

The Monroe Fire Department

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Invites you to the 79th Annual

Monroe Fire School

Nozzle Forward Class

Monday the 3rd & Tuesday the 4th

Fire School

Thursday the 6th

Friday the 7th

Saturday the 8th

Of Aug 2015

at

State Line Ice & Community Expo Center

“SLICE”

1632 4th Avenue West in Monroe, WI

Nozzle Forward Class

Monday the 3rd & Tuesday the 4th of Aug

22-Hr Class Monday/Tuesday 8 am – 7 pm both days

Lunch and snacks are included both days for \$170.00

Lead Instructor: Aaron Fields, Seattle Washington FD Eng 28

The one thing that every fire department in the country has is fire hose. The one event that happens on every single fire is a hose-line gets pulled and water gets flowed. The Nozzle Forward is a class for engine company crews. It is not a collection of techniques; it is an adaptable system of hose line management and fire attack. It is focused around fighting fire, interior offensive firefighting, aggressive firefighting, for which we will never apologize. Aggressive firefighting is not the problem, it is the solution.

For today's nozzle-person, the art of hose and fire suppression often has been obscured and put to the side in favor of other "hot topic" training. How to attack fire and move the line has been ignored and forgotten by many engine companies. "The fire goes as the first line goes"

The class answers the "whys," not just the "what's," and quickly creates a system that can be adapted to fit any engine company from the urban to the rural.

The goal of the "The Nozzle Forward" is to help craft more efficient Engine Companies by increasing the individuals' competency with their tools and expanding on the conceptual aspects of the fire environment. The course will integrate the three major components of engine company work; fire behavior, hose management, and fire attack.
– Nozzleforward.com



Those attending Nozzle Forward will want to bring knee pads and full turnout gear. Class will start at Monroe St 1 at 730am
<http://www.mapquest.com/directions?form=directions&2pn=BD#c524c0b74f899d9d9f7e242d>

Link to sign up for Nozzle Forward
<https://www.regonline.com/Register/Checkin.aspx?EventID=1713101>

2015 Classes

22-Hr Hands on Class Monday/Tues

Monday/Tuesday 1-Nozzle Forward

Thursday Morning class 8 am -12

Th-1 The Strategic and Tactical Battleground for Survival

Thursday afternoon class 1 pm - 5

Th-3 - Spirited Fireground Leadership

Thursday 8am to 5 "Live Fire Class"

Th-21 First Due 8-5 (NEW)

Friday 4-Hr Classroom Classes Morning 8 am -12

F-10 Coordinated Fire Attack (NEW)

F-27 Strategy and Tactics for Handling Commercial Building Fires (NEW)

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F- 15 Leadership Principles for the Fire Officer

F- 17 Tactical Emergency Casualty Care/TEMS Overview

F-25 HEY, IT'S DIFFERENT OUT HERE The Chief's Transition to Rural Operations (NEW)

8 Hr Extrication Class for Friday

F-4 Heavy Rescue Extrication

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F-1 SCBA & MAYDAY Training

F-5 Basic Fire & Arson Investigation

F-6 "The First Six Minutes, then let's go to work." NEW"

F-7 Manure Pit Rescue (NEW)

"Live Fire Classes" 8-Hr for Friday

F-21 First Due 8-5 NEW

F-23 Fire Attack @ Flashover Simulator "NEW"

Fri/Sat 16 hr RIT Class by RICO Rescue

F/S 2 Fireground Rapid Intervention Team Skills

4-Hr Sat Classes, Aug 10th, 8am – 12 & 1pm – 5

S-24 The Engine Company's Guide to Winning

S-26 Surviving Fire Attack

205 - Helicopter Landing Zone Safety, Appropriate Helicopter Utilization, Helpful Tips for the 911 Dispatcher when Calling for the EMS Helicopter

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8-Hr Hands on Classes for Saturday

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S- 6 Operations of the Engineer (NEW)

S- 7 Grain Bin Class (NEW)

8-Hr Extrication Class for Saturday

S-11 Vehicle Extrication-Crash Bash

S-12 Fundamentals of Extraction using hand tools (NEW)

Saturday 8am to 5pm "Live Fire Classes"

S-23 Fireground Operations @ Flashover Simulator

If a Department sends 5 Students the 6th Student is free. To get the 6th student for free, all 6 registrations need to be sent in at the same time

Class Descriptions & Numbers

Th -1 The Strategic and Tactical Battleground for Survival

Lead Instructor: Mike Mason, Ret Lt Downers Grove FD

Course Description: An in-depth look into the world of strategic and tactical considerations in surviving the different aggressive postures in firefighting. Among the areas covered are defining and redefining committing firefighters to interior operations, strategic and tactical postures, spirited aggressive actions with sound decision making, transitional dynamics, preventing and surviving Maydays, staffing and fireground behaviors, fighting fires in conventional and lightweight construction, interior operations relating to room orientation, tactical air management and practices on interior firefighting, recognizing the attack progress, establishing exit strategies, and managing Maydays.

Date: Thursday, August 06, 2015 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
(Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

Th-3 - Spirited Fireground Leadership

Lead Instructor: Mike Mason, Ret Lt Downers Grove FD

Course Description: This unique compelling look into the world of leadership for fire department firefighters, company officers, captains and chiefs will provide some of the most groundbreaking aspects of leading firefighters on and off the fireground. Lt. Mike Mason, reveals an awe inspiring wake-up call to fire departments across America regarding leadership in the sometimes called Para-military environment that is being created today in the fire service. The presentation/lecture is spirited by an in depth look into managing and leading on and off the battlefield from the philosophies and actions of those who have been their within the military as well as the fire service.

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Apply Full turn out gear is required.

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Location: MERIT Center, Price: \$150.00

Friday morning 4 hr classes

F-27 Strategy and Tactics for Handling Commercial Building Fires

Instructors, Dist. Chief Andy O'Donnell, Chicago Fire Department (ret), Asst.Chief Dave Fornell, Casstown, OH Fire Department

Class Description: Most any fire department can handle a room-and-contents residential fire, but face an overwhelming challenge when dealing with 'the BIG one,' a commercial building fire. Chief O'Donnell and Capt. Fornell, who are perennial Monroe Fire School favorites, will stress safe and effective tactics to be used in these types of fires. Risk analysis of the hazards and challenges found in commercial buildings will show that residential firefighting tactics just won't work. Case histories of large commercial fire losses will be explored in depth including the fatal commercial building Super Sofa fire in Charleston, SC that killed nine firefighters.

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 2

Price: \$40.00

F-10 Coordinated Fire Attack: "NEW"

Lead Instructor: Chief Craig Haigh, Hanover Park FD, Field Staff Instructor, IFSI

Course Description: The job of the fire service at a structural fire is to save lives, extinguish the fire and prevent further loss – but how? It's more than whether a firefighter can don an SCBA, pull hose, throw a ladder and ventilate a window or roof, it is understanding how each of these tasks fit into the overall “big picture” of managing the incident. This course is designed to help fire service personnel at all levels gain an understanding of how to prioritize tactical objectives and perform within the context of company operations.

Once the students have an understanding of tactical priorities, discussions will switch to realistic implementation practices associated with doing the work necessary to manage each tactical objective. Students will gain an understanding of operational tasks defined as either engine work or truck work, with engine work being tasks associated with water application and truck work being those tasks associated with fire ground support (ladders, overhaul, ventilation, forcible entry, search and rescue, salvage and control of utilities). Students will learn that each of these steps must be coordinated in order to control air flow in and out of the building and how this will impact overall fire growth and development.

Special attention will be placed on operating with limited personnel and within the context of the volunteer/paid-on-call/combo environment. Discussion of individual department operational tactics and challenges is encouraged.

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

Friday Afternoon 4 hr classes

F- 15 Leadership Principles for the Fire Officer:

Lead Instructor: Chief Craig Haigh, Hanover Park FD, Field Staff Instructor, IFSI

Course Description: Due to time constraints of job, family, and the needs of the department, many leaders are unable to commit the time required to attend formalized classes on leadership. This course is designed to address the leadership principles necessary to effectively direct and manage volunteer, combination and small to medium sized career departments. This course will identify leadership philosophies and facilitate a patch of discovery designed to help the student identify their own leadership qualities, strengths and weaknesses. Discussion of individual department challenges is encouraged.

Chief Haigh will provide numerous examples, case studies and insights drawn from his 31 years of experience leading volunteer, combination and career fire departments.

Target Audience:

Fire Officers from volunteer, combination and small career departments.

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

F- 17 Tactical Emergency Casualty Care/TEMS Overview

Lead Instructor: Chris Cook, Paramedic, RN, SWAT Medic – Walworth Co (WI) SWAT, Steve Loudon

Course Description: Life threatening gunshot wounds can cause death in less than three minutes – less than the time it takes for a victim to be tactically evacuated from a police “hot zone” into EMS care. In this introduction into Tactical EMS

the students will learn how tactical EMS differs from standard EMS, how patients are treated and extracted “under fire”, and what equipment and tactics are used in TEMS.

The lecture will describe the history of Tactical EMS and the state of TEMS today. The basic principles of Tactical Combat Casualty Care and its NEW civilian counterpart Tactical Emergency Care will be presented along with real-life photos and videos of combat and SWAT settings. Students will be introduced that these same principles can be used in situations that may occur in day-to-day EMS as well. Lastly, we will touch on tips for initiating TECC protocols in the student’s home area.

The breakout stations will be:

Hemorrhage control – the most common cause of preventable deaths in gunshot/stabbing victims. Students will be shown how to apply combat tourniquets to stop arterial bleeding. Techniques for applying the tourniquet to assist others, as well as applying the tourniquet to oneself will be demonstrated. The use of hemostatic agents, wound packing and combat pressure dressings will be demonstrated for injuries not amenable to tourniquet application.

Penetrating torso injuries/Airway compromise – Immediate care will be demonstrated for a variety of EMS levels. (i.e Tension Pnuemo/Chest Seals and Needle decompression demo)

Tactical Pt. Assessment – Students will be shown an assessment method for the tactical environment utilizing the M.A.R.C.H. acronym

High threat extractions – Students will see how a patient can be extracted from the tactical hot zone while maintaining cover and reducing threat exposure to the patient and rescuers utilizing basic ropes, drags and friction reducing devices

At each station, the student will be introduced to the appropriate order of treatment in a high threat environment, appropriate gear and medical equipment for hot and cold zone treatment, and preparation prior to an event.

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Location: Monroe St 1

Price: \$40.00

F-25 HEY, IT’S DIFFERENT OUT HERE The Chief’s Transition to Rural Operations

Presented by Chief David P. Fornell

It used to be so easy--arriving on the scene and after a quick size up, dropping the attack lines and sending the engine to the

hydrant up the street. Well, those days are over after Chief Dave moved to the country and joined a busy department protecting 88 square miles of rural area.

The differences between urban and rural operations are discussed and emphasis is placed on crossover education where departments protecting such diverse areas can learn from each other.

Tactics and strategic planning for water supply, size up, effective attack, operating with limited staffing, mutual aid, and command are presented.

Chief Dave also discusses tactics for other common rural emergencies including vehicle accidents, chemical emergencies, rail incidents and drug labs.

Taking the big city approach to operations, Chief Fornell describes how rural departments need to sharpen their skills in forming a realistic attack plan, fighting fires in commercial occupancies, planning on upgrading search and rescue techniques, proper truck work including ventilation and overhaul operations and upgrading and improving water supply operations.

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 2

Price: \$40.00

Friday 8 hr H.O.T. classes

F-1 SCBA & MAYDAY Training

Lead Instructor: Jeff Van Patten & Jim Cook/Antioch IL FD

Course Description: This class is designed as a confidence builder for those individuals who have limited experience using Self Contained Breathing Apparatus. This class takes a hands-on approach with students working in mazes with blacked-out masks. The mission of this course is to return you to your department with a full understanding of their SCBA, its components, uses, limitations, and emergency procedures, and the ability to survive in a hostile environment using your mind, body, and SCBA. Cadets/Explores are welcome in this class, **Safety Rules Apply & SCBA**

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: SLICE

Price: \$100.00

F-4 Heavy Rescue Extrication

Lead Instructor: Chief Kirschhoffer of Newport FD,

Course Description: Rescuers will work on with heavy rescue stabilization equipment, a large variety of power, hydraulic & hand tools in mitigating crash situations involving trucks, buses & heavy equipment. The Instructors will lead the class in a hand on operation. A heavy emphasis will be placed on large scale incident command. Leading to a large scale hands on multi vehicle incident. **Safety Rules Apply**

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Salvage Yard

Price: \$130.00

F-5 Basic Fire & Arson Investigation, with hands-on

Lead Instructor: Andrew M Skic, Mount Prospect FD

Course Description: With departments downsizing &/or pooling their resources, the task of fire & arson investigation is one resource not to overlooked & could be standardized easily. Whether you have been in the fire service for 6 months or 20 years, consistent & recognized procedures are crucial to a thorough & complete investigation. Some legal aspects, hands-on evidence collection, effects of suppression, etc. will be covered. The student will leave with the ability to help establish standard policies & procedures for fire investigations. This course can also benefit those who desire to transition into the field of fire & arson investigations. You the student will be investigating a scene so you'll need to have your gear. **Safety Rules Apply**

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 2

Price: \$100.00

F-6 "The First Six Minutes, then let's go to work." NEW

This class deals with the first six minutes on a fire scene and the honing of the practical skills needed to complete the necessary tasks in order to have a successful outcome. The props are real the class is hands on. Everything from stretching the first line in, to forcible entry, to ventilation and advancing the first line to attack will be demonstrated and practiced on real live props. This class is for all levels of both volunteer and full time department members. Whether it be truck work and or engine work or a combination of both it will be discussed and practiced on real props. Once all props have been

practiced on individually they are then all put together in a life like challenge to be successful and accomplish a set goal.

Complete PPE is

REQUIRED including SCBA. Safety Rules Apply

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: MERIT Center

Price: \$100.00

F-7 Manure Pit Rescue (NEW)

Course Description: Students will learn the procedures for entering the confined space of a manure pit to perform rescue operations in low oxygen situations. Air monitoring, roping and harnessing will be covered. The hands on portion will be conducted in a new state of the art simulator. Students will participate in several evolutions. **Safety Rules Apply, Full turn out gear with SCBA will be required.**

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Location: MERIT Center

Price: \$150.00

F-23 Fire Attack @ Flashover Simulator "NEW"

Class Description: If seeing fire growth and fire attack is what you need then this class is for you. This class will cover basic to advance in fire behavior and attack. You will advance the line and attack the fire many times in this 8 hr. day. This class is designed to be fast paced so you can go away with a good working knowledge of fire behavior and how to attack the fire quickly and efficiently. We will not train till we get it right. We will do it till we don't get it wrong! "Till it becomes muscle memory" **SCBA and Full gear needed, Safety rules apply**

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: MERIT Center

Price: \$160.00

F/S 2 Fire Ground Rapid Intervention (RIT)

Lead Instructor: Cliff Gartner Lt. CFD Squad 5 & RICO Fire Rescue

Course Description: The need for the eyes & ears of individual firefighters as well as Rapid Intervention Companies in rescuing one of their own is now & should be a priority for every fire ground situation. The numerous risks faced by today's fire service dictate that well trained & skilled firefighters be available to respond & perform the unthinkable in rescuing one of their own. This 2-day hands on interactive program provides some of the most intensive disciplines in firefighter rescue & survival. Participants enrolled in this program will receive & be able to take back with them the solid basics as well as the most advanced up to date techniques & maneuvers in rapid intervention for the dynamic fire ground. No firefighter engaged in firefighting should be without this life saving program taught by some of the country's most experienced national instructors in this field of discipline. **Safety Rules Apply & SCBA**

**** If this class has less than 12 students the following will happen. Day one will be RIT all day as the class reads, then on day two the RIT class will join Fireground Operations@ Flashover class as well as the RIT Instructors. So you the student will be RIT trained by some of the best in the Midwest. If there is 12 or more students in the class you the student will get a full two days of RIT.*

Date: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:00 AM - Saturday, August 08, 2015 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: SLICE

Price: \$120.00

Saturday morning 4 hr classes

S-24 The Engine Company's Guide to Winning

Instructors, Dist. Chief Andy O'Donnell, Chicago Fire Department (ret),

Asst.Chief Dave Fornell, Casstown, OH Fire Department

You can't fight a fire with a ladder--let's face it the basis for all fire attack is for the engine to get water on the fire as quickly, safely and successfully possible.

This course will describe and demonstrate the basic and advanced engine company operational fundamentals that underlie successful attack strategy. The information presented will begin on utilizing strategic planning and proper on-scene size-up to help develop effective operating procedures that the

student can tailor to his or her specific department's operations.

A more practical portion of the class begins with helping the student understand the basics of water movement, nozzle reaction forces and flow rate, then goes on to explain the theories of direct and indirect attack using striking fire attack videos developed by the instructor specifically for this class. Research indicates that many tactics presently used for interior attack operations may actually intensify burning, hinder rapid fire suppression and expose personnel to elevated risks of thermal injury.

New tactics developed as a result of recent UL testing and the results of this research will be presented along with time-tested methods of integrating the new, sensible tactics into engine company operations, which are designed to quickly stop the fire while reducing exposure danger to suppression personnel. Methods of reducing or eliminating the effects of flashover, operating with limited initial on-scene personnel, moving and operating high flow hose lines and successfully utilizing incoming companies, will all be covered in detail.

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
(Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

Saturday afternoon 4 hr classes

S-26 Surviving Fire Attack

Instructors, Dist. Chief Andy O'Donnell, Chicago Fire Department (ret), Asst.Chief Dave Fornell, Casstown, OH Fire Department

Class Description: You can see the glow in the sky. The engine stops in front of the building.

There are decisions to be made: Attack-Rescue-Offensive-Defensive. This class will help give you the knowledge to make the right decisions, guide you toward successful outcomes, and keep you and your crew from being seriously injured or worse in the process.

Instructors with a combination over 80 years of on-the-line experience will walk you through the decision making process and then hone your skills when making the attack. This is an advanced, intensive course, not for the light of heart. You must have the determination and acquire the skills presented to succeed.

An intensive classroom session will present you with the basics, and then hone your skills in fireground safety, team building, and send you home with knowledge of a proven and

balanced approach to successfully sizing up, attacking and taking control of adverse situations

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

205 - Helicopter Landing Zone Safety, Appropriate Helicopter Utilization, Helpful Tips for the 911 Dispatcher when Calling for the EMS Helicopter

Instructors: Don Kilgore, OSF Life Flight Pilot; Karen Arndt, RN OSF Life Flight

Course Description: This OSF Life Flight track will offer a comprehensive overview of current topics relevant to Fire and EMS personnel. When and why should you call for a helicopter to transport your patient? We will review the nationally recognized guidelines of when helicopter transport is appropriate and how these apply to your agency. Is helicopter transport really safe? We will provide an overview of the most current EMS helicopter accident data and what is being done to make it safer. Our OSF Life Flight pilot will help you understand what is required for safe landing zone site selection, scene safety, and the do's and don'ts of working with EMS. A special lecture for those in one of the most stressful roles as a 911 dispatcher; when having to coordinate a medical helicopter to the scene of an incident. We will provide a summary of what you need to know in order to efficiently and safely dispatch the helicopter to the scene.

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$40.00

Saturday 8 hr H.O.T. classes

S-1 SCBA & MAYDAY Training

Lead Instructor: Jeff Van Patten & Jim Cook/Antioch IL FD

Course Description: This class is designed as a confidence builder for those individuals who have limited experience using Self Contained Breathing Apparatus. This class takes a hands-on approach with students working in mazes with blacked-out masks. The mission of this course is to return you to your department with a full understanding of their SCBA, its components, uses, limitations, and emergency procedures, and the ability to survive in a hostile environment using your

mind, body, and SCBA. Cadets/Explores are welcome in this class, **Safety Rules Apply & SCBA**

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: SLICE

Price: \$100.00

S-5 Basic Fire & Arson Investigation, with hands-on

Lead Instructor: Andrew M Skic, Mount Prospect FD

Course Description: With departments downsizing &/or pooling their resources, the task of fire & arson investigation is one resource not to overlooked & could be standardized easily. Whether you have been in the fire service for 6 months or 20 years, consistent & recognized procedures are crucial to a thorough & complete investigation. Some legal aspects, hands-on evidence collection, effects of suppression, etc. will be covered. The student will leave with the ability to help establish standard policies & practices

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 2

Price: \$100.00

S- 6 Operations of the Engineer

Instructors- Tom Rieter, Jon Byrd

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Monroe Fire St 1

Price: \$100.00

S-7 Grain Bin Class (NEW)

Course Description: Grain Bin rescue is a hands on program using the state of the art grain engulfment simulator. Student will learn the main cause of grain engulfment's as well as how to rescue a victim from a partial or full entrapment. Students will participate in several evolutions including use of Lock Out- Tag Out, Grain Rescue tubes, Confined Space entry permits, Roping and Rigging, Cutting bin panels. **Safety Rules Apply Full turn out gear is required.**

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: MERIT Center

Price: \$100.00

S-11 Vehicle Extraction-Crash Bash

Lead Instructor: William Puckett, TERC Judge

Course Description: This program is heavy hands-on car cutting. Students will learn techniques & procedures from a group of instructors who specialize in extrication/disentanglement. Students will rotate through a series of evolutions which will include stabilization (cars on their sides, on wheels, on roof) door popping, fifth door, Noah's Ark (or clamshell), dash push, dash lifts, & tunneling. **Safety Rules Apply**

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Salvage Yard

Price: \$130.00

S-10 Fundamentals of Extrication Using Hand tools "NEW"

Lead Instructor-Capt. Mike Huffman, Harlem-Roscoe FD, Terc Judge

Class Description- This class will consist of Basic & Advanced Vehicle Rescue techniques while using an assortment of hand tools. Emphasis will be placed on tools such as hi-lift jacks, struts, reciprocating saws, air chisels, etc. This course will cover Basic and advanced tactics that are not used on a routine basis, but when needed are invaluable. These tactics include: Roof operations - flaps & removals, 5th door evolutions, 3rd door evolutions, dash displacement alternatives', stacked vehicles, under - rides, side impacts vehicles on roofs, marring vehicles and most important tunneling. Students will rotate through a variety of scenarios. This course also incorporates standard extrication best practices including scene safety, scene size up, complex stabilization, and glass management. **Safety Rules Apply Full turn out gear is required.**

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: Salvage Yard

Price: \$130.00

S-23 Fireground Operations @ Flashover Simulator

Course Description: This class will cover Engine and Truck Ops in the morning as you rotate through different stations including the Flashover Simulator. "Flashover is one of the most-feared phenomena among firefighters. Firefighters will be taught to recognize rollovers and flashovers in this rotation that one day might make a difference." Then after forcing the door, throwing a ladder, venting, doing a primary search, RIT and hose work. You will be put into different companies and have it all come together. You arrive on scene and receives orders to force the door, stretch the line, vent, assigned search, or be RIT. Instructors for this class are from Chicago FD, Wheeling FD, Naperville FD, as well as many from the East coast to name just a few; you the student will be taught and challenged from some of the very best in the Fire Service as well as your classmates as you crawl down that smoky hallway in search of fire and victims. **Safety Rules Apply – Live Fire**

Date: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Central America Time)

Location: MERIT Center

Price: \$160.00

You will notice that there is a ONE time school fee of \$40.00. This fee is \$10.00 more than the \$30.00 if you sign up on line. If you use the online registration link you will see a charge from them. The difference is about \$10 to sign up on line. If you have any questions please email us at swnifra@yahoo.com

Link for on line registration

<https://www.regonline.com/Register/Checkin.aspx?EventID=1713183>

Circle the "X" in front of your first class choice, then 2nd, then 3rd, 4th, in case your first class or two are already full.

Thursday 4 hour Classroom 8 am -12

\$40.00 per class plus school fee

X Th-1 The Strategic and Tactical Battleground for Survival

Thursday 4 hour Classroom 1 pm – 5

\$40.00 per class plus school fee

X Th-3 – Spirited Fireground Leadership

Thursday 8am to 5pm "Live Fire Class"

\$150.00 per class plus school fee

X Th 21- First Due (NEW)

Friday 4-Hr Classroom Classes Morning 8 am -12

1st, 2nd, choice "circle" \$40.00 per class plus school fee

X X F-10 Coordinated Fire Attack

X X F-27 Strategy and Tactics for Handling Commercial Building Fires

Friday 4 hour Class Room Classes afternoon 1 pm – 5

\$40.00 per class plus school fee

X X F- 15 Leadership Principles for the Fire Officer

X X F 17 Tactical Emergency Casualty Care/TEMS Overview (NEW)

X X F-25 HEY, IT'S DIFFERENT OUT HERE The Chief's Transition to Rural Operations

8-Hr Hands on Classes for Friday, 8am – 5pm

\$100.00 per class plus school fee

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, choice "circle"

X X X X F-1 SCBA & MAYDAY

X X X X F-5 Basic Fire & Arson Investigation

X X X X F-6 "The First Six Minutes, then let's go to work.

X X X X F-7 Manure Pit Rescue

Friday 8am to 5pm "Live Fire Classes"

\$150.00 per class plus school fee

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, choice "circle"

X X X X F-21 First Due

X X X X F-23 Fire Attack @ Flashover Simulator

8 –Hr Hands on Extrication Classes, Friday

\$130.00 per class plus school fee

X X X X F-4 Heavy Rescue Extrication

Fri/Sat 16 hr RIT Class by RICO Rescue

\$120.00 per class plus school fee

X F/S 2 Fire ground Rapid Intervention (RIT)

Saturday 4 hour Classes

4-Hr Classroom Classes for Saturday, Aug 9th, 8am – 12 & 1pm – 5

\$40.00 per class plus school fee

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, choice "circle"

X X X X S-24 The Engine Company's Guide to Winning

X X X X S-26 Surviving Fire Attack

X X X X 205- Helicopter Landing Zone Safety,

Saturday 8 hour classes

8-Hr Hands on Classes for Saturday, 8am – 5pm

\$100.00 per class plus school fee

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, choice "circle"

X X X X S-1 SCBA & MAYDAY

X X X X S-5 Basic Fire & Arson Investigation

X X X X S- Operations of the Engineer

X X X X S – 7 Grain Bin Class

8 –Hr Hands on Extrication Classes, Saturday

\$130.00 per class plus school fee

X X X X S-11 Crash Bash

X X X X S-12 Hand Tool Extraction

Saturday 8am to 5pm "Live Fire Classes"

\$160.00 per class plus school fee

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, choice "circle"

X X X X S-23 Coordinated Fire Attack @ Flashover

***All hands on classes will have lunch provided

If a Department sends 5 Students the 6th Student is free. To get the 6th student for free, all 6 registrations need to be sent in at the same time

Students Name _____

Name of Fire Department _____

Department Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Dept Work Compensation Insurance Company

Policy # _____ Effective Dates _____

Chief or Training Officer Name _____

Chief or Training Officer Phone # _____

Signature of Chief or Training Officer _____

Cost of classes student signed up for \$ _____

One time School Fee \$ \$40.00 _____

Total Cost Per Student \$ _____

Make payment to **SWNIFRA, INC**

Your E-mail Address if you wish to receive confirmation also by E-mail as well as next year's School Book sent to you

Register early, class sizes are limited.

Lunch is provided for all hands on classes

I _____ have read and understand the rules of Fire School. I also understand the risks of Fire Training and have read the liability waiver, which I read and can print off the www.swnifra.com website.

Students Signature _____ Date Signed ____/____/2015_____

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State Line Ice & Community Expo Center
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Please come visit the Vendors

Registration Information- Please Read

Classes will be assigned on a first-come, first-serve basis. Placements will be assigned in the order that registrations are received. There will be no place-holding by telephone or without payment received and the proper registration forms completed. If classes are filled, students will be assigned to their second-choice class. If all choice classes are filled, the participant's fire chief will be contacted for a class selection. **Students who wish to sign up for more than one class, please circle the "X" on the form for each class.**

The *Fire Education Pre-Registration Form* must be received no later than Friday, 24th, 2015, to assure placement for desired classes. **Class fees for hands on classes do include lunch. Lunch will be brought to the class site.** Fees for each class are indicated in the description section for the class. You will notice that there is a ONE time school fee \$40.00. This fee is \$10.00 more than if you sign up on line. If you sign up on line the service we are using charges a fee. **Please use care when calculating the fees your department owes for classes as miscalculated fees will impact a registrant's placement in the class.**

DO NOT SEND MONEY OR FORMS TO THE MONROE FIRE DEPARTMENT, SLICE OR TO BLACKHAWK TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. Money or forms sent to any of these will not be accepted.

Each participant must have Worker's Compensation coverage by his or her department or business. A Chief or training officer must complete and sign the *Fire Education Pre-Registration Form*. **THERE WILL BE ABSOLUTELY NO PARTICIPATION WITHOUT A PROPERLY COMPLETED FORM.** **PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY THE PRE-REGISTRATION FORM and Students must sign the Fire School Waiver showing that they have read it and understand it**** the form can be found at www.swnifra.com on the front page**

Please do NOT call the Monroe Fire Dept. for information. PLEASE CALL THE ASSOCIATION CELL PHONE AT 815/721-1855 FOR QUESTIONS OR CLARIFICATIONS. Class confirmations will be mailed to the address given and emailed if on the *Pre-Registration Form* until July 24th, 2015. After July 24th, 2015, call 815/721-1855 for confirmations. Full refunds will be given for cancellations received by July 17th. There will be NO refunds given after that date. **PAYMENT AND A SIGNATURE FROM A CHIEF OR TRAINING OFFICER MUST ACCOMPANY THIS PRE-REGISTRATION FORM.**

CHECK-IN & MISCELLANEOUS

Fire School participants MUST check in on the morning of their classes. **Check in will be from 6:30 a.m. to 7:20 a.m.** at the SLICE. Persons who are not pre-registered may register for any class with openings. However, **walk-in registrants must bring payment, a**



registration form signed by their chief or training officer, as well as proof of Worker's Compensation insurance.

Classes start promptly at 8:00 a.m. with a lunch break around noon. **Classes resume or start at 1:00 p.m.** Once the class is completed and the training site has been cleaned, certificates will be issued the SLICE at the end of the school day. Bus transportation will be provided for some of the classes that are held off site. **Buses will load at 7:15 and depart at 7:40** so we can get classes started on time.

Any evidence of alcohol or drug consumption during the classes or lunch breaks will be grounds for dismissal from the class. No refunds or certificates will be issued if a student is dismissed for any reason. Instructors will have full discretion in enforcing this policy.

PAYMENT AND A SIGNATURE FROM A CHIEF OR TRAINING OFFICER MUST ACCOMPANY THIS PRE-REGISTRATION FORM.

REGISTRATIONS & PAYMENTS SHOULD BE SENT TO: SWNIFRA, INC.

P.O. BOX 68

Orangeville, IL 61060

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SWNIFRA, INC.

Safety Rules

The following Safety Rules regarding personal protective equipment (PPE) will apply for classes at this year's Monroe Fire School. These classes are identified in the Class Information section. **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.** If "Safety Rules Apply" is indicated in the class description, students must bring the following equipment in order to participate:

1. **Helmet** (NFPA approved) **and proper eye protection**
2. **NOMEX™ protective hood**
3. **NOMEX™ PBI coat with liner & NOMEX™ PBI pants with liner** (NFPA approved)
4. **Firefighting boots** (NOTE: 3/4-length boots are not approved in lieu of pants)
5. **Gloves** (Cal OSHA or NFPA approved)
6. **Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus. Note:** One SCBA for each two students from the same department will be accepted provided they are in the same class. Air cascade systems will be available to refill tanks. Each tank must have an acceptable hydrostatic test date stamped on it. **Dates are to be within five years for steel tanks and three years for aluminum composite tanks.** All SCBAs must be positive pressure type and be NFPA approved.

Any training involving **Live Fire will comply with NFPA Standard #1403 LIVE FIRE TRAINING EVOLUTIONS. Wherever an SCBA is required, no facial hair will be allowed. This includes any facial hair other than mustaches.** Protective hoods over beards are not safety approved. Each class will have a Coordinator/Safety Officer assigned to it and present at all times. The Coordinator/Safety Officer will inspect all protective clothing and equipment and will have the final say as to whether or not a student will be allowed to participate. **The Coordinator/Safety Officers can recommend dismissal of any student who, in their belief, is acting in an unsafe manner. They will have to express their concerns with the School Coordinator &/or President of SWNIFRA. The School Coordinator & President will have final say.**

ACCOMMODATIONS

Camping at the Green County Fair Grounds

Camp sites are available for camper, trailer, and tent units at the Green County Fairgrounds. The cost will be determined by the Fair Board. The Fairgrounds will be open for camping on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights. The camping fee is for, and will be collected by, the Green County Fair Association, who owns the grounds. Bring your own tables and chairs. The Monroe Fire Department and surrounding fire departments are fully responsible for cleaning the grounds and buildings after the fire school, so your cooperation in using the garbage receptacles provided on the grounds is appreciated.

Possession and discharge of fireworks is prohibited under local and State of Wisconsin law. Campfires and open burning are prohibited by local ordinance. Only approved enclosed.

Hotels in and around Monroe, Wisconsin

Monroe, WI

Gasthaus	608/328-8395
Super 8	608/325-1500
AmericInn	608/328-3444

Janesville, WI

Best Western	608/756-4511
Hampton Inn	608/754-4900
Holiday Inn Express	608/756-3100
Motel 6	608/756-1742
Camp Dakota	608/754+5282

New Glarus, WI

Chalet Landhaus	608/527-5234
Swiss Aire Motel	608/527-2138

Blanchardville, WI

Yellowstone Lake Chalet	608/523-4121
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Durand, IL

Sugar Shoes Camping	815/629-2829
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Freeport, IL

Country Inn & Suites	815/233-3300
Baymont Inn and Suites	815/599-8510

Apple River, IL

Apple River Canyon State Park	815/745-3302
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Camping Green County Fairgrounds

2600 10th Street, Monroe, Wisconsin
608-325-9159

Vendor Expo

Friday 7 AM - 8 PM

Saturday 7 AM - 7:00 PM ish

The vendor expo features SWNIFRA's Best Business Members displaying the latest in fire, rescue, and EMS apparatus and equipment, as well as fire-rescue specialty items.



There are F.O.O.L.S. from all over teaching at Fire School.

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For those that want the Fire School Book e-mailed to them next year, please send your address to sboehmke@swnifra.com