8th Annual

Tri-City

Regional Fire & EMS School

2017

Hosted by:
Namozine Volunteer Fire and EMS

“Reaching New Heights through Training”

December 9-10, 2017
Southerland Elementary School
6000 R. B. Pamplin Drive
Sutherland, VA 23885

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Class Descriptions

HTR – Rope Rescue, Level II – December 9th – 11th, 2017

This program meets or exceeds the requirements for NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescue Professional Qualifications, Chapter 6, Level II. The student will learn to perform at the Technician Level as specified in NFPA 1670, Standard on Operations and Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents, Chapter 5.

This 24 hour program includes classroom and practical training including completing an assignment while suspended from a rope rescue system, moving a victim, functioning as a litter tender, selecting and constructing a system, directing a team in the operation of a system in a high angle environment.

Pre-Course Requirements:

1) Students MUST be 18 years of age.
2) Successful completion of Virginia Department of Fire Programs Rope Rescue Level I (Rope Rescue Operations) program.
3) Students must be a member in good standing with a recognized fire, EMS, or emergency services agency/department to apply to attend.
4) Students shall be psychologically, physically, and medically capable to perform assigned duties and functions at technical search and rescue incidents and to perform training exercises in accordance with NFPA 1500 Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program, Chapter 10-Medical and Physical Requirements.

HTR – Confine Space Rescuer, Level I – December 9th – 10th, 2017

This program meets or exceeds the requirements for NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescue Professional Qualifications, Chapter 7, Level I. The student will learn to perform at the Operations Level as specified in NFPA 1670, Standard on Operations and Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents, Chapter 7. This 16-hour program includes classroom and practical training for performance at the operations level. Topics include hazard recognition, atmospheric monitoring, and preparation for entry, entering a confined space, packaging the victim and safe removal of victim and all entrants.

Pre-Course Requirements:

1) Students MUST be 18 years of age.
2) Current minimum certification of VDFP Fire Attack - Essentials, Firefighter I or verification by student’s agency/department satisfying OSHA 1910.134 PPE Respiratory Protection requirements for SCBA.

3) Successful completion of Virginia Department of Fire Programs Introduction to Technical Rescue Module 1 and Module 2 programs.

4) Successful completion of Virginia Department of Fire Programs Rope Rescue Level I (Rope Rescue Operations) program.

5) Students must be a member in good standing with a recognized fire, EMS, or emergency services agency/department to apply to attend.

6) Students shall be psychologically, physically, and medically capable to perform assigned duties and functions at technical search and rescue incidents and to perform training exercises in accordance with NFPA 1500 Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program, Chapter 10-Medical and Physical Requirements.

**HTR – Machinery Rescue – December 9th – 10th, 2017**

This two day program consists of both classroom and practical exercises involving a variety of complex situation or incidents involving machinery or unusual situations. The students will perform several practical exercised to experience first-hand how to properly manage these types of incidents.

**Pre-Course Requirements:**

1. Students MUST be 18 years of age;
2. Students must be a member in good standing with a recognized fire, EMS, or public safety agency/department to apply to attend;
3. Successful completion of Virginia Department of Fire Programs *Introduction to Technical Rescue, Module I & Module II and Vehicle, Level I*
4. Students shall be psychologically, physically, and medically capable to perform assigned duties and functions at technical search and rescue incidents and perform training exercises in accordance with the NFPA 1500 *Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program*, Chapter 10-Medical and Physical Requirements.
NFA – Health and Safety Officer – December 9-10, 2017

This two-day course examines the Health and Safety Officer’s role in identifying, evaluating and implementing policy and procedures that affect health and safety aspects for emergency responders. Risk analysis, wellness, and other occupational safety issues will be the main emphasis of this course.

With the recent emphasis on the health and wellness of our staff this is a much needed program for first responders in today environment.

Pre-Course Requirements: IS 100, IS 200, IS 700

NFA – ICS-300 – December 8, 9, 10, 2017. Class will be held at Namozine Fire Station on December 8th from 6:30 pm to 10:30 pm.

This 20 hour course is designed for those emergency response personnel who would function in a Command or General Staff position during a large, complex incident or event. Or those personnel who are or would likely be part of a local or regional Incident Management Team during a major incident, whether single agency, multiagency or Unified Command.

Pre-Course Requirements: IS 100, IS 200, IS 700

VDFP – Mayday Firefighter Down! – December 9-10, 2017

This 16 hour program is designed to teach firefighters how to prepare and react to an incident that involves them being lost, trapped and/or unable to exit the building. The program has been designed to follow the National Guidelines and lessons learned from those that have had “Mayday” events.

Pre-Course Requirements:

1. Must be certified at the Firefighter I level or higher.
2. Must be 18 years of age or have signed parental permission form in the Division office prior to the program start or bring it to the school signed.
3. Must provide personal protective clothing and self contained breathing apparatus.

Only

This program will be conducted utilizing scenarios and practical exercises to expose participate to the normal incidents and how to properly mitigate them as a member of the Engine Company. Participates must have completed Hazardous Materials Operations and be able to properly use Personal Protective Clothing (PPE) and Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA). The participates should bring their own PPE and SCBA. The school will provide an air trailer for bottle refills so no spare cylinder is required.

This is an excellent way to practice for those calls that we do not run on a regular basis. One of the exercises will be around how to set up the Engine Co. for success as it relates to perform decontamination on us prior to returning to the station.

Traffic Incident Management (TIM) Class – December 9, 2017
(4 Hours) – 8 am to 12 Noon

The purpose of this Virginia-specific course is to make first responders aware of safe, quick clearance strategies for Traffic Incident Management (TIM).

It gives detailed instruction and examples that involve clearing an incident scene as soon as practical to restore normal traffic flow. Being aware of TIM and these strategies and how they pertain to various Virginia first responders. This course addresses all TIM disciplines and their roles in the incident management response on the roads of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Participates will not be charged a registration fee for this program however if they stay for either lunch or dinner there will be a fee collected to offset the cost of the meals.

ATV & UTV Awareness and Operations (VAVRS) – December 9th-10th, 2017
Trailer EVOC (VAVRS)

This course developed by the VAVRS is designed for the Special Events Vehicle and All Terrain Vehicle for EMS and Fire use. This is a 16 hour course “Best Practices” course that includes both classroom and practical exercises. Topics include: safety, Virginia laws, preparing to ride, basic & advanced skills, and hands-on practical evolutions.

Basic Course Prerequisites: EVOC, safety equipment (helmet, gloves, safety glasses and boots). The attendees for this program will also take the VAVRS Trailer EVOC Class to be held as part of the delivery of the program.
VDFP – Response to Aviation Accidents for First Responders – December 9th-10th, 2017

This program is designed to provide emergency response personnel who may be the first to arrive on the scene of an aviation incident or accident the fundamental knowledge and skills to insure a positive outcome.

The base program consists of a lecture/field trip program designed for all types of first responders (Fire/EMS, LEO, etc.). The program is designed to introduce first responders to the aviation industry in Virginia. This includes data on the size and scope of the aviation industry and infrastructure in Virginia. The program also includes a section combining actual Virginia aviation accident and incident case studies with an emphasis on what first responders can expect to encounter. Responders will also learn the basic of aircraft anatomy, construction, and potential dangers. Additionally, responders will also learn about possible agencies and organizations that may be a part of an aviation accident or incident.

Licensed EMS personnel who complete the course will also earn 11 hours of Category 2 OEMS CEU’s.

Pre-Course Requirements: Students must be eighteen years old.

L. P. Gas Emergencies – Train-the-Trainer – December 9th - 10th, 2017

This program will update the current instructors and provide the necessary instruction for new instructors for the updated L.P. Gas Emergencies Program. New Instructors applying for instructor status must take a pre-test prior to the start of the class. The test will be administered at any of the Division Offices. If test failure occurs, individuals will not be allowed a re-test and must wait ninety (90) days before being allowed to attempt the pre-test again. The Train-the-Trainer will consist of a discussion on how the program was designed and how to manage and deal with small group activities and the practical components of the program.

Course Prerequisites: Instructor II or above, Have taken the L.P. Gas Emergencies program and pass the pre-test with a score of 80% or better.
Driver Pump Operator – Train-the-Trainer Update– December 9th

**Description:** This program will be to update current instructors on the new Driver Pump Operator program being released on July 1, 2017. This program has been updated to utilizing the IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver Operator, 3rd edition textbook and curriculum.

**Prerequisites:** Instructor I or higher Instructor certification. The candidate shall have been certified in DPO for at least three years prior to taking the Train-the-Trainer.

**Equipment Required:** None

**Hours:** 4 (Saturday, December 9th - 800-1200)

**Maximum Enrollment:** 24 candidates

National Fire Academy Course Train the Trainer

**Description:** This program will provide those instructors desiring to teach the general NFA 2 day Handoff programs within the Commonwealth the ability to teach provided they have completed the program delivered as a student prior to being selected to instruct the program. Prior to being released to present on their own, instructors will need to “team teach” one NFA program with a released instructor.

**Prerequisites:** Officer I and Instructor II or higher Instructor certification. The candidate shall have been certified as an Instructor II for at least 12 months. The candidate will have to pass a 25 question pre-test with a score of 80% or better prior to attending the course. The pre-test will be developed from the Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 8th edition textbook.

**Equipment Required:** None

**Hours:** 8 (Sunday, December 10, 2017)

**Maximum Enrollment:** 24 candidates
Division I
Training Notice

Program: THE 350' Line Class  
Tri-City Regional School

Date: December 9th – 10th, 2017                         Registration closing: November 27th

Location: Sutherland Elementary School  
6000 R. B Pamplin Drive, Sutherland, VA 23885

Time: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm both days

Description: A hands-on, movement-driven class covering nozzle selection, water delivery and stream application. We will explore the pros and cons of different hose loads, deployments and stretches with evolutions to enforce appropriate applications of each under a variety of fire ground conditions. We are focused on aggressive, fast water actions for initial engine company responses that will set you up for success regardless of your department's staffing levels, size, or whether in an urban or rural setting.

The 350' Line is committed to giving you new tools and techniques, and to helping firefighters at all experience levels in "Perfecting the Craft."

Prerequisites: Firefighter I

Hours: 16

Course Student Size: Limited to 24 students

Cost: 40.00 per student

Student Equipment Needed: Complete Set of PPE, SCBA and Spare Bottle

Registration/Special information: Register on FSTRS or complete application in the Tri-City Regional School flyer. This is a special offering being added to the Tri-City Regional School.

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The Virginia Department of Fire Programs and the Namozine Volunteer Fire and EMS Department, Inc will conduct the 8th Annual Regional Fire and EMS School on December 9th -10th. All classes will be held on December 9th & 10th with the exception of the HTR class and the ICS-300. Please see the class description for the dates and/or times.

Registration Fee
A $40.00 NON-REFUNDABLE registration fee is required to register for the Tri-City Regional Fire & EMS School. This registration fee covers school cost and the steak/shrimp feast on Saturday night (September 16th). Applications that have incorrect checks will be returned. If you plan to bring a family member or guest to the steak feast you can pay for them at the time of check in Saturday morning.

Make checks payable to the Tri-City Regional Fire & EMS School.

Registration
Registrations will be taken online on the Fire Training Record System (FSTRS) on a “first come, first served” basis. Paper registration forms will also be accepted by mailing them to the Namozine Fire Station. Registration fees are due to Namozine Fire and EMS, Inc. within 7 calendar days of online registration date or accompanying the paper registration form. Failure to receive payment within 7 calendar days will delete your online registration. You may also pay registration online by going to the Namozine Fire Department website at www.namozinefireems.org.

Check In and Opening Ceremonies
All students must check-in at the Sutherland Elementary School between 7:15 AM and 8:00 AM on December 9, 2017. Opening exercises will begin promptly at 8:00 AM in the Gym. Classroom assignments will be provided at the conclusion of the opening exercises.

The Saturday evening dinner will be held at the Old Town Civic Center which is located at 136 River Street, Petersburg, Va. The food, drink, and fellowship will begin around 5:45 p.m. Door prizes will be given away. Please make sure to attend this enjoyable event.

Directions:
From the north take I-95 south to I-85. Take I-85 south to Exit 61. When you come off the ramp you will go right for approximately 3 mile to R.B. Pamplin Drive on your left. The school will be at the end of the road on the right.
From the south take I-85 north to Exit 61. When you come off the ramp you will turn left and go approximately 3 mile to R.B. Pamplin Drive on your left. You The school will be at the end of the road on the right.
TRI-CITY REGIONAL FIRE AND EMS SCHOOL
December 9th-10th, 2017

STUDENT APPLICATION FORM
This application form must be completed for all persons requesting to register for the Tri-City Regional School. When submitting the application, please note the following:

1. A $40.00 NON-REFUNDABLE registration fee is required to be submitted with the school application. Checks must be made payable to: “Tri-City Regional Fire and EMS School”. The registration fee covers school administrative costs and the dinner on Saturday.

2. DO NOT MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF FIRE PROGRAMS!!! These checks will be returned and applications accompanying incorrectly written checks will not be processed. Applications without the registration fee will be returned.

3. Registration is open. The LAST DATE FOR REGISTRATION is November 27, 2017. Seating for classes will be extremely limited. All registrations are based on seating availability. Proof of identification will be required at time of check on September 16th.

NAME: ____________________________________________

Last 4 digits SSN: _____________________ DATE OF BIRTH: __________________

DEPT NAME: ________________________________________ FDID: ____________

PHONE NUMBERS: Home (_____) __________________ Work (_____) ______________
Pager (____) _____________________ Cell (____) __________________

E-MAIL: ______________________________________________

HOME ADDRESS: ____________________________________________
CITY: ____________________________ STATE: __________ ZIP: ________

CLASSES: Please indicate 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice

1st Choice ____________________________________________

2nd Choice ____________________________________________

3rd Choice ____________________________________________

RETURN APPLICATIONS AND REGISTRATION FEES BY November 27, 2017.

TO: Tri-City Regional Fire and EMS School
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