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ARIZONA STATE FIRE SCHOOL



The Arizona State Fire School is brought to you through the volunteer efforts and commitment of the Arizona State Fire Training Committee.

Since the first fire school in 1973 the goal has been to improve the safety of Arizona's firefighters by offering high quality training.

Well trained and knowledgeable firefighters can better protect the citizens of their respective communities from the many hazards of daily life.

Each year the Fire School continues the work of the State Training Committee in meeting this goal. From Basic Firefighter Skills to Fire Service Leadership to

Fireground Operations the Fire School provides education in the skills and knowledge a modern firefighter needs to be effective while remaining safe. Fire School brings the

Arizona Fire Service together, not only to educate but to celebrate our history and recognize our members, past and present, whose work and vision have created today's fire service.

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Arizona Firefighters and families,

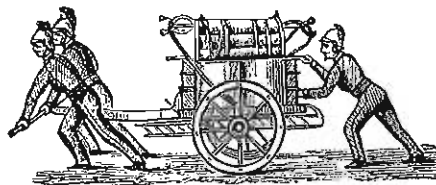
As we rapidly approach our 38th annual State Fire School our state is experiencing some very trying times. Political challenges, budget slashing, and pressure to do more with less has impacted nearly every department within this great state. But like usual, firefighters find a way to “take care of business”. Your dedication to taking care of your communities is something all of our citizens can be very proud of.

Many of you have attended The State Fire School in the past and we hope you will return to experience over 30 classes, many nightly events, and one of the best training experiences available at any venue. With the addition of many new classes, and the continuation of the most important basic skills classes, we have tried to offer every member of the fire service an applicable learning experience.

The all volunteer training committee has worked very hard to continue the four decade reputation that has been handed down to us. Like our predecessors we have dedicated our efforts to providing the highest quality training, at the most affordable cost. With the help of all our state wide partners, the 40 members of the State Training Committee, and all of you, we thank everyone who supports this endeavor. All the efforts of this annual training school will continue to provide the means for our firefighters to safely provide others the protections they deserve.

With that said, I can't wait to see everyone – so let's “Get Training”.

Randy Redmond
Fire Training Committee Chairman
Fire Chief – City of Sierra Vista



38th Annual Arizona State Fire School

September 7 - 11, 2011
Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel
200 N. Centennial Way, Mesa, AZ 85201

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Schedule of Events

Wednesday, September 7

8:00 am Fire Instructor I workshop begins
(see class description section for information)
3- 6:00 pm Fire School check in
Mesa Convention Center Lobby

Thursday, September 8

7:00 am Fire School check in
8:30 am Opening Ceremonies
Mesa Convention Center, Main Hall

- Welcome and Opening Comments
- Fire Fighter Memorial Service
- Fire Fighter of the Year Award
- Arizona Fire & Life Safety Educator of the Year Award
- Arizona Fire Service Hall of Fame Induction
- Fire Investigator of the Year Award
- Volunteer Fire Fighter of the Year

9:45 am Break
10:15 am Keynote presentation – Tragedy in Tucson
11:45 am Workshop information
12:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
1:30 pm Workshops begin
5:30 pm Workshops adjourn
6-9:00 pm Fire School Night at the Hall of Flame Fire Museum

Friday, September 9

8:00 am Workshops begin
12:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
1:30 pm Workshops continue
5:30 pm Workshops adjourn
5:30 pm IAAI meeting - contact information desk for location
6:00 pm Fire Apparatus Display, Custom Car Show & Family Block Party

Saturday, September 10

8:00 am Workshops begin
12:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
1:30 pm Workshops continue
5:30 pm Workshops adjourn
6:00 pm Raffle drawing
Ballroom D, Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

Sunday, September 11

8:00 am Workshops begin
12:00 pm Workshops adjourn
1-2:30 pm State testing for Instructor and Inspector Programs

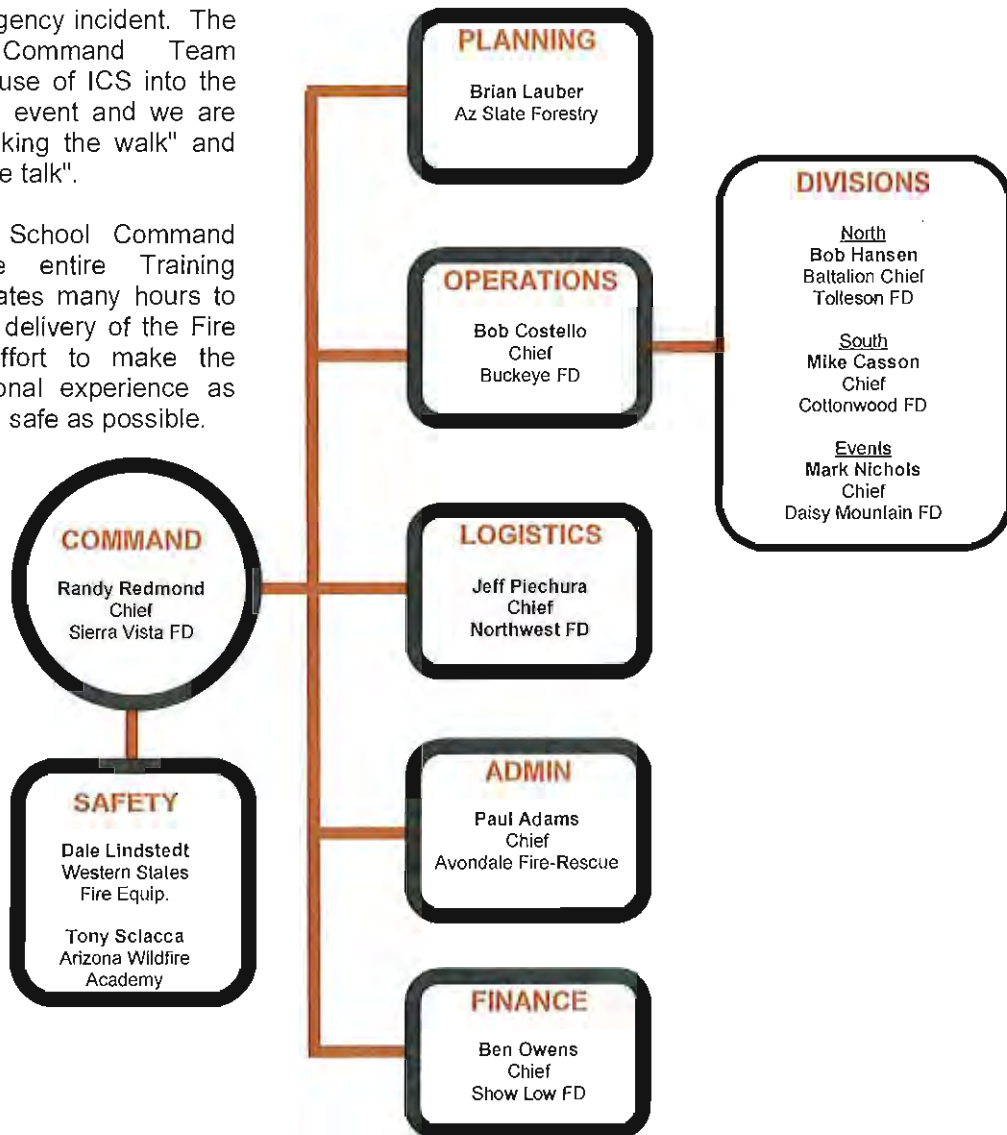


COMMAND TEAM



The Arizona State Fire Training Committee utilizes an Incident Command System (ICS) model to run the fire school. For many years we have taught ICS to agencies throughout the state as a means to manage an emergency incident. The Fire School Command Team incorporates the use of ICS into the operations of the event and we are proud to be "walking the walk" and not just "talking the talk".

The 2011 Fire School Command Team and the entire Training Committee dedicates many hours to the planning and delivery of the Fire School in an effort to make the students educational experience as worthwhile and as safe as possible.



WORKSHOP LISTING

SKILLS TRAINING

- 1 Basic Fire Fighter Skills
- 2 Confined Space Rescue I
- 3 Emergency Stabilization & Extrication
- 4 Emergency Vehicle Driving
- 5 Preparing the Emergency Vehicle Driving Instructor / Evaluator
- 6 Fire Ground Tactics & Procedures
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WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

SKILLS TRAINING



1. BASIC FIRE FIGHTER SKILLS

COORDINATOR: Greg Ruiz, Ted White
INSTRUCTORS: Hans Silberschlag, Dustin Schuab, Mark DeBruyckere, Bob Matthews, Pat Reynolds, Jimmy Grimes, Ernie McGoffie

Tempe Fire Department & Scottsdale Training Center

This course is designed to provide knowledge at the awareness level to the inexperienced fire fighter. Using classroom and hands-on training, the student will be exposed to fire fighter safety and training standards, SCBA use, hose, ladders, ropes and knots, fire streams and firefighting tools.

Special Notice: The first class meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon in the Main Hall of the Mesa Community Center. The remainder of the workshop will be held at the Tempe Fire Department/APS Joint Training Facility or at the Scottsdale Training Center. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant/serviceable condition), No facial hair

2. CONFINED SPACE RESCUE I

COORDINATOR: Steve Hagerla, Tom Dwiggins
INSTRUCTORS: Staff

Lab Fee: \$20

Chandler Fire Training Center

This course will provide an overview of OSHA law (29CFR 1910.146), monitoring atmospheres and ventilation techniques, as they apply to first responders. Activities will include hands-on drills for monitoring air atmospheres, ventilation activities and use of specialized technical rescue equipment. Actual personnel rescues will be conducted

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Chandler Fire Training Center. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

3. EMERGENCY STABILIZATION EXTRICATION

COORDINATORS: Chad Anderson
INSTRUCTORS: Staff

Lab Fee: \$30

Mesa Public Safety Training Facility

A hands on class for both new and seasoned fire fighters looking for the basics and advanced extrication techniques. Topics to be covered are new care technology, hydraulic and hand tools, scene hazards, vehicle stabilization patient care and rapid extrication. Advance and basic pits will be available for all skill levels on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. This is a very physically demanding course.

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Mesa Fire Training Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full turnouts (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), steel toe bunker boots or shoes, helmets, gloves and safety glasses

4. EMERGENCY VEHICLE DRIVING

COORDINATOR: John Hayes
INSTRUCTORS: Wiatt Wong, Edward (Chuck) Busboom, Brian Hickey

Mesa Public Safety Training Facility

This course addresses the problems of emergency vehicle operations. Topics include: legal aspects, accident avoidance and mechanical limitations. A

hands-on, skill-training course will be utilized.

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Mesa Fire Training Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: You must have a valid Arizona Class D Operators drivers license.

5. PREPARING THE EMERGENCY VEHICLE DRIVING INSTRUCTOR / EVALUATOR

COORDINATOR: John Hayes
INSTRUCTORS: Tom Hand

Mesa Public Safety Training Facility

This course will provide necessary information and training to those persons responsible for conducting emergency vehicle driver training. Topics covered include procedures for selecting driver candidates, familiarization with applicable NFPA and other standards associated with driving emergency vehicles, developing a driver/operator certification program, driver evaluation techniques for cone course and over-the-road testing, and developing testing mechanisms. Students will also be given hands-on instruction for driver evaluation on both a cone and a road course. All necessary classroom instruction for driver candidates will also be covered.

SPECIAL NOTICE: This workshop will meet at the Mesa Fire Training Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

PREREQUISITES:

- Must have completed a recognized apparatus driver/operator program
- Must be responsible for driver training for their agency
- Must possess a valid Arizona driver's license.

6. FIREGROUND TACTICS & PROCEDURES

COORDINATOR: Todd Canale

INSTRUCTORS: David Hall, Scott Ferguson

Mesa Convention Center

This course provides the Fire Officer or prospective Fire Officer with the training to develop strategies to manage individual fires and emergencies. The course is fast paced, visual and applicable to your daily emergency responses. Command procedures dealing with the initial response, rescue techniques, fire control, ventilation, property conservation, urban interface and special tactical operations will be covered in-depth.

7. FIRE GROUND SURVIVAL

COORDINATOR: Brian Moore, David Nunez

INSTRUCTORS: Staff

Lab Fee: \$30

Phoenix Fire Academy

There is no other call more challenging to fire ground operations than a MAYDAY call. Unfortunately it's not if a MAYDAY will happen, it's a question of when. The IAFF Fire Ground Survival program is the most comprehensive program currently available in the fire service. Incorporating federal regulations, proven incident management best practices, survival techniques from leaders in the field and real case studies from experienced firefighters the FGS program aims to educate all firefighters on how to be prepared if the unthinkable happens. IAFF FGS instructors will provide participating fire departments with the skills they need to improve situational awareness and prevent a MAYDAY. Topics to be covered include:

Preventing the MAYDAY: situational awareness, planning size-up, air management, fitness for survival, defensive operations

Being ready for the MAYDAY: personal safety equipment, communications, accountability systems

Self survival procedures: avoiding panic, mnemonic learning aid "GRAB LIVES", actions a firefighter must take to improve survivability, emergency breathing

Self-survival skills: SCBA familiarization, emergency procedures, disentanglement, upper floor escape techniques

Firefighter expectations of Command: command level MAYDAY training, pre-

MAYDAY, MAYDAY and rescue, post-rescue, expanding the incident command system, communications

How to survive the MAYDAY and how to lead the rescue.

Special Notice: *This workshop will meet at the Phoenix Fire Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.*

PREREQUISITE: Arizona Fire Fighter I & II certification. This course also requires the completion of the on-line Fire Ground Survival Awareness Course and requires an IAFF ID number. You do not need to be an IAFF member to participate in the class or take the on-line course. The site indicated below walks you through the process of obtaining that ID number. If you have problems, please contact the IAFF Department of Occupational Health and Safety at (202) 824-9303 or contact Director Jim Brinkley at: jbrinkley@iaff.org

The website address for the awareness course is:

<http://www.iaff.org/et/lms>

The Fire Ground Survival Awareness Course **MUST** be completed prior to arriving at Fire School.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full Structural Turnouts and SCBA (NFPA compliant/ serviceable condition) with PASS, no facial hair.

8. FIRE PUMPS: THEORY, OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

COORDINATOR: Tom Tatum

INSTRUCTORS: Alan Shrock, Mike Apodaca, George Gutierrez

Mesa Fire Maintenance Facility

This class will provide fire fighters the basics of fire pump operation and maintenance. Topics covered include: pump components, pump operation, pump maintenance and pump testing. This class will include field operations as well as classroom hands-on exercises. Videos, a cutaway pump, fire apparatus, pump components and handouts will be utilized in this class. Be prepared to get dirty.

Special Notice: *This workshop will meet at the Mesa Fire Maintenance Facility. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.*

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Work clothes, gloves and eye protection.

9. FOAM TECHNOLOGY IN THE FIRE SERVICE

COORDINATORS: Don Howard, Paul Fraser

INSTRUCTORS: Keith Klassen, Mark Tracy

Tracy

Scottsdale Fire Academy

This course is designed to cover all aspects of Class A foam use in the fire service. It will also provide an introduction to Class B foam. Topics include: safety; equipment including proportioners, aspirating systems, compressed air foam systems; the tactical use of foam on wildland, vehicle, interface and structural firefighting. Class A and B demonstrations will be included. Hands-on activities will include assembling of foam systems to produce various types of foam, foam application exercises and tabletop tactics. This course is a must for any department currently using or considering the use of foam.

Special Notice: *This workshop will meet at Scottsdale Fire Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.*

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), No facial hair.

10. INTRODUCTION TO FIRE HYDRAULICS

COORDINATOR: Herb Ham

INSTRUCTOR: Wes Trayner

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course is designed to provide fire fighters and engineers with the working knowledge of fire ground hydraulics. The course utilizes classroom and field pumping exercises and instruction on basic flow and friction loss requirements for common hose evolutions. Tricks-of-the-trade formulas are utilized for easy retention.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Saturday only- Helmet, leather gloves, steel-toed boots (leather or rubber)

11. LADDER TRUCK COMPANY FUNCTIONS & OPERATIONS

COORDINATOR: Thad Trinko

INSTRUCTORS: Tom Shaw, Mike Thomas, Scott Hollingsworth, Jake Brogdon, Dave Villareal

LAB FEE: \$50

Chandler Fire Training Center

This course provides all firefighters a comprehensive understanding of ladder truck company functions and operations on the fire ground. Your department does not need to have a "truck company" for you to benefit from this course. Fire Ground skills covered include ventilation size-up, vertical ventilation techniques, positive pressure ventilation techniques, roof systems; including truss types and their associated hazards, forcible entry, and safe operating procedures on residential and commercial roofs. Field exercises include hands-on training with various hand and power tools.

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Chandler Fire Training Center. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

PREREQUISITE: Arizona Fire Fighter I & II certification

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), No facial hair.



12. LIVE FIRE TRAINING - BASIC

COORDINATORS: Dewey Ray, Fernando Valenzuela
INSTRUCTORS: Jason Stello, Tom Delzio, Jeremy Mendola, John Leivas

LAB FEE: \$30

Mesa Public Safety Training Facility

This course is for the newly certified fire fighter, or fire fighter with limited experience, and is designed to enhance the new fire fighter's knowledge and build on basic firefighting skills. The class will focus on activities necessary to operate safely in interior live fire conditions. Students will improve skills in PPE/SCBA donning/doffing, fire ground safety, and fire behavior under live interior structure fire conditions. Under close supervision, students will operate as fire companies practicing

search and rescue, fire ground safety, and fire attack and support activities. Participants must meet specific performance criteria in order to receive a Certificate of Completion.

Target Audience: Newly certified fire fighters who have had limited live fire experience and fire fighters with live fire experience who want to reinforce basic skills.

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Mesa Public Safety Training Center. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

PREREQUISITE: Arizona Fire Fighter I & II certification.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), No facial hair.

13. LIVE FIRE TRAINING - INTERMEDIATE

COORDINATOR: David Nunez
INSTRUCTORS: Chris Jessop, Troy Navarro, Larry Pierce

LAB FEE: \$30

Phoenix Fire Training Academy

This course is designed to enhance and build upon the *experienced* fire fighter's essential techniques of fire fighting. Safe fire ground operations and live fire training under controlled conditions will be utilized. Instruction will focus on structural, fixed facility (flammable liquid/gas) installations, flashover/fire behavior, and vehicle fires. Participants must meet specific performance criteria to receive a Certificate of Completion.

Target Audience: Fire fighters with past live fire training and experience operating on the fire ground. This is not an introductory course.

Special Notice: This workshop will meet at the Phoenix Fire Training Academy. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

PREREQUISITE: Arizona Fire Fighter I & II certification.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), No facial hair.



14. ROPE RESCUE I

COORDINATOR: Steven Kinkade
INSTRUCTORS: Tim Cooper & Staff

LAB FEE: \$25

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course will introduce the student to the operational level of rope rescue. Students will study the differences between technical and non-technical litter evacuations. Students will be introduced to basic knot craft, anchor systems, mechanical advantages, belay techniques, rope and allied equipment necessary to conduct rope rescue operations. This class is a required prerequisite for the technical rescue program.

Special Notice: This workshop requires travel to an off-site location. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Gloves, boots, helmet w/chin strap, seat harness (optional).

15. ROPE RESCUE II

COORDINATOR: Steve Kinkade
INSTRUCTORS: Tim VanScoter

LAB FEE: \$25

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course is designed to take the student from Rope I and introduce them to the vertical environment. Students will participate in skills in the high angle environment including: ascending and descending fixed ropes, self-rescue skills, rescuer based and team based rescue scenarios.

Special Notice: This workshop requires travel to an off-site location. You must provide your own transportation or carpool

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Leather gloves, appropriate hiking/climbing footwear, safety glasses, ANSI Z98.1 rated helmet, hydration bottle or system, outerwear suitable for climate. Class III harness (optional).

16. SMOKE PLUS

COORDINATORS: Randy Karrer
INSTRUCTORS: Paul Bourgeois, Ed Nied, Glenn Crabtree, Gary Ells, Norm Germain, Jake Sample, Rob Helie, Jay Gates, Steve Noble, Bob DiPietro, Travis Rand, Cheryl Horvath

LAB FEE: \$30

Chandler Fire Training Center

This class is designed to enhance the fire fighters awareness to potential fireground factors that have historically contributed to or resulted in fire fighter injuries or deaths. The class is made up of both cognitive and manipulative skills. Classroom time will be spent reviewing building construction, local incident near misses, reading smoke and the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) Sixteen Fire Fighter Life Safety Initiatives. The class will also participate in a flashover chamber to better help understand smoke behavior and its characteristics. The class will also practice various rescue skills.

Special Notice: *This workshop will meet at the Chandler Fire Training Center. You must provide your own transportation or carpool.*

PREREQUISITE: Arizona Fire Fighter I & II certification.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Full protective equipment and SCBA (NFPA compliant / serviceable condition), No facial hair.

FIRE PREVENTION / INVESTIGATION

17. ADVANCED FIRE SPRINKLERS

COORDINATOR: Marco Olsen
INSTRUCTOR: David Mann

Mesa Convention Center

Students will be taught to thoroughly understand NFPA 13. They will leave this course better prepared to review plans and conduct acceptance tests of fire sprinkler systems. Routine testing of systems and fire pumps will be covered.

PREREQUISITE: General working knowledge of fire sprinklers

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Calculator, Copy of NFPA 13 version currently in use in your jurisdiction.

18. FIRE CAUSE & DETERMINATION FOR COMPANY OFFICERS

COORDINATOR: Will Loesche
INSTRUCTOR: Troy Duncan, Josh Friedman

Mesa Convention Center

This course addresses the basic skills needed to conduct initial fire cause determinations. Upon successful completion of this course, students will be better prepared to make observations and gather information that will assist in identifying area(s) of origin, and assess the need for additional assistance and probable cause of a fire. This class is intended for company officers, command/chief officers whose departments do not have a formalized fire investigation unit or responsibility. Subjects include, but are not limited to, behavior of fire, determining area of origin, accidental and incendiary fire cause determination, fire scene examinations, motives of the firesetter, vehicle fires, legal aspects (court testimony), and handling/ preservation of evidence.

19. FIRE INSPECTOR I

COORDINATOR: Dan Uthe
INSTRUCTORS: Carl Shultz, Jon Spezzacatina

Testing Fee: \$50

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

Fundamentals of Fire Prevention

This course provides an introduction to fire inspection principles and practices. The student will learn the minimum tasks required of a Fire Inspector. Included in this program are research, interpretation of codes, implementing policy, testifying at legal proceedings, creating forms and job aids, code enforcement inspections and analysis of new and existing structures and properties for construction, occupancy, fire protection and exposures. The course involves student interaction and practical application of inspection principles through class exercises and inspection exercises required by NFPA 1031 – Inspector I. The primary audience is fire company personnel and others responsible for conducting fire/life safety inspections. Students who complete the class and pre-class assignments will be eligible to test for the AFSI Fire Inspector I Certification, which will be administered on Sunday at the conclusion of class.

Important Notice: All students must complete (prior to class) an Interactive CD and associated assignments. CD and assignments available by email request (include your mailing address) to Glenn D'Auria @ afma-qdauria@live.com, 520-837-7108.

Certification testing fee of \$50 is included in the total registration fee of \$175. The testing fee is refundable if a student does not complete all classroom requirements and is not eligible to test. If the fee is refunded the student must retake the entire program to be eligible to test.

PREREQUISITES: Completion of the CD and purchase of the required text (see important notice above).

REQUIRED TEXT: IFSTA Fire Inspection and Code Enforcement (6th edition ONLY). * Search title online to purchase – 6th Edition ONLY. Text must be purchased by the student PRIOR TO CLASS.

20. PUBLIC EDUCATION I

COORDINATOR: Tanya Tanner
INSTRUCTOR: Linda Kirby

Mesa Convention Center

This is a 24 hour course designed to meet the requirements of NFPA 1035, Level I, 1999 edition. It is intended for any fire service personnel who are required to deliver fire safety presentations to any given audience. The content follows the information in the IFSTA manual, Public Fire & Life Safety Educator, 2nd edition. (This publication will be provided)

This course consists of lecture, discussion, and guided activities to achieve the outcome objectives. The course culminates in a 10 to 15 minute life safety presentation that each student will have to complete. A written test will be given.

FIRE LEADERSHIP

21. STREET SMART DEFENSIVE TACTICS FOR FIRE & EMS PROVIDERS

(TRAIN-THE-TRAINER)

COORDINATOR: Bill Miller

INSTRUCTOR: Howard Munding

Mesa Convention Center

This Train-the-Trainer program will prepare Fire Service leaders to present the Street Smart Program to others. Street Smart is a program developed by a veteran firefighter/ EMT to teach firefighters, EMTs, and health care workers easy to use and easy to remember "soft" techniques from the nationally acclaimed CDT® Personal Protection Program and Commando Krav Maga (CKM). This program is NOT designed to have firefighters or EMTs going toe to toe with a combative person. It is to provide them with the tools to be able to extricate themselves from a sudden violent situation and wait for assistance from law enforcement.

Participants will learn:

- pre-incident prevention
- scene size up
- how to approach a home or vehicle
- Arizona laws concerning self defense
- use of force continuum
- domestic violence
- control and escort techniques that facilitate gaining IV access
- securing a patient to a gurney
- reality-based personal protection principles for defense against strikes, chokes, edge weapons, handguns, ground survival

22. FIRE INSTRUCTOR I (NFPA 1041)

COORDINATOR: Clay Wood

INSTRUCTORS: Scott Burt, Richard Wallace

Testing Fee: \$50

Mesa Convention Center

This course is designed to meet the requirements of NFPA 1041, Level I and is required to become a fire service instructor for the State of Arizona. The fire service instructor will be able to demonstrate the knowledge of and the ability to present instruction from prepared material.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: This class will start early, Wednesday morning (8:00 am on Sept 7th). Class will be located in the Mesa Marriott Ballroom A. Students will check-in at their classroom to receive their orientation packet. Students must attend ALL classroom sessions to be eligible to test for certification. The state certification exam for will be given on the final day of class. Individuals must pass the certification exam to be state-certified as Fire Instructor I.

Students are required to obtain a copy of the IFSTA Instructor manual, 7th Edition, and begin reading at least a week prior to class. The text may be obtained through the Fire Service Bookstore at www.fireservicebooks.com

Certification testing fee: \$50 is included in the total registration fee of \$175. Certification testing fees are refundable if a student does not complete all classroom requirements and is not eligible to test (if the fee is refunded, the student must retake the entire program to be eligible to test)

23. FIRE INSTRUCTOR II (NFPA 1041)

COORDINATOR: Clay Wood

INSTRUCTORS: Staff

Testing Fee: \$50

Mesa Convention Center

Fire Instructor II is the second course in the Fire Instructor competency series. Instructor II builds on the fire instructor's basic knowledge and places special emphasis on class and evaluation design strategies and student objective and lesson plan writing skills. Students will review the lesson plan format from Instructor I and then design and write their own student objectives and lesson plans for a one-hour fire department-related class. On the last day of class, students will present a five-minute segment from their lesson plan to the Instructor II class using audio/visual aids. Students must come to class prepared with a topic, an outline, and all resources needed to create a lesson plan and instruct a portion of the lesson plan.

This course is designed to meet the requirements of NFPA 1041, Level II and in 2012 will be required to become an Adjunct Instructor for the Arizona Center for Fire Service Excellence.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Students must attend ALL classroom sessions to be eligible to test for certification. The state certification exam for will be given on the final day of class.

Individuals must pass the certification exam to be state-certified as Fire Instructor II.

Students are required to obtain a copy of the IFSTA Instructor manual, 7th Edition, and begin reading at least a week prior to class. The text may be obtained through the Fire Service Bookstore at www.fireservicebooks.com

Certification testing fee: \$50 is included in the total registration fee of \$175. Certification testing fees are refundable if a student does not complete all classroom requirements and is not eligible to test (if the fee is refunded, the student must retake the entire program to be eligible to test)

24. INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER

COORDINATOR: Mark Nichols

INSTRUCTORS: Rob McLeod, Ron Clark

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course examines the Safety Officer's role in emergency response situations. The main theme is a focus on operations within an incident command system as a safety officer. The participant will be able to identify and analyze concerns as they relate to hazard scene evaluations, and communicate recommended solutions to the command authority. The general audience for ISO is individuals who have a Safety Officer responsibility at emergency operation situations. Persons attending this course should have a working knowledge of the ICS as taught by the National Fire Academy, building construction principles, hazardous materials management, applicable NFPA guidelines and federal regulations.



25. LEADERSHIP III

COORDINATORS: Brad Olson

INSTRUCTOR: Gerry Bates

Mesa Convention Center

Leadership III - Strategies for Supervisory Success: This 2-day course provides the Company Officer with the basic leadership skills and tools to perform effectively in the fire service environment. The course covers when and how to delegate to subordinates, assess personal leadership styles through situational leadership, discipline subordinates, and apply coaching/motivating techniques.

26. EXECUTIVE FIRE OFFICER LEADERSHIP COURSE

COORDINATOR: Mark Gaillard
INSTRUCTORS: Mark Burdick, Jeff Thomas

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course is designed to assist the participant in developing and refining command presence. The course will also address the chief officer role as public administrator. An emphasis will be placed on identifying the behaviors and actions expected of a chief officer. Major topic areas include: image, ethics, managing public funds, developing and maintaining successful relationships, inspiring excellence and avoiding self-destructive behavior.

27. SURVIVAL SKILLS FOR FIRE & EMS LEADERS

COORDINATOR: Mark Gaillard
INSTRUCTORS: Larry Rooney, Jeff Clark, Karen Daines, Dennis Compton

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

This course will emphasize the importance of leadership in fire and emergency services. It is designed to give the student the necessary tools to hone their skills in the areas of organization, planning, analyzing and presenting data. It will also help the student in developing their own personal leadership abilities in order to become a more effective leader in today's dynamic service oriented organizations.

28. RURAL/VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT MANAGEMENT

COORDINATOR: Mel Sorensen
INSTRUCTOR: Glenn Brown

Mesa Convention Center

This course presents many of the basic concepts that are needed to assist the smaller, rural fire departments in their efforts to deliver emergency services to their communities. The course utilizes student and instructor interaction in a classroom setting. Emphasis is placed on liability, SOP's, SOG's and budgets. These are practical, effective, economical and innovative concepts that have been introduced into the fire service to increase total operational efficiency. This course will be beneficial to the smaller department Chief Officers, Training Officers, Board Members and others in positions of authority. Participants should bring topics with them to class that they would like addressed during the class.

29. SAFE & EFFECTIVE FIRE TRAINING

COORDINATOR: BK Merriman
INSTRUCTORS: Staff

THIS CLASS SPONSORED BY
Volunteer Fire Fighters of Arizona

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

Do you know, understand and apply the consent standards that govern safe and effective fire training? Learn what you must do to keep your students safe and your agency out of the "headlines". This is a review of the consent standards that directly apply to fire service training, specifically in the area of live fire training.

Unfortunately, in some cases, "fire training out of control" has led to serious injuries and, tragically, the deaths of several firefighters, instructors and officers. In order to survive, firefighters must be able to think critically and clearly and solve problems quickly under extreme stress. This can be especially difficult in an actual fire. The overall goal of live fire training is to instill good habits in students through repeated exposure. The program will take a look at what a typical live fire

training session looks like according to NFPA 1403.

This class will include a very serious discussion for all fire instructors and fire officers on the good, the bad and the ugly issues, standards and latest facts related to live fire training.



30. FIRE SERVICE HISTORY

COORDINATOR: Larry Taggart
INSTRUCTORS: Staff

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Question: Do you know what a Garret ladder is? Your department has one but you know it by another name.

This class will discuss the history of many parts of the fire service. The class will discuss the evolution of SCBA equipment, Helmets, Pumps, ground and aerial ladders, and many other subjects. Students will also view films of events that caused change to occur not only in fire equipment but in building fire protection. We will also answer the above question.

Quote: Those who forget the past are condemned to repeat it.
Philosopher George Santayana

Required Equipment: NFPA approved gloves and safety shoes/boots

NOTE: This class will be held off-site at the Hall of Flame. Students will be required to provide their own transportation or carpool.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

DURING THE OPENING CEREMONIES ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2011

Fire Fighter Memorial Service

Arizona's fallen fire fighters will be honored at a Fire Fighter Memorial Service conducted during the Opening Ceremonies of the Annual Arizona State Fire School. The service will include a memorial bell ceremony conducted by the Mesa Fire Department Honor Guard Bagpipe and Drum Corps. The service will recognize all members who have served, regardless of the cause of death. Deaths outside the line of duty and death after retirement are also recognized.

Firefighter of the Year

United Fire Equipment will present the Firefighter of the Year Award during the Opening Ceremonies. The individual recipient is honored based on heroic achievements or contributions to life safety.

Arizona Fire Investigator of the Year

The Arizona Chapter, International Association of Arson Investigators will name the individual who has been nominated as a result of their exemplary skills in the field of Fire Investigation.

Arizona Fire & Life Safety Educator of the Year

Each year the Arizona Fire and Burn Educators Association selects a Fire and Life Safety Educator of the Year. The individual awarded this honor has made significant contributions to Fire and Life Safety Education, demonstrated outstanding work as an educator, has been successful in increasing public awareness about safety issues, serves as a positive role model in their community and exhibits a

commitment to excellence in their educational efforts.

Arizona Fire Service Hall of Fame

The Arizona Fire Service Hall of Fame was created by the Arizona State Fire Training Committee to honor the men and women who have provided distinguished service to the Arizona fire service. The inductees are selected from nominations received statewide, from within the fire service and beyond. Inductees to the Hall of Fame will be announced and honored during the opening ceremonies.

Volunteer Firefighter of the Year

Historically the volunteer firefighter has been the backbone of the delivery of fire and emergency services. Today this dedication is still exhibited in many fire and emergency service organizations within the state of Arizona. The VFFA feels strongly that it is important to recognize this dedication and commitment of the volunteer to their community.

Keynote Presentation – Tragedy in Tucson

A presentation of the January 8, 2011 mass casualty incident shooting that occurred in Tucson which resulted in 6 deaths and injured 13 others, including Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords. Northwest Fire/Rescue District Fire Chief Jeff Piechura will provide information on the preparation and inter-agency response that made possible the transport of 13 shooting victims to area hospitals within 39 minutes from the first 9-1-1 call. Lessons learned from the Post Incident Review will be shared with

program participants and will include the follow-up support functions provided on-scene and throughout the following weeks in assisting the community in recovery from this tragic incident.



Jeff Piechura is the Fire Chief of the Northwest Fire/Rescue District in Southern Arizona. His passion for "doing

the right thing" drives his ambitions to not only lead a successful Internationally Accredited fire department, but also to give back to the communities and organizations that demand excellence from their emergency services providers.

Jeff also participates on a number of Incident Management Teams as the Air Tactical Group Supervisor (Air Attack) where he manages numerous aircraft while coordinating with ground resources on wildfire and natural disaster incidents. Jeff received the Chief Fire Officer Designation in 2009. Jeff is a graduate of Arizona State University with a Bachelors of Applied Science in Fire Management, and a Master's Degree in Fire Administration.

His current professional affiliations include: the Past President, Fire Chief of the Year 2005, and current member of the Arizona Fire Chiefs Association; Chairman of the Arizona Fire Services Institute; Past Chairman and current member of the Pima County Fire Chiefs Association; a member of the NFPA 1901 Fire Department Apparatus Standards Committee; and a member and past President of the of the Arizona State Fire Training Committee.

MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES

Arizona State Fire School Night at the Hall of Flame Fire Museum

The Hall of Flame offers special evening hours from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 8th, so that fire fighters attending the Arizona State Fire School have the opportunity to visit the world's largest museum of fire fighting. In addition to a diverse collection of fire apparatus dating back to the early 18th century, there are displays of firefighting equipment and memorabilia. Of special interest is the National Fire Fighting Hall of Heroes. *Don't miss this opportunity to visit the Hall of Flame Fire Museum on Thursday, September 8 from 6-9 p.m. There will be no charge to visit the Hall during this event.* The Hall of Flame is located at 6101 E. Van Buren.

T-Shirts, Hats, & Raffle Tickets

The non-profit Arizona State Fire Training Committee will be selling Fire School t-shirts, hats and raffle tickets to raise funds to support scholarship programs and statewide fire service training. Items for sale will be available

in the lobby of the Mesa Community Center. Be sure to purchase these items early, before they sell out!

IAAI Meeting

The International Association of Arson Investigators will hold their annual general board meeting at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, September 9th at the Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel. IAAI members and anyone interested in becoming an investigator are welcome to attend. Contact information desk for location.

Fire Apparatus Display, Custom Car Show & Family Block Party

This family friendly part of Fire School was started back in 1987 with impromptu fire apparatus displays. NOW, from this humble beginning, the Show and Shine has grown to be the centerpiece of the family get-together. Shiny, but hard working, fire engines, ladder trucks, and special duty trucks will share their dazzling display of red, white and yellow with tricked, painted

and polished hot-rods and street cars of yesterday and today. This event has joined with the Mesa 2nd Friday Block Party on Main to create an event you don't want to miss. This free event will run from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. on Friday, September 9th. There will be food and entertainment, including a live band! **Bring the whole family!** Anyone interested in displaying a car or apparatus should contact Dewey Ray at bcray@showlowfire.org

Raffle

The non-profit Arizona State Fire Training Committee will hold a fund raising raffle at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 10th in Ballroom D of the Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel. Items will be raffled to benefit the Training Committee's scholarship program and other activities. This is a fun, fast-paced raffle and everyone is welcome to attend. Ticket holders must be present to win.

GENERAL INFORMATION

WHEN DOES REGISTRATION END

Registration for workshops ends on August 29. You will not be able to register after this date!

HOW DO I FIND A CLASS & REGISTER

Registering for Fire School is a simple process. Follow the registration link from the fire school website www.azffireschool.org and use your email address to begin the registration process.

CAN I CHANGE MY CLASS

Yes. Once you have completed the registration process you may return at any time to make a class change or add merchandise item. However all registrations are final and no changes will be permitted after August 29.

WHAT IF THE CLASS I WANT IS FULL

If the workshop you select is not available because enrollment is at the maximum, select another workshop. Workshops are filled on a first come, first served basis—register early to get the workshop you want.

You may also elect to be added to the waitlist for a particular workshop. If you are added to a waitlist and an opening becomes available for that class you will automatically be added to that class, removed from the second class you selected and be notified via email of the change.

SUBSTITUTIONS

It is possible to substitute participants in a workshop for no additional charge. To substitute a participant return to the online registration system and modify your registration record with the name of the new attendee.

REFUND POLICY

All requests for refunds must be made in writing to the Arizona State Fire Training Committee. Written requests for registration cancellation refunds for any reason must be received on or before August 29. No refunds will be given to "No Shows". No refunds will be issued for enrollments cancelled after August 29.

PREREQUISITES

Some workshops require a prerequisite. Please check each workshop description for any required prerequisites. Registrations will not be accepted unless the attendee confirms on the registration form that he/she meets the prerequisites for the class.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance at all sessions of your workshop is required. At the conclusion of each workshop, participants will receive a Certificate of Completion. Certificates of Completion will only be presented to participants that complete all academic and attendance requirements.

SAFETY STATEMENT

All Fire School participants are expected to present themselves for class and field activities in a manner consistent with the workplace expectations of the Fire Service. When in the opinion of a course Instructor or Coordinator a participant appears, for any reason to be impaired, appropriate actions will be taken, up to dismissal from the Arizona State Fire School.

DRESS CODE

It is each student's responsibility to use good judgment in selecting attire that projects a professional image while remaining appropriate for climate differences and safety in class activities. The State Fire School staff has the authority to make a determination that a participant's attire may be inappropriate.

CODE OF CONDUCT

The lifesaving work emergency service personnel perform every day has earned the respect and admiration of the general public. This reputation and respect can be threatened by the careless or thoughtless actions of a very few. Your actions reflect not only upon you as an individual, but upon the emergency service profession as a whole. The public expects our actions to be above reproach, on and off the emergency scene. As representatives of emergency service agencies, participants are expected to demonstrate the highest professional standards in their dress, demeanor and behavior while attending the State Fire School.

AGE DISCLAIMER

Individuals under the age of 18 may not participate in the Fire School. Contact the State Fire Training Committee if more information is required.

LIABILITY & INJURY INFORMATION

The State Fire School will provide instruction in courses that the participant selects under the supervision of competent instructors. Some of the courses involve "hands-on" training that may subject participants to risk of injury. In consideration of being permitted to enroll in such courses, each participant acknowledges that he or she is aware of the risks associated with participation in such courses and is voluntarily agreeing to assume such risks. All students attend Fire School as an employee or volunteer of the sponsoring agency or company indicated on their course registration form. A sponsoring agency or company is required to provide worker's compensation insurance coverage to participants for all Fire School activities. The agency Chief or company supervisor indicated by the student will be notified of the student's enrollment as a representative of that agency or company.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Participants who have been awarded an AzCFSE scholarship will enroll for classes through the normal registration system and will indicate "scholarship" as the method of payment.

WHERE ARE THE WORKSHOPS HELD

Most of the workshops are located at the Mesa Convention Center and the Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel located next to the Convention Center at 200 N. Centennial Way in downtown Mesa. Some of the workshops will be held at offsite locations. All participants are required to check-in prior to attending class in the lobby of the Mesa Convention Center (see the Fire School Agenda for check-in times). You will receive a packet of information when you check in telling you where your class will be located.

OFF-SITE WORKSHOP LOCATIONS

Not all workshops are held at the Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel and Mesa Convention Center. Please check descriptions for the specific location of your workshop. *Off-site workshop participants must attend the Opening Ceremonies for specific location information.* Participants are responsible for transportation to off-site locations.

REGISTRATION

Fire School information and registration link are available online at:

www.azfireschool.org

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Before registering for Fire School each participant **MUST** have a personal or department e-mail address and an ERMA ID number. Your email address is used to create your Fire School registration record.

Registration ends August 29 at 5:00 PM.

Preregistration for Fire School is required. *Registration is not accepted at Fire School.* The State Fire Training Committee reserves the right to limit the number of participants from one department in the same workshop.

Workshops are 24 hours in length and are presented simultaneously over the fire school's four days. Participation is limited to a single workshop.

ERMA ID NUMBER

AzCFSE participates in the Event Registration and Management Application (ERMA) System for record keeping purposes. All students registering for Fire School must have or must obtain an ERMA identification

number. If you do not currently have an ERMA ID number you may obtain one by registering at www.erma.az.gov.

ENROLLING & MAKING PAYMENT

To enroll, you must have a credit or debit card with a Visa®, MasterCard®, or American Express® logo. Enrollments will only be accepted if a payment is processed at the time of enrollment. Checks will not be accepted. Credit or debit cards accepted are Visa®, MasterCard®, or American Express®. Registration will not be complete without payment. If payment is not processed at the time of enrollment your course selection will not be processed.

WORKSHOP FEES

All workshops are \$125.00 plus a registration processing fee EXCEPT those workshops which include lab fees or certification testing fees (see class description for more information).

WHERE TO STAY AT FIRE SCHOOL

The host hotel for Fire School is the Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel adjacent to the Mesa Convention Center. Individuals are responsible for making their own hotel reservations. Reservations should be made as early as possible because the hotel fills quickly. Dining facilities are available on the grounds of the host hotel and in the surrounding community.

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel
www.phoenixmarriottmesa.com
(Host hotel)
200 N. Centennial Way

Reservations:
Mesa, Arizona 85201 \$113 + tax
Ph: (888) 236-2427
Fax: (480) 464-5068

Requests for blocks of rooms together must be prepaid. Blocks of rooms may be requested until August 15, based on availability.

GETTING STARTED AT FIRE SCHOOL

Participants must check in at the Fire School Information Desk, located in the lobby of the Mesa Community Center, on Wednesday, September 7, from 3-6 p.m. or on Thursday, September 8, from 7-8:30 a.m. Upon checking in, students will receive their Fire School packet.

All participants must attend the Opening Ceremonies at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 8.

The Opening Ceremonies will be held at the Mesa Community Center in the Main Hall. *The Opening Ceremonies mark the beginning of Fire School and provide important workshop information to participants.*

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the Arizona State Fire School, please contact:

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623-333-6100
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Az State Fire Training Committee
PO Box 132
Avondale, AZ 85323

SCHOLARSHIPS

Herb Hoey Scholarship

Herb Hoey served as the State Fire Training Director for 12 years and was very active in Arizona's Fire Service. Upon his retirement in 1992, a scholarship was established in his honor. This scholarship is awarded to individuals interested in improving their fire fighter skills through training.

Dale Brandt and Dan Fawcett Memorial Scholarship

Dale Brandt and Dan Fawcett were paramedic partners with Phoenix Fire Department. Their teaching tenure spans almost the entire time extrication has been instructed by the Arizona State Fire Marshal's Office. This scholarship was established in their honor in 1998. It is awarded to further the expertise of students in extrication and emergency medical skills.

Bill Steele Memorial Scholarship

Administrative Battalion Chief for Lake Havasu Fire Department, and also involved for many years with the Arizona Fire Mechanics Association.

Marlin Price Memorial Scholarship

Marlin Price was a mechanic for Tucson Fire Department. Marlin was very active in providing training for emergency vehicle mechanics and sharing the newest fire training and technology with Mexico's fire service. This scholarship was established in 1994 in Marlin's honor. The scholarship is awarded to individuals providing mechanical service and to individuals from Mexico.

John Martin Memorial Scholarship

John Martin retired as a Fire Captain from the Mesa Fire Department after more than 20 years of service. He then joined Motorola, serving as Fire Marshal, Fire Chief, and Safety Specialist over a 14-year period. John was an active member of the Arizona Fire Training Association, serving as a board member and dedicating much time and energy to the improvement of Arizona's Fire Service. This scholarship was established in 1995 and is dedicated in John's memory.

Irvin Tally Memorial Scholarship

Irv Tally served as Safford Fire Chief 1953 to 1988. He received numerous state and national awards including induction into the Arizona Fire Service Hall of Fame. He was a founder of the Associated Fire Fighters of Arizona, now known as Volunteer Fire Fighters of Arizona. This scholarship provides training for volunteer fire fighters.

Steve Alley Memorial Scholarship

The Arizona State Fire Training Committee established this scholarship in 2003 to honor the memory of long time member and supporter, Steve Alley. Steve was retired as a Deputy Chief from the Phoenix Fire Department and was serving as Assistant State Fire Marshal at the time of his death in December, 2002. This scholarship is awarded to fire fighters striving to improve their fire ground, prevention and management skills.

Edward Gaicki Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is donated in memory of Edward J. Gaicki, Tempe Fire Fighter/Paramedic, who died in the line of duty on January 15, 1980. Ed was a respected, competent and beloved member of the Tempe Fire Department. Fire Fighter Gaicki is the only member to die in the line of duty in the history of the department; his wife Debbie, his loving family and a multitude of friends survive him. On January 15th of each year, members of Local 493 and the Tempe Fire Department celebrate his life at Gaicki Park, named in his honor. His passing left a void in our lives that can never be filled. We promise to never forget.

Bob Weber Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is donated by Bob's family in memory of Bob who passed away in 2011. Bob was hired as Lake Havasu City's first career firefighter in 1970 and retired as Chief of the Department in 1985. He remained active in Arizona's fire service serving as the Executive Director of the Arizona Fire Chiefs Association and as a driving force in the Arizona State Fire Training Committee. Throughout his 50 year fire service career he provided assistance to departments both large and small throughout the state and served as an ambassador for Arizona's fire service both nationally and internationally. His dedication, drive and leadership was unmatched and will be missed and long remembered.

SCHOLARSHIP SPONSORS for 2010

In 1986, the Arizona State Fire Training Committee established a scholarship fund to assist departments with funding to attend the Annual Arizona State Fire School. Support from sponsors enables the Arizona State Fire Training Committee to provide scholarships to participants for each fire school. Special thanks is extended from the State Fire Training Committee to these organizations for their contributions to this worthwhile cause. *The following is not intended to be all inclusive.*

1-800-BoardUp – Az Fire Restoration
AAA Fire Fighting Equipment
Arizona Emergency Products
Arizona Fire Chiefs Assoc
Arizona Fire District Assoc
Arizona Fire Service Mechanics
Best Western Mezona Inn
Bob Weber Memorial Fund
Canyon State Wireless, Inc.
Cochise County Fire Chiefs Assoc.
Extrication Concepts
First In, Inc.
Frontier Emergency Products

J.W. Associates Insurance
L.N. Curtis & Sons
Mesa Hotels
Pima County Fire Chiefs
Sequoia Management Associates
Truck Works, Inc.
United Fire Equipment Co.
United Phoenix Firefighters
UPFF - Tempe
Volunteer Fire Fighters of Arizona

ARIZONA STATE FIRE TRAINING COMMITTEE

The Arizona State Fire Training Committee is a voluntary, non-profit organization that assists the Office of the Arizona State Fire Marshal in the development and implementation of statewide fire service training. The committee plans future schools and programs, with each member serving as a workshop coordinator for the Annual State Fire School.

Paul Adams
Avondale Fire-Rescue / AFCA

Chris Ader
Silverbell AHP FD

Chad Anderson
Arizona Emergency Products

Jim Bailey
Tempe Fire Dept

Bob Barger
DFBLS

Todd Canale
Davis Monthan AFB

Mike Casson
Coltonwood Fire Dept

Talie Cluff
Show Low Fire Dist

Bob Costello
Buckeye Fire Dept

Ron Deadman
CALSRSC

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Mark Gaillard
Goodyear Fire Dept

Jeff Gilbert
United Fire Equipment

Marty Gordon
Salt River Fire Dept

Steve Hagerla
Western States Fire Equipment

Herb Ham
Gilbert Fire Dept

Bob Hansen
Tolleson Fire Dept

John Hayes
VFIS of Arizona

Don Howard
Summit Fire Dist

Jeff Johnston
AzCFSE

Melina Joya
AzCFSE

Randy Karrer
Golder Ranch Fire Dist

Steven Kinkade
Luke AFB

Eric Kriwer
Prescott Fire Dept

Brian Lauber
Az State Forestry

Dale Lindstedt
Western States Fire Equipment

William Loesche
Golder Ranch Fire Dist

Brian Merriman
VFFA/Thatcher Fire Dept

Bill Miller
Fry Fire Dist

Chuck Montgomery
Glendale Fire Dept

Brian Moore
PFFA

Mark Nichols
Daisy Mountain Fire Dist

David Nunez
Phoenix Fire Dept

Marco Olsen
Tri-City Fire Dist

Brad Olson
Tucson Fire Dept

Ben Owens
Show Low Fire Dist

Blue Penrod
Pinetop Fire Dist

Jeff Piechura
Northwest Fire Dist

Dewey Ray
Show Low Fire Dist

Randy Redmond
Sierra Vista Fire Dept

Mike Rosette
Mesa Fire Dept

Tony Sciacca
Arizona Wildfire Academy

Mel Sorensen
Mohave Valley Fire Dist

Larry Taggart
Hall of Flame Fire Museum

Tom Tatum
Boeing Fire Dept

John Teefy
PFFA

Thad Trinko
Lake Havasu City Fire Dept

Dan Uthe
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Fernando Valenzuela
Mesa Fire Dept

Ted White
Scottsdale Fire Dept

Clay Wood
Show Low Fire Dist

SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS

Our special thanks to the following organizations for their continued support of the State Fire Training Program. These organizations provide support in the form of expertise, resources, equipment, facilities and personnel. *The following is not intended to be all inclusive.*

Arizona Center for Fire Service Excellence
Arizona Emergency Products
Arizona Fire Chief's Association
Arizona Fire & Burn Educators Assoc.
Arizona Fire Marshal's Association
Arizona State Fire Marshal
Arizona State Forestry Division
Arizona Wildfire Academy
Avondale Fire-Rescue
Boeing Fire Department
Buckeye Fire Department
Central Arizona Life Safety Response System Council
Chandler Fire Department
City of Mesa
Cottonwood Fire Department
Daisy Mountain Fire District
Davis Monthan AFB
Fry Fire District
Gilbert Fire Department
Glendale Fire Department
Goodyear Fire Department
Hall of Flame Fire Museum
Lake Havasu City Fire Department
Luke AFB Fire Department

Mesa Fire Department
Mohave Valley Fire District
National Fire Academy
Northwest Fire District
Phoenix Fire Department
Pinetop Fire District
Prescott Fire Department
Professional Fire Fighters of Arizona
Salt River Fire Department
Scottsdale Fire Department
Show Low Fire District
Sierra Vista Fire Department
Silverbell AHP Fire Department
Summit Fire District
Thatcher Fire Department
Tempe Fire Department
Tolleson Fire Department
Tri-City Fire District
Tucson Fire Department
United Fire Equipment Co.
VFIS of Arizona
Volunteer Fire Fighters of Arizona
Western States Fire Equipment

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel

Arizona State Fire School - Reservation Request
Conference dates September 7 - 11, 2011

Group Rates Apply 2 days before or after the above dates based on availability
Standard Guest Room: \$113.00 + Tax, 1 - 4 people per room

**** You MUST mention that you are attending the Fire School to get the above rate ****

Bed Request - please circle:

Room #1 _____ 1 King -or- 2 Doubles
Room #2 _____ 1 King -or- 2 Doubles
Room #3 _____ 1 King -or- 2 Doubles
Room #4 _____ 1 King -or- 2 Doubles
Room #5 _____ 1 King -or- 2 Doubles

Department: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip _____ Phone# _____

Fax: _____ Email Address: _____

Note: a confirmation will only be sent if an e-mail address or fax # is provided

Arrival Date: _____ ETA (if known) _____ Departure Date: _____

Additional Requests/Comments: _____

Credit Card # _____ Exp Date _____

A credit card number is required to make a reservation (for guarantee, not payment)

If paying by credit card, a "credit card authorization form" needs to be filled out prior to arrival date. Please contact Hotel for details.

If paying by check or purchase order, please send to:

Phoenix Marriott Mesa Hotel,
Attn: Accounting
200 N. Centennial Way, Mesa, AZ 85201
Hotel Ph: 480-898-8300

Payment is due 2 weeks prior to arrival.

Other options:

By phone: Marriott Reservations: toll-free (800) 835-9873. Ask for "AZ Fire School".

Online: www.marriott.com/phxmm - Enter afsafsa as the group code to make reservations. Be sure that you type in the correct check-in and check-out dates to see the group rate.

Requests for blocks of rooms together must be prepaid.
This form may be faxed to (480) 964-9279 on or before Aug 15, 2011

16 FIREFIGHTER LIFE SAFETY INITIATIVES



Initiative 1: Define and advocate the need for a cultural change within the fire service relating to safety, incorporating leadership, management, supervision, accountability and personal responsibility.

Initiative 2: Enhance the personal and organizational accountability for health and safety throughout the fire service.

Initiative 3: Focus greater attention on the integration of risk management with incident management at all levels, including strategic, tactical, and planning responsibilities.

Initiative 4: Empower all firefighters to stop unsafe practices.

Initiative 5: Develop and implement national standards for training, qualifications, and certification (including regular recertification) that are equally applicable to all firefighters, based on the duties they are expected to perform.

Initiative 6: Develop and implement national medical and physical fitness standards that are equally applicable to all firefighters, based on the duties they are expected to perform.

Initiative 7: Create a national research agenda and data collection system that relates to the initiatives.

Initiative 8: Utilize available technology wherever it can produce higher levels of health and safety.

Initiative 9: Thoroughly investigate all firefighter fatalities, injuries, and near misses.

Initiative 10: Ensure grant programs support the implementation of safe practices and/or mandate safe practices as an eligibility requirement.

Initiative 11: Develop and champion national standards for emergency response policies and procedures.

Initiative 12: Develop and champion national protocols for response to violent incidents.

Initiative 13: Provide firefighters and their family's access to counseling and psychological support.

Initiative 14: Provide public education more resources and champion it as a critical fire and life safety program.

Initiative 15: Strengthen advocacy for the enforcement of codes and the installation of home fire sprinklers.

Initiative 16: Make safety be a primary consideration in the design of apparatus and equipment.



Driving Directions:

From Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (approximately 15 minutes):

Take the 202 east to Country Club exit. Turn right (south) and take to University, turn left (east) and go to the first street after Center, which is Centennial Way. Turn right (south), the Hotel is straight ahead.

From Tucson, Arizona

Travel I-10 to US 60. Travel east to the Country Club exit. Go north approximately three miles to Main Street and turn right. Travel 3/4 mile to Centennial Way. Turn left to the Hotel.

From Phoenix, Arizona

Take I-17 south to the I-10 Tucson transition. Follow I-10 east to 202 East. Continue east to Country Club exit, turn south to University Dr, and turn left (east). Travel to the first street after Center, which is Centennial Way, turn right (south). The Hotel is straight ahead.

From Flagstaff, Arizona

Take I-17 south to the I-10 Tucson transition. Follow I-10 east to 202 East. Continue east to Country Club exit, turn south to University Dr, and turn left (east). Travel to the first street after Center which is Centennial Way, turn right (south). The Hotel is straight ahead.

From Scottsdale, Arizona

Go south on Scottsdale Road to University, turn left and go east until you go through the intersection of University and Center. Turn right on the first street after Center, which is Centennial Way, towards the Hotel.