a valid EMT-B certification for one year and a valid driver's license.

The application can be found at: http://www.canterburyct.org/documents/EMT%20Application%20for%20Employment.pdf and needs to be delivered to Town of Canterbury, First Selectman. 1 Municipal Dr. Canterbury, CT 06331.
The Town of Canterbury and Canterbury Volunteer Fire Company is an equal opportunity employer.

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3. Gateway Community College Accepting Applications for Fall 2017 Firefighter I Class

Gateway Community College is now accepting applications for their Fall, Firefighter I Program.
Classes are held on Wednesday nights at Gateway's Down Town New Haven Campus, and Saturday's at the New Haven Regional Fire Training Academy. This program is designed to prepare students for the State of Connecticut certification examinations. Course cost is $1571 which includes all college fee's and live burns. Classes are taught by certified, professional, and experienced career firefighters from throughout the state. For more information, please contact DMarcarelli@gatewayct.edu or call 203-535-4478.

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4. East Great Plain Vol Fire Department Beer & Wine Tasting

Fundraisers for the East Great Plain Vol Fire Dept to benefit our 75th Anniversary in 2018.

Craft Beer and Wine Tasting Fundraiser Sat Sept 23rd 6pm to 8:30pm.

Ticket prices $25.00 advanced, and $30.00 at the door.
Over 40 craft beers and more than 20 wines.
Rain or Shine
Ticket info call 860 204 2372

See Attached

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5. Recruitment & Retention Seminar: Stress Management – Friday September 22, 2017

The Connecticut Fire Chiefs Association along with the International Fire Chiefs Association through the Volunteer Workforce Solutions brings you a full day recruitment and retention seminar that will discuss “stress management" in the fire service and fire service leadership. This seminar will highlight examples of how your department can promote wellness and handle stress at all levels, from Firefighter to Chief. Departments are encouraged to invite their elected officials, town managers, and others to contribute to the dialogue. There is no cost for this free seminar. See the attached flyer for further details.

This seminar is funded through a FEMA SAFER recruitment and retention grant awarded to the Connecticut Fire Chiefs Association.

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6. 9th Annual Archdiocese of Hartford Blue Mass – Save the Date

The 9th Annual Archdiocese of Hartford Blue Mass will be held on Sunday, September 10, 2017 at 1100 hours at St. Joseph’s Cathedral, 134 Farmington Avenue in Hartford. The Mass is open to all Denominations. Fire, Police and EMS Personnel and their families are encouraged to attend. Personnel wishing to participate in the procession to the Cathedral are asked to muster in the parking lot of Webster Bank just east of the church on Farmington Avenue at 1000 hours.

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7. Fairfield Regional Fire School Firefighter II Course

The Fairfield Regional Fire School is offering a **Firefighter Two Course** beginning September 11. The cost of the class is $850 per student (textbooks not included). Please see the attached flyer for additional details. Follow this link to register.

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8. NFA Water Based Fire Protection Systems Plan Review

Connecticut Fire Academy: October 22-27, 2017

Course Number: 18068

Course description
This six-day course will enable students to perform a plan review to evaluate the suitability of the fire sprinkler, pump, and standpipe plans and calculations in accordance with nationally recognized standards for design and installation. Course content covers fire protection standards, plan reading, water supplies, building envelope features, fire protection hydraulics mathematics, fire pumps, sprinkler systems, and standpipe systems.

Selection criteria
Anyone responsible for the review and/or approval of building and fire/life safety design in the regulatory process. This includes building officials, fire marshals, insurance

representatives, and designers/architects. Preference will be given to applicants who have previously attended National Fire Academy's "Fire Inspection Principles" (R0220) and/or "Fire and Life Safety Plan Review" (R0132).

Prerequisites

1. Incident Command System (ICS)-100-level and ICS-200-level training. Preferred courses are Q0462 and Q0463, available through NFA Online at www.usfa.fema.gov/training/nfa/courses/online.html. Chief's signature attests that the applicant has completed this required training.

2. Working knowledge and understanding of prescriptive codes and fundamental understanding of fire behavior.

3. Three or more years of experience in either a code enforcement or fire safety inspection function.

4. Students in the fire service should not have less than three years' experience in either a code enforcement or fire safety inspection/plan review function.

5. Allied professionals should possess an associate degree in engineering, architecture, building design, or risk management from an accredited college.

This course has been approved for 32 hours of continuing education credit from OEDM.

Please use the attached application

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