Overview: OBJECTIVE: This class is especially designed to prepare structural firefighters to respond to emergencies involving general aviation (non-commercial) aircraft, using standard structural firefighting equipment. Additional training will include the use of Class B foams (AFFF & AR-AFFF) when managing emergencies associated with ethanol blended fuels.

CERTIFICATION: This course does not meet any ARFF related certification for working at larger airports which have commercial aircraft (PDX, Eugene, SeaTac, etc.)

TOPICS:
- Characteristics of Small Airports - Students will learn airport information that is necessary for safe and effective operations, and how to gather information about their own airports.

- Aircraft Types, Features & Rescue Procedures - Emphasis will be placed on a variety of non-commercial type aircraft (single/twin engine prop, smaller corporate jets, helicopters, military aircraft, etc.). Students will be shown how to acquire and use aircraft rescue and firefighting pre-fire plans.

- ARFF Safety - Special attention paid to liquid fuel fires and other safety considerations in and around aircraft (rotors, propellers, wheels, explosive systems, HAZMAT, etc.).

- Adapting Structural Equipment for ARFF Emergencies - Emphasis will be placed on use of class B foam. Students will participate in live-fire training evolutions (full PPE & SCBA required).

- Special training will be conducted on how to manage ethanol blended fuel emergencies (not associated with aircraft), using both aqueous film forming foam (AFFF) and alcohol resistant - AFFF (AR-AFFF)

- Aircraft Emergencies - Students will examine a variety of typical/unusual aircraft incidents. A number of table top exercises will be conducted.

- ARFF Protocols/Strategy & Tactics - Students will be shown how to use modified structural procedures for rescue and firefighting operations on aircraft. Sample SOGs will be provided.

- ARFF drills - Students will participate in simulated "crash" drills. Students will need to bring turnouts to participate in drills.
Class Title: ARFF (Aircraft Rescue & Fire Fighting) For Structural Firefighters and Ethanol Ble

Prerequisites:

Registration: Call: (541) 888-7432, Email: rkirch@socc.edu to register, or for more details

ABOUT THE INSTRUCTOR: Paul Reynolds. Paul is the director of fire science training at Southwestern Oregon Community College. He is a retired 20+ year ARFF veteran for the US Air Force. Paul has taught this course for other fire science programs, at OVFA conferences and fire departments with airports across the state. Because of Paul's background in class B foam, a special segment on managing ethanol blended fuels has been added.

Attire: Casual

Class Needs:

Lodging:
Medical Direction Overview Course

Overview:
The NAEMSP© is the preeminent organization for EMS medical directors, and it has offered the NAEMSP© Medical Direction Overview Course™ for a number of years. The distinguished faculty are recognized as experts in various aspects of prehospital and disaster medicine/management. This interactive course focuses on EMS in the “real world” and serves to enhance medical directors’ expertise in EMS issues.

Course Objectives: Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Describe the process for implementation and review of protocol, policy and procedure development
- Identify special issues and unique considerations related to clinical care protocol in the pre-hospital setting
- Describe the role of medical oversight for all aspects of the delivery of out-of-hospital care
- Discuss the components and challenges in conducting pre-hospital research
- Recognize the impact of applicable state laws, rules and regulations on EMS medical oversight and the EMS medical director

CME Credit: Please note that your evaluation for this course will be electronic. You will receive the evaluation by email. Please complete your evaluation promptly. Your CME Certificate will be sent to you within 4-6 weeks following receipt of the evaluation.

The NAEMSP® Medical Direction Overview Course™ has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the Medical College of Wisconsin and the National Association of EMS Physicians®. The Medical College of Wisconsin is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Designation of Credit Statement: The Medical College of Wisconsin designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Ritu Sahni, MD, MPH / Past President, NAEMSP / Medical Director, Lake Oswego Fire & Rescue and Michael Levy, MD, FACEP, FACP / NAEMSP Board of Directors / Medical Director, Anchorage Fire

Prerequisites:

Registration: For more information or if you have specific local topics you would like to discuss, please contact: Erin Burnham, MD: erinburner@gmail.com or Paul Rostykus, MD: rostykusmd@mind.net

Contact: 7997
EMS

5/28-29/2015

Class Title: Medical Direction Overview Course

Register on-line using link: http://www.cvent.com/d/srqktv/4W

Attire: Business Casual

Class Needs:

Lodging: Lodging: A block of rooms has been set aside at: BEST WESTERN PLUS Hood River Inn

www.hoodriverinn.com
Courses listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST

Fire Training

Firefighter

5/19/2015 - 9/3/2015

Class Title: Smoke Alarm Installation Program (SAIP)  

Target Audience: 

Sponsoring Agency: Office of State Fire Marshal

When: 5/19/2015 - 9/3/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: 

Hours: Various

Where: Various

Cost: FREE

Instructors: Office of State Fire Marshal

Overview: The Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal (OSFM) will be conducting training on the Smoke Alarm Installation Program (SAIP), which is required for agencies who wish to participate in the OSFM SAIP. The program provides smoke alarms, educational materials, and funding assistance to Oregon fire agencies who wish to conduct a SAIP project in their jurisdiction.

Topics covered include:
• Planning a smoke alarm installation project
• Replacing smoke alarms and batteries
• Oregon smoke alarm law
• Smoke alarm types and installation
• Installation briefing
• Program requirements
• Applying for the program, ordering smoke alarms, and educational materials
• Project funding

Prerequisites:

Registration: If you are interested in attending a smoke alarm training in a location near you, the attached flier has several dates and locations to choose from. This information can also be found on the OSFM website: http://www.oregon.gov/osp/SFM/Pages/Training.aspx  
For questions, contact osfm.ce@state.or.us or 503-934-8228.

Attire: Casual

Class Needs:

Lodging:
Fire Training Courses listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST

Firefighter

5/27/2015 & 5/30/2015

Class Title: NFPA Aerial Operator

Target Audience:

Sponsoring Agency: Linn-Benton Fire Training Council

When: 5/27/2015 & 5/30/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: Email lbftc@linnbenton.edu

Maximum Students: 15

Attire: Casual

Class Needs:

Lodging:

Registration: Email lbftc@linnbenton.edu

Prerequisites: NFPA Pumper Operator

Cost: $75

Where: 27th at Sweet Home Fire & 30th at Corvallis Fire's New Training Tower

Instructors: Dan Wehrman

Overview:

Courses listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST
Fire Training

Course Title: NFA F0635 Best Practices in Community Risk Reduction

Target Audience: Fire and emergency services personnel who help develop and deliver fire prevention and community risk reduction programs. Fire and emergency services staff with an interest in advancing risk reduction efforts in their community. Allied health and community service personnel who help develop and deliver risk reduction programs.

Sponsoring Agency: OSFM & DPSST

When: 6/2-3/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: ;

Cost: FREE

Instructors:

Overview: Course description:
Best Practices in Community Risk Reduction demonstrates to students nationally recognized principles that, when used appropriately, can lead to community risk reduction programs that can measure success in local communities. This course will give students the opportunity to explore programs from communities across the U.S. that have been showcased at Vision 20/20 symposiums. These programs demonstrate what nationally recognized organizations identify as examples of “best practices” in community risk reduction. At the end of the course learners will be evaluated through a 25 question multiple choice examination. A final grade will be provided to each student. The minimum score needed to pass is 70.

There is a pre-course assignment due one week before class that should take about 1 hour to complete.

Selection criteria:
The target audience for this course may include the following:
• Fire and emergency services personnel who help develop and deliver fire prevention and community risk reduction programs.
• Fire and emergency services staff with an interest in advancing risk reduction efforts in their community.
• Allied health and community service personnel who help develop and deliver risk reduction programs.

Prerequisites: None

Registration: DPSST class registration form http://www.oregon.gov/DPSST/FT/pages/index.aspx. Before attending any classes at DPSST you have to have a SID #. The link is on the DPSST class registration form.

Questions: Thelma Denney / Fire Service Support Specialist / DPSST (503) 378-2408 or thelma.denney@state.or.us

Lodging: Dorm room lodging and meals are available at DPSST for those traveling more than 75 miles one-way. If you would like to request dorm room housing (AFTER you receive an e-mail confirming you have been registered for the class), please contact Rebecca Nolte at rebecca.nolte@state.or.us or 503-378-4399 no later than May 23, 2015.

Any exam candidate with a documented disability may be eligible for nonstandard testing accommodations. If you believe you may need any adjustments, modifications, or accommodations, you should contact Captain Mark Ayers at mark.ayers@state.or.us. by one week prior to class date to
Class Title: NFA F0635 Best Practices in Community Risk Reduction
request suitable arrangements.

Attire: Business Casual (No Jeans)

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: Yes
Firefighter
6/17-20/2015

Class Title: Various Hands-on Training

Target Audience:
Sponsoring Agency: Oregon Volunteer Firefighters Association

When: 6/17-20/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: ; ;
Hours: 0800-1700
Where: Pendleton, OR

Cost: Ranges from $150.00 to $599.00

Instructors:

Overview: Description - 2015 Annual OVFA Training Conference: We hope to welcome many of you to the 57th annual Training Conference sponsored by the Oregon Volunteer Firefighters Association and co-hosted by Pendleton Fire & Ambulance Department. We want to personally invite your department to send as many representatives as you can to this conference and to take advantage of the quality training opportunities offered in Pendleton this year. OVFA offers scholarship opportunities and tries to make it possible for anyone to attend conference if at all possible. OVFA Training Conferences are not just about the volunteer firefighters; bring your family to enjoy attractions in the area; attend the welcome BBQ on Wednesday night, the vendor night on Thursday and the awards banquet on Friday night. Come early or plan to stay an extra day to enjoy all the area has to offer.

Classes this year have been set up in designated tracks for easy registration but also the option of building your own track to meet your training needs. Training includes EMS classes, Swift Water Rescue, Explosive Device Recognition, Vehicle Car Extrication, High Angle Rope Rescue, DPSST Mayday & Self Rescue, as well as courses in HazMat Awareness, Instructor II, and Railroad Incidents.

Prerequisites:

Registration: Jessica Carpenter, OVFA Staff ~ 503-378-0896 or jessica@ovfa.org

Registration information – Full brochure, registration form, scholarship application available on website at www.ovfa.org

Hotel information – Available in conference brochure

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: N/A
Fire Training

Firefighter

6/22-26/2015

Class Title: Rope Rescue Technician

Target Audience: NAFT

Sponsoring Agency: NAFT

When: 6/22-26/2015

Registration Deadline: 

Contact: 

Hours: 8:00am to 6:00pm

Where: Portland Community College Public Services Education Building (PSEB) RM106 909 N Killingsworth, Portl

Cost: $775.00 per person

Instructors: N/A

Overview: This class will meet or exceed all applicable Rope Rescue Technician Level 1 and Level 2 OSHA and NFPA regulations included in NFPA 1006 and 1670. PCC will be used as a base location while most days will be spent in the Portland Metro Area dangling from a rope.

* For Course information, Contact Matt Ramp, Cell: 360-904-1247 or Email: matt@cascadetraininggroup.com

* Class limited to 18 participants

Multiple sites in the Portland Metro Area will be used

Prerequisites: N/A

Registration: For registration questions contact: Lori Fawcett - lfawcett@canbyfire.org

Register online at http://www.nwaft.org

Attire: Casual

Class Needs:

Lodging: N/A
Fire Training

Course Title: NFPA Fire Officer III & IV Class

Target Audience: The Oregon Trail Fire Training Association, Hermiston Fire & Emergency Services, Department of Public Safety Standards & Training

When: 7/6-10/2015 & 7/13-17/2015

Overview: This is a two week course that meets the needs of fire executive management. The Fire Officer III/IV combination course satisfies the requirements of National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 1021, Chapters 6 and 7 and provides the tools necessary to obtain certification through the Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) and the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications (Pro Board). The course is designed around classroom lectures and group interactive exercises to improve your abilities to manage a fire service organization. The course emphasizes community/government relations, model planning, budgeting, human resources, trends and support organizations, and emergency service delivery. The course includes a written project that requires you to develop a strategic plan. Fire service professionals who successfully complete this course will receive DPSST and ProBoard NFPA Fire Officer III & IV certifications.

Any exam candidate with a documented disability may be eligible for nonstandard testing accommodations. If you believe you may need any adjustments, modifications, or accommodations, you should contact Rich Daniel at rich.daniel@state.or.us by one week prior to class date to request suitable arrangements.

Prerequisites: NFPA Fire Officer II and NFPA Fire Instructor II


Questions: Leigha Carver / Fire Service Support Specialist / DPSST (503) 378-2408 or leigha.carver@state.or.us

Both weeks are required for certification

Seating for 24 students

Attire: Business Casual (NO JEANS)

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: Dorm room lodging and meals are available at DPSST for those traveling more than 75 miles one-way. If you would like to request dorm room housing (AFTER you receive an e-mail confirming you have been registered for the class), please contact Rebecca Nolte at rebecca.nolte@state.or.us or 503-378-4399 no later than June 26, 2015.
Fire Training

Courses listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST

Firefighter

7/6-10/2015 & 7/13-17/2015

Class Title: NFPA Fire Officer III & IV Class

8150

Haz Mat

6/2-4/2015

Class Title: Hazardous Substance Information System (HSIS) training

Target Audience: Office of State Fire Marshal

Sponsoring Agency: Office of State Fire Marshal

When: 6/2-4/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact:

Hours: 9:00AM - 4:00PM

Where: Office of State Fire Marshal MT Hood Conference Room 4760 Portland Rd NE, Salem, OR 97305

Cost: FREE

Instructors:

Overview: The Hazardous Substance Information System (HSIS) is an interactive application with numerous ways to view data from facilities throughout the state that use, store, manufacture or dispose of hazardous substances. The HSIS can be helpful with emergency pre-planning activities and emergency response to incidents.

With the HSIS hands-on training, you will learn how to:

- Identify facilities within your jurisdiction that have the greatest potential to adversely affect the surrounding community.
- Hone in on specific facilities or chemicals by searching, sorting, and filtering in order to view critical chemical information.

Prerequisites:

Registration: This one day training will be from 9:00AM - 4:00PM each day

To register please contact jamie.kometz@state.or.us

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging:
**Class Title:** NFPA Instructor II

**Sponsoring Agency:** The Southwestern Oregon Fire Instructors Association

**When:** 6/5-7/2015

**Registration Deadline:** May 15th

**Contact:**

**Hours:** 0800-1800 each day

**Where:** SWOCC Campus in Coos Bay

**Cost:** Members: $75, non-members $100.

**Instructors:** Paul Reynolds. Paul is the Fire Science Director at SWOCC.

**Overview:** COURSE DETAILS: Completion of NFPA Instructor I is a prerequisite for this course. This course addresses NFPA 1041 competencies at the Fire Service Instructor II level. At the conclusion of this course students will be able to develop individual lesson plans for a specific topic, including identifying learning objectives, instructional aids, and evaluation instruments (quizzes, skills check sheets, etc.). In addition, students will learn how to schedule training sessions based on an overall training plan for their organization; and to supervise and coordinate the activities of other instructors. Students will be required to complete a class project (two lesson plans of varying types) within 4 months after conclusion of the course to complete the training requirements.

**Prerequisites:**

**Registration:** Call (541)888-7432. Email: rkirch@socc.edu

Pre-course work is required for this class, please make sure you meet the registration deadline

**Attire:** Casual

**Class Needs:**

**Lodging:**
Class Title: SWOCC Campus in Coos Bay

Instructor

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Attire: Casual

Cost: Members: $75, non-members $100

Where: SWOCC Campus in Coos Bay

Instructors: Paul Reynolds. Paul is the Fire Science Director at SWOCC.

Overview:

COURSE DETAILS: Completion of NFPA Instructor I is a prerequisite for this course. This course addresses NFPA 1041 competencies at the Fire Service Instructor II level. At the conclusion of this course students will be able to develop individual lesson plans for a specific topic, including identifying learning objectives, instructional aids, and evaluation instruments (quizzes, skills check sheets, etc.). In addition, students will learn how to schedule training sessions based on an overall training plan for their organization; and to supervise and coordinate the activities of other instructors. Students will be required to complete a class project (two lesson plans of varying types) within 4 months after conclusion of the course to complete the training requirements.

Prerequisites:

Registration: Pre-course work is required for this class, please make sure you meet the registration deadline. Call (541)888-7432. rkirch@socc.edu

Contact: ; ;

Hours: 0800-1800

When: 6/5-7/2015

Registration Deadline: May 15, 2015

Target Audience: The Southwestern Oregon Fire Instructors Association

Sponsoring Agency: The Southwestern Oregon Fire Instructors Association

COURSES listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST
Class Title: Major Emergency

Target Audience: 

Sponsoring Agency: 

When: 6/6-7/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: 

Hours: 0800-1700

Where: Hood River Fire Department at 1785 Meyer Parkway

Cost: Cost is only $50.00 for CGTA Members and $150.00 for Non-CGTA members.

Instructors: Battalion Chief John Oliver

Overview: This course was originally designed for the Northwest Fire Trainers, Metro Fire Officers 2 series. Through years of presentation and constant development the course has evolved into a fresh and cutting edge design of multi-media and new age applications. This is not the traditionally generic NFA style class. This course is specifically designed for the west coast Incident Commander covering regional tactical applications and local building construction. The student will begin with the base theories of fire ground strategies and build upon the mastery of strategic directives and tactical operations. Continuously analyzing and applying appropriate resource applications during the deficient resource stage, each showcased incident will give the student street level applications no matter what size of organization they are from. The scope of Emergencies covered in the class will range from multi-family residential structures to low rise and heavy commercial facilities. This class is tailored to educate not only the metropolitan responder but also the most rural and resource challenged IC’s.

Topics covered are:

Implications and moral responsibility of Incident Command, Application state and federal policies and procedures, Knowledge and application of the expanded National Incident Management System, Critical thinking and focus on today’s fire ground Strategies, Completion and application of formal Incident Action Plans, Personnel and resource accountability applications Progressive communication models and application

Prerequisites: 

Registration: Register online at: www.regonline.com/majoremergencyстратегииandtactics or www.columbiagorgetrainingassn.com

Limited Scholarships available. Contact Capt. Irusta at Manuel@hoodriverfire.com

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging:
Class Title: Traffic Incident Management Responder Training

Target Audience:

Sponsoring Agency: Dallas Fire & EMS

When: 6/13/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: Darin Weaver – ODOT Maintenance & Operations Branch
Office: 503-986-6613
Darin.A.Weaver@ODOT.state.or.us

Overview:
Responders are being struck and killed at traffic incidents in the US on an average of: 5 fire fighters each year, 1 law enforcement officer each month, 1 tow truck operator each week and numerous transportation professionals from DOTs, Public Works and Safety Service Patrols each year.

It is time to collaboratively enhance our safety and efficiency on incident scenes by training as a single cross disciplined team! The National TIM Responder Training Program was developed by responders for responders, and was designed to establish the foundation for and promote consistent training of all responders to achieve the three objectives of the TIM National Unified Goal (NUG):
- Responder Safety
- Safe, Quick Clearance
- Prompt, Reliable, Interoperable Communications

Don’t miss this opportunity to interact with your local partners in Traffic Incident Management!

A cross-disciplined group of local Oregon’s response trainers will lead interactive discussions through nine modules covering:
- Introduction to the TIM program
- TIM Fundamentals and Terminology
- Notification and Scene Size-Up
- Safe Vehicle Positioning
- Scene Safety
- Command Responsibilities
- Traffic Management
- Special Circumstances,
- Scene Clearance and Termination

Prerequisites: N/A

Registration:

For additional information please contact:
Darin Weaver – ODOT Maintenance & Operations Branch
Office: 503-986-6613
Darin.A.Weaver@ODOT.state.or.us

The National TIM Responder Training Program is an Oregon DPSST certified course, responders who
Class Title: Traffic Incident Management Responder Training

attend the training receive credit for professional development. This training has also been endorsed by the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC), the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), the National Volunteer Fire Council (NVFC), the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training (IADLEST), and the Towing and Recovery Association of America (TRAA).

For more information on ODOT’s TIM Program please go to http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/ITS/Pages/Traffic-Incident-Management.aspx

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging:
Class Title: Fitness Trainer Certification Program  
Target Audience: Klamath County Fire District No. 1 and IAFF Local 890 will be hosting this five-day workshop  
When: 6/22-26/2015  
Registration Deadline: March 22, 201

Sponsoring Agency: Klamath County Fire District No. 1 and IAFF Local 890 will be hosting this five-day workshop

Cost: $800.00

Instructors: The International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF)/International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC)/American Council on Exercise (ACE) Peer Fitness Trainer (PFT) Certification Program is a certification program to provide a fitness trainer standards consistent with the health and fitness needs of the Fire Service throughout the United States and Canada. Those successfully passing the certification examination will have demonstrated they possess the knowledge and skills required to design and implement fitness programs, improve the wellness and fitness of the uniformed members in their departments, assist in the physical training of recruits, and assist the broader community in achieving wellness and fitness. [https://www.iaff.org/hs/PFT/PeerIndex.htm](https://www.iaff.org/hs/PFT/PeerIndex.htm)

The PFT study materials and workshop will focus on applicable scientific foundations and practical applications and will include anatomy, kinesiology, biomechanics, exercise science, exercise testing, exercise programming, exercise techniques, instructional/coaching techniques, nutrition, fire service wellness/fitness, motivation, and communication techniques.

The workshop will begin at 8:00am and end at 5:00pm on most days provided that all of the learning objectives for that day are covered. One hour will be given for lunch. Workshops will be taught using small group learning methods, which encourages student participation. Students will spend part of the time in a classroom setting and the rest of the time in a practical/experiential exercise setting. Students should be physically capable and cleared to perform exercise sessions. Workshops will be taught by IAFF/IAFC/ACE Certified PFT Instructors.

It is strongly recommended that all candidates must register at least three months prior to the workshop to allow sufficient time to complete the required pre-requisite online learning modules.

Eligibility Requirements  
In order to be eligible to take the PFT examination you must be a fire fighter, EMS provider, or employed by a fire department and involved in a wellness-fitness program.

The current PFT Certification Program is undergoing extensive updates. This course will include all of the updates. Current registration cost is $800 per candidate. This cost may change after the updates have been initiated. Candidates will be responsible for all travel, lodging, and meal costs while attending the workshop.

Prerequisites:

Registration: Klamath County Fire District No. 1 and IAFF Local 890 will be hosting this five-day workshop. These
Class Title: Fitness Trainer Certification Program

workshops are in high demand and class size is limited.

Registration will close approximately three months prior to the workshop to allow attendees adequate time to complete the required pre-requisite online training modules.

To register for this workshop, please contact: Stacy Brainard, 541-885-2056 x126, stbrainard@kcfd1.com or Shane Malone, 541-890-0890, president@iafflocal890.org

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen and paper

Lodging:
6/23/2015 OR 6/24/2015

Class Title: School Threats Gaps & Best Practices: K-12 & Law Enforcement

Target Audience: School Superintendents, Principals, School Resource Officers, Law Enforcement Executives, Mental Health Teams, Risk Managers, PIO’s, & Safety Directors

Sponsoring Agency: The Federal Bureau of Investigation


Registration Deadline: June 19, 2015

Contact: ; ;

Hours: 

Where: DPSST

Cost: FREE

Instructors: 

Overview: Topics to be covered included: School Shooters, Reunification, HIPPA & FERPA, Legal Issues, Threat Assessment, Crisis Prep & Planning, Training, Case Studies, Communications, Partners, and Unified Command

Overview: From every day threats to active shooter incidents, Oregonians have learned that protecting, our students requires a strong partnership between law enforcement and K-12 schools. Join us as we explore the latest research from the experts with the FBI’s Behavioral Analysis Unit on threat indicators; get an in-depth look at the Reynolds High School incident, including lessons learned as law enforcement and school officials navigated the crisis; and discuss solutions to legal restrictions under HIPPA/FERPA. Participants will also work in teams to discuss best practices and gaps in the law enforcement/school relationship.

Prerequisites: 

Registration: www.fbi.gov/portland

There are two different days and locations for this training.

June 23, 2015 Will be held at DPSST 4190 Aumsville Hwy, SE Salem, OR 97317

June 24, 2015 Will be held in Bend - location to be announced

For more information, contact Special Agent Sandra Flint at (503) 460-8158 or pd-training@ic.fbi.gov

Attire: 

Class Needs: 

Lodging: 

Courses listed are not necessarily endorsed or approved through DPSST
Wildland
6/12-13/2015

Class Title: Metro Area Wildland School
Target Audience: Northwest Association of Fire Trainers & Washington County Training Association

When: 6/12-13/2015
Registration Deadline: May 29th, 201
Contact: 
Hours: 8:30-5:30
Where: Molalla, Oregon

Cost: $50.00 each for engine boss students $75.00 each for each STL student
Instructors:

Overview: Strike Team/TaskForce Leader & Engine Boss Taskbook Competencies

Task Book components (W/RX) covered during the class:

Live Fire/ Hand line/Mop up/ Progressive Hose Lay/ Mobile Attack/Structural Protection/Firing - Operations/Air operations.

1. Due to limited openings (4-Strike Team Leaders, and 12-Brush engines per day) 2. Each agency should prioritize personnel that are assigned to go on conflagrations, and are working on Strike Team Leader or Engine Boss Task Book.
3. Some trainee positions are available on the day of the event (i.e. Safety officer, PIO, Command staff)
4. Participants need to come self-contained to the drill. Personnel need to bring their own food and water.
5. Engine boss students will have the opportunity to direct helicopter water drops 6. All attendees need to come equipped with proper PPE for wildland operations.

All applicants will need to be registered by their training officer or chief officer and provide the following info: Which date students will be attending

Number of individuals coming with them in the brush engine. (We'll accept one certified Engine Boss with two trainee Engine Bosses) If Strike Team Leader - which vehicle number are you bringing to the drill?

Prerequisites:

Registration: For further information about the class contact Shawn.Parrish@clackamas.edu To Register go on line at http://www.nwaftr.org

This a "Rain or Shine" Task Book Exercise Bring your Task Book!!

Attire: Business Casual
Class Needs: Pen & paper
Lodging:
Wildland
6/12-13/2015

Class Title: S-231 Engine Boss & S-330 Strike Team Leader

Target Audience: NAFT & WCTA in partnership with Oregon Department Of Forestry will be once again hosting the METRO AREA WILDLAND SCHOOL (M.A.W.S)

When: 6/12-13/2015

Registration Deadline: ;

Contact: ;

Hours: ;

Where: Molalla Fire Department

Cost: ;

Instructors: ;

Overview: ;

Prerequisites: ;

Registration: ;

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: ;

Lodging: ;
Public Information Officer

6/9-10/2015

Class Title: G-290 Basic Public Information Officer

Sponsoring Agency: Bend Fire & Rescue

When: 6/9-10/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: ;

Hours: 0800-1700

Where: Bend Fire and Rescue Training Center 63377 Jamison Rd Bend, OR 97701

Cost: $75

Instructors: Storm Smith, from Hillsboro Fire & Rescue, and Dave Thompson from Oregon Department of Transporta

Overview: This G-290 class fulfills the prerequisite classroom instruction to be eligible to attend the advanced PIO training course (E-388) at the Emergency Management Institute in Emmitsburg, MD.

Snacks/coffee included.

Lunch on your own.

Prerequisites: Prerequisites: IS-100b, IS-700a & IS-702a. These classes are available on-line from training.fema.gov

Registration: Registration is a promise to pay!

Check or PO
DCRFD #2
1212 SW Simpson
Bend, OR 97702

Space is limited! Please contact Peggy Kirkpatrick to register (541)322-6306. This class typically fills up quickly.

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: N/A
Incident Command System

Class Title: Critical Thinking for the Initial IC

Target Audience: 

Sponsoring Agency: 

When: 6/16-17/2015

Registration Deadline: 

Contact: 

Hours: 0830-1700

Where: Bend Fire and Rescue 63377 Jamison Rd., Bend, OR 97701

Cost: $125/person.

Instructors: 'SEE OVERVIEW'

Overview: Course overview

On a structure fire the initial incident commander is faced with the expectation of making critical decisions in a compressed time frame. CRITICAL THINKING for the INITIAL INCIDENT COMMANDER uses Bloom's Taxonomy and Costas' Levels of Intellectual Functioning methodology in addressing Critical Thinking as applied to the Initial IC when dealing with structure fires.

The class will also look at the components and relationship of "Criteria Based Decision Making" with "Recognition Primed Decision Making" as they apply to fire ground decisions. Students will understand which criteria are critical and how to utilize these criteria in making effective decisions. Subjects that will also be covered include:

* Fire Dynamics/Reading Smoke
* Coordinated Ventilation
* Applying Strategic and Tactical Priorities
* Pitfalls in Decision Making

This is a 16 hour class designed for the Initial Incident Commander whether the student is a Company Officer or Response Chief.

Instructor Bio

Stan Cooke has been with the Spokane Valley FD in Spokane, Washington, since 1981 and has filled the position of Operations Battalion Chief since 2000. He has been qualified as a Type 3 Incident Commander and was an Incident Commander for one of three Incident Management teams for the Spokane County for 3 years.

He is also co-developer of the Command Competency Clinic as well as the co-developer of the Integrated Tactical Accountability System (ITAC), presenting these programs since 1998. These two programs have been taught by BCCooke for individual fire departments, and at fire and life safety conferences in Washington, Idaho, Oregon, and Montana.

Prerequisites:

Registration: Register online: http://www.eventzilla.net/web/event?eventid=2139067674
**Incident Command System**

**Class Title:** Critical Thinking for the Initial IC

Or Contact the instructor, Battalion Chief Stan Cooke: firecommandeast@hotmail.com

Space is limited to 32 students

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Leadership

Class Title: Fire & Leadership Weekend Event!!

Target Audience:

Sponsoring Agency: Mid-Willamette Valley Fire Instructors

When: 6/6-7/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: ; ;

Hours: 0800*-1700

Where: Chemeketa Brooks Campus, Building 2, 4910 Brooklake Rd NE, Brooks, Oregon 97305

Cost: $60.00 for one class or $100.00 for both classes.

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Overview: This course is a real-world case study of taking the latest in fire dynamics research to the street level. While most agree that the latest research can improve firefighter safety, they struggle to translate the research into fireground tactics and implement that change in a successful manner. This program rethinks the tactics of old and incorporates the latest research into tactics using the S.L.I.C.E.R.S method. S.L.I.C.E.R.S is an acronym developed to "operationalize" fire dynamic research concepts. The concept has been vetted with the lead researchers involved and has their endorsements. The program also discusses overcoming resistance to change and the lessons learned in real world implementation. The learning objectives of this course are:

. Participants shall be aware of the outcomes of recent research in fire dynamics and their direct impact on firefighter safety. Participants shall understand predictable resistance to change and strategies and considerations to overcome this resistance.
. Participants shall be oriented to S.L.I.C.E.R.S. tactical acronym and methods to train department members in its use.

A case study will be presented on how Hanover Fire and EMS successfully migrated to this method and the lessons learned along the way. The intent is for the participants to benefit from that experience and be better prepared to take this new life-saving information back to their departments.

Eddie Buchanan began his fire service career in 1982 and is currently a division chief with Hanover Fire & EMS in Richmond, VA. He is a past president of the International Society of Fire Service Instructors and the 2015 recipient of the George D. Post Instructor of the Year Award. He is the author of the Volunteer Training Officers Handbook and serves on the executive advisory board for FDIC and Fire Engineering Magazine.

Leadership Principles of a Highly Effective Supervisor by Todd Keathley, Deputy Chief of Portland Fire & Rescue in Portland, OR (Meets Fire Officer 1 - 4.2 Human Resource Management)

This presentation begins by identifying the critical qualities of a leader and the foundation of leadership. We will have an honest discussion about true leadership, what it is, how to develop it, and how to determine when you are leading appropriately. We will define what true leadership is and identify several leadership myths. We will discuss the importance of influence and the impact leadership can have on all levels of the organization. We will review the 5 levels of leadership and methods for reaching each level. We will evaluate the role of the first-line supervisor and the critical nature of the company officer as a leader. We will assess the direct connection between leadership and firefighter safety and where to find the most powerful leadership in any organization.
Leadership

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We will discuss the benefits of positive reinforcement and the impact it has on the individual employee and the work group as a whole. We will identify opportunities to recognize positive performance and methods for acknowledging that behavior. We will discuss positive reinforcement as a tool to improve and maintain employee performance and behavior.

We will identify clearly defined expectations and explore the importance of clear expectations as they relate to firefighter safety and the supervisor/subordinate relationship. Participants will learn causes of poor performance and actions to be taken by the supervisor to improve performance. We will address successful conflict resolution and how conflict avoidance hampers healthy leadership. We will review steps to be taken to prevent the employee's performance from declining initially. We will discuss the issue of dealing with a substandard employee and the leadership opportunity that it presents. We will identify the appropriate steps to be taken before addressing the struggling employee and the importance of determining the root cause of the performance or behavioral issue.

We will review of the required steps in the disciplinary process and identify the legalities of disciplining a represented employee. We will discuss the organizational benefit of administering an appropriate level of discipline and the process of determining that level. Further, members will understand the importance of fact-finding and proper documentation to ensure a fair and impartial disciplinary process. Participants will learn the importance of counseling and disciplining an employee while salvaging the supervisor/subordinate relationship. The class will consist of a PowerPoint presentation coupled with lecture and group discussion.

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Prerequisites: None

Registration: Go to the Mid-Willamette Fire Instructors website at www.mwfia.com and 'click' on the 'Class Registration' at the top of the page.

Parking is available in the parking areas to the south of Building 2

Attire: Business Casual

Class Needs: Pen & Paper

Lodging: N/A
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Prerequisites: None

Registration: To Register: Go to the Mid-Willamette Fire Instructors website at www.mwfia.com and 'click' on the 'Class Registration' at the top of the page.

Saturday, June 6th, 2015 - Bringing Fire Dynamics Research to The Fireground - SLICERS Sunday, June 7th, 2015 - Leadership Principles of a Highly Effective Supervisor

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Fire Training

Leadership

6/6-7/2015

Class Title: Fire & Leadership Weekend Event!!

Lunch: Lunch is included and will be catered both days.

Attire: Business Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: N/A

Farm Rescue

5/30-31/2015

Class Title: Farm Rescue

Target Audience:

Sponsoring Agency: South Willamette Fire Training Association

When: 5/30-31/2015

Registration Deadline: 05/27/2015

Contact:

Hours: 0800-1700

Where: Lane Fire Authority Station 115 29999 Hallett St. Eugene, Oregon

Cost: $50.00 Morning snacks included

Instructors: Harry Ward & DPSST cadre'

Overview:

This class covers the NFPA 1006 Level II - 10.2 general requirements for Vehicle and Heavy Machinery Rescue Technician

Prerequisites: *PREREQUISITE OF APPROVED DPSST VEHICLE EXTRICATION CLASS*

Registration: www.swfta.org or johnmaxwell@lanefire.org

Class Size: 20 students

Attire:

Class Needs:

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## Farm Rescue

**6/16/2015 OR 06/18/2015**

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**Registration Deadline:**

**Contact:** Corbin Lantz; (503)-378-4542; corbin.lantz@state.or.us

**Hours:** 0800-1700

**Where:** 118 SE 2nd Ave, Suite F, Albany Or. 97321

**Cost:** Free. Meals and lodging are not provided.

**Instructors:** DPSST Staff

**Overview:** PLEASE NOTE: It is possible that this course has a testing component. DPSST is committed to serving test takers with disabilities and health-related needs by providing services and reasonable accommodations that are appropriate given the purpose of the test. Any exam candidate with a documented disability may be eligible for nonstandard testing accommodations. If you believe you may need any adjustments, modifications, or accommodations, you should contact Teresa Plummer at teresa.plummer@state.or.us by one week prior to class date to request suitable arrangements.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Registration:** Two dates, Pick one; June 16th or June 18th ***PLEASE NOTE YOUR CHOSEN DATE ON YOUR APPLICATION***

To Register: Students must pre-register for this course. You must receive an e-mail from DPSST Regional Training confirming you have been registered for this training in order to attend. Registration forms may be obtained from DPSST's website: at: [http://www.oregon.gov/DPSST](http://www.oregon.gov/DPSST) . On the right side of your screen hover over the Criminal Justice link, select Training, and then click on the Regional and Advanced Training link. Click on the course registration app. Link located on the left side of your screen. Scan and e-mail to: dpsstregional@state.or.us . Registration questions contact Jennifer, DPSST, jennifer.otterlee@state.or.us

**Attire:** Casual

**Class Needs:** Pen & paper

**Lodging:** None
NFA Classes

NFA SHAPING THE FUTURE

Class Title: NFA SHAPING THE FUTURE

Target Audience: Lower Columbia River Training Officers Association

Sponsoring Agency: Lower Columbia River Training Officers Association

When: 6/16-17/2015

Registration Deadline:

Contact: ; ;

Hours: 0800-1700

Where: Lee Broadbent Training Center 58577 McNulty Way, St. Helens, OR 97051, 503-543-5026

Cost: $35.00

Instructors: Phil Davis

Overview: This 2-day course is the first of two courses on midlevel management covering the skills and techniques midlevel managers will need to provide leadership and direction for their departments. The first module focuses on identifying opportunities and/or problems. Topics include environmental scanning, paradigm shifts, and methods for reframing problems accurately. The second module deals with group problem-solving techniques. The third module explains the need to quantify, justify, and communicate decisions so they will be implemented effectively. Managing change will be discussed in the final module. Topics include people who resist change, overcoming that resistance, and monitoring and evaluating the change before, during, and after implementation.

This class is part of the National Fire Academy Managing Officer Program

The Instructor, Phil Davis retired in 2005 as the Deputy Fire Chief of the Elk Grove Fire Department in California. He has also served as the Assistant Fire Chief for the UC Davis Fire Department. His fire experience spans 28 years (and in emergency services for 33 years) and has worked as a firefighter/paramedic, captain, training officer, EMS coordinator and Chief Fire Officer. He has served on two Type-2 Incident Management Teams for CALFIRE in California. After retiring from the fire department, Chief Davis served as the regional Emergency Services Director for the American Red Cross, Capital Region Chapter. His experience also includes part-time adjunct faculty positions at the National Fire Academy, UC Davis and Chico State University as well as numerous California community colleges.

Prerequisites: N/A

Registration: To register, go to www.lcrtoa.com/registration.html Questions? Contact Jeff Pricher at jpricher@srfd.us

Class Size is limited to 30

Attire: Casual

Class Needs: Pen & paper

Lodging: