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1. Middletown FD Hosting Aerial Operator Course

The Middletown Fire Department will be hosting Aerial Operator. The dates of the class are: September 20th, 21st, 22nd,27th, 28th & 29th. The written Examination will be on October 10th. The cost of the class is $ 220. Reservations can be made by Contacting Middletown Assistant Fire Chief Jay Woron at john.woron@middletownct.gov or by calling 860-638-3204.

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2. CFA Bookstore News

The CFA Bookstore will be closed this Saturday, Sept. 2nd and Monday, Sept. 4th, in observance of the Labor Day Holiday. Normal hours will resume Tuesday, Sept.5th at 8:30 a.m. Karen and I hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday week-end.

Thanks, Pam and Karen
CFA Bookstore

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3. West Thompson FD Hosting EMR Initial / EMR-R / EMT-R Classes

Attached please find course information for an EMR Initial, EMR Refresher (EMR-R), and EMT Refresher (EMT-R) being held at our Department. To register or for questions please call Mike at mrivers.wtvfd@gmail.com or call 860-923-9696.

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4. New Research on Violence Against EMS Responders

When responding to emergency medical calls, threats of violence to EMS workers can come from patients, family members, or even bystanders. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates that 2,600 EMS workers received hospital treatment in 2014 for injuries resulting from work-related violence.

Last year, researchers published an article that investigated injuries to paramedics and emergency medical technicians from patient-initiated violence. These EMS workers were employed by a large, urban fire department.

You can read about the research findings and download the complete article on the USFA's website.

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5. September Seminar: Size Up, Situational Awareness with Michael Terpak

The Fairfield Regional Fire School will be hosting a September Seminar: Size Up, Situational Awareness presented by Retired Deputy Chief Michael Terpak of the Jersey City Fire Department. The program will be held on Saturday, September 23 from 8:30 am – 4:30 pm for $75 per student which includes lunch. Please see the attached flyer for more details and follow this link to register: **https://goo.gl/forms/WTc4jbOIHL6LLjvR2**

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6. Operation Save a Life 2017

Operation Save a Life 2017 will be held at the New Haven Fire School on Ella Grasso Blvd on September 14 starting at 1100. This event is sponsored by WTNH, Kidde, The Home Depot, Yale New Haven Health and the CT Fire Chiefs Association. Please see the attached flyer for more information. If your department plans on attending please respond to Connie Fitch at WTNH at : connie.fitch@wtnh.com. We hope to see you there.

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7. Valley Fire Chief's Regional Training School Fall Firefighter II

The Valley Fire Chief's Regional Training School announces open enrollment for our fall Firefighter II program. You may find more information and apply at www.valleyfireschoolct.org or contact Assistant Director Timm Willis at timmwillis@gmail.com for additional information.

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