



Hot Spots from the State Fire Marshal October 2010

Oregon Garden Fire Safety House

The Office of State Fire Marshal (OSFM) is partnering with the Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) in developing the first full-scale fire prevention and safety house in the nation to be located on the grounds of the Oregon Garden in Silverton. The OSFM and ODF collaborated to receive a \$600K Assistance to Firefighters Grant to help fund interpretive displays and other items. Project partners are also pursuing corporate sponsorships. The project includes other partners such as Moonstone Properties, the Oregon Garden Foundation, and the Oregon State University Extension Service. At 10 a.m., Friday, October 8, 2010, a signing ceremony will take place in front of the fire safety house located on the Oregon Garden property. The project is in the final design stages, with construction to begin after the signing ceremony. For more information, contact Stephanie Stafford at 503-934-8245.

Juvenile Firesetter Intervention training

The Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal in partnership with Jackson County Fire District No. 3 (JCFD#3) is sponsoring a Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist 1 training October 26 & 27 at the JCFD#3 in White City, Oregon. Training is geared to professionals from the fire service, school system, mental health, social service/child welfare, law enforcement, and juvenile justice who work with youth with firesetting behavior. The class meets the knowledge requirement of the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training Task Book for National Fire Protection Association (NFPA 1035) certification as Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist 1 in Oregon. For more information, contact Helen Feroli at 503-934-8240 or Helen.feroli@state.or.us.

Send us your Fire Prevention Week photos

Oregon fire agencies are encouraged to email photos of their Fire Prevention Week and Do the Drill activities to OSFM Public Affairs Specialist Rich Hoover at richard.hoover@state.or.us. We would like to highlight the fire prevention and education efforts in future editions of the Gated Wye monthly newsletter.