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State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control
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1. NFA Course - Campus Fire and Life Safety: Public Education

NFA Campus Fire and Life Safety Public Education Course description: This is a new two-day program providing students with the ability to create and implement a comprehensive campus fire and life safety public education program. There will be a focus on looking at the on-campus and off-campus fire risks and educating students, personnel and stakeholders about these risks. This course has been preapproved for 16 hours of continuing education fire marshal credit.

Please register by March 20 by filling out the attached applications.

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2. CSFA Legislative Update

We have a special mid-week message from CSFA today because of some changes to the Public Hearing schedule this week at the Capitol.

Please see the details in the attached Legislative Update from
Leon Collins, Legislative Representative
The Connecticut State Firefighters Association
49 Midwood Road
Branford, CT 06405
(203) 494-7842 voice and text
(203) 481-1446 fax
collins@csfa.org email
http://csfa.org website

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3. Structural Firefighter Line-of-Duty Deaths: The Facts, The Lessons, The Future Webinar

There are probably few more *"high-risk, low-frequency"* situations than when operations go wrong at a structure fire. And when they do, and especially when a Firefighter is injured or gives their life, we have an opportunity-and an obligation-to study what went right, and what went wrong. Clearly, not every firefighter Line of Duty death is avoidable, but the great majority have proven to be, and when we have a chance to learn-***we do.***

This upcoming, no-cost webinar on **MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1300 eastern**, hosted by Gordon Graham's crew at Lexipol, will feature these three Fire Chiefs who will discuss their experiences related to the deaths of four Firefighters in:

-Hartford, CT (Fire Chief Reggie Freeman)
-Bryan, Texas (Fire Chief Randy McGregor)
-East Franklin, NJ (Fire Chief Dan Krushinski)

These leaders will share the specifics of the incident, details from the post-fire investigations, and the changes they and their departments have made and continue to make to help prevent similar incidents from recurring.

You'll hear directly from the Chiefs:

-Details and lessons from these three structural fires where four Firefighters were killed.
-Leadership and organizational changes to address the root causes of firefighter LODDs.
-Common factors contributing to structural firefighter LODDs and how to learn from them
... and you will be provided with links to applicable resources and documents that you can consider for us at your own departments.

The registration link is: http://info.lexipol.com/webinar-firefighter-lodds

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4. New Haven County Fire Emergency Plan

The March meeting of the New Haven County Fire Emergency Plan will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 20, 2018 at the West Shore Fire District 860 Ocean Avenue in West Haven, CT 06516. Program is Kevin's Fire Apparatus Slide Show.

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5. RI Firefighter Instructors Association Seminar – Strategy & Tactics During 2.5 Story Dwelling Fires

The Rhode Island Firefighter Instructors Association is proud to host Chief Kenneth Galligan (retired) from Brockton, MA. He will presenting a classroom seminar about tactics and strategies during fires in 2.5 story dwellings. There are still seats remaining and the cost is only $20 for non-members. The class is March 31 to be held at the Rhode Island Fire Academy 4 Green Lane in Exeter, RI, see the attached flyer for more details

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6. CFA Juvenile Firesetter Specialist I – Danbury – March 28 & 29

Don't wait – sign up now

Danbury Fire Department will be hosting a Juvenile Firesetter Specialist I, March 28 and 29 , At Danbury Fire School, 75 Plumtree Road.

Text book recommended for class is the Public Fire and Life Safety Educator, Third edition, any question contact Brian Mello, ctmrfire@Comcast.net or phone 860-214-1770

Course# 18182
Cost of the class is $165.00.
Those interested should fill out CFA application
http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/cwp/view.asp?Q=599068&A=833

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7. 2017 SAFER Technical Assistance Tools

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TOOLS FOR THE FY 2017 STAFFING FOR ADEQUATE FIRE AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE (SAFER) GRANTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

The FY 2017 SAFER application period is right around the corner. The application will open on Monday, March 26, 2018 at 8:00 a.m. ET and will close on Friday, April 27, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. ET.

Start planning your FY 2017 SAFER Grant application now by reviewing the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and technical assistance tools below. These tools were produced specifically to help potential applicants begin to plan their 2017 applications ahead of the application period. The tools can be viewed on the AFG website or downloaded to your computer.

Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) – UPDATED
  - o Updated pages 33 -38 with high, medium, and low program priority details.
- FY 2017 SAFER Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)
- Application Checklist
  - o This checklist will help you prepare your SAFER grant application
- Self-Evaluation – Hiring of Firefighters
  - o Career, combination, and volunteer fire departments
- Self-Evaluation - Recruitment and Retention - Fire Departments
  - o Combination and volunteer fire departments
- Self-Evaluation - Recruitment and Retention – Interest Organizations
  - o National, State, Local, or Tribal Volunteer Firefighters Interest Organizations
- Recruitment and Retention - Request Details Description Instructions
  - o This document will provide Recruitment and Retention applicants with a list of the categories and sub-category available in the application as well as information on the level of details needed for each budget line item.

SAFER Grants Help Desk: If you have questions about the technical assistance tools listed below, call or e-mail the SAFER Grants help Desk. The toll-free number is 1-866-274-0960; the e-mail address for questions is firegrants@fema.dhs.gov.

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8. Accelerated Emergency Medical Technician Course - East Hartford - 6 Seats Remaining

Dates/Times: March 26, 2018 to April 26, 2018 - Monday to Thursday - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Location: Code One East Hartford - 121 Roberts Street East Hartford, CT 06108

Details: Code One's 5 week, 180 hour intensive Emergency Medical Technician program has graduated hundreds of professional responders since the first program began in 2007. Code One graduates work and volunteer throughout the United States and include police officers, military, firefighters, and federal agents. Many Code One graduates have furthered their education in emergency medicine and now work as nurses, physicians, and paramedics. Code One's team of instructors are motivated to provide the best training program available.

Invoicing: Fire/EMS/Police agencies can be invoiced for participants. Please have participants register with the discount code "INVOICE" and then provide invoicing instructions in their registration notes. Invoicing instructions should include the agency name, point of contact, email to send the invoice to, and PO number if it is needed on the invoice. If you have 4+ participants interested in attending, please contact Rich for a group discount (rich@code1web.com).

Register: Participants can register at https://code1web.com/accelerated-emergency-medical-technician

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9. Machinery Rescue - April 7, 2018, Monroe, CT

The Monroe Fire Departments are hosting an 8 hour Machinery Rescue class taught by "Take the Door Training". Some of the skills/topics include: Lock out/Tag Out, Tools and Equipment Familiarization, Meat Grinder, Auger Entrapment, Medical Considerations, Oxy-Acetylene Torch use, Fence Impalement, Hand and Finger Entrapment, and more! Cost is $150 and includes lunch. Please contact Dan Gordon Dan.gordon160@gmail.com for registration information.

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10. Moving Day at ECFS - Help Needed!

MOVING DAY SUNDAY, MARCH 18
0800 HOURS
Eastern CT Fire School
1 Fire School Road
Willimantic, CT

We will need help to pack and stow materials, furniture and equipment in conex boxes for upcoming demolition and school construction.

Help should bring gloves, safety glasses and power drills, hand tools etc. Help should be prepared to work around moving equipment as we will be palletizing equipment and using machinery to move the pallets into conex boxes.

Any help... even for an hour will be appreciated.

Moving Coordinators are to be at the fire school at 0730 hours.

All other help should be at fire school for 0800 hours with safety briefing at 0815 and work party to start immediately after. We estimate 5-6 hours of work with a good crew.

THE QUICKER WE MOVE....THE QUICKER DEMOLITION AND CONSTRUCTION WILL START.

Bill Eyberse
President
Eastern CT Fire School
1 Fire School Road
Willimantic, CT

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11. CFA RIT Command & Control – West Thompson – March 18, 2018

This one-day course is designed for officers' that will be in a position to take strategic and tactical command at RIT activations on the fire ground. Through classroom lecture and group activities, officers' will gain valuable information on how to manage RIT emergencies while at the same time continuing other fire ground operations.

Class hours: 8 Course Fee: $40.00 Course # 17342

Use this link to view the Calendar Class and Application
http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/cwp/view.asp?Q=574030&A=832