

NEVADA STATE FIREFIGHTER'S ASSOCIATION **88TH ANNUAL TRAINING CONFERENCE**

CONFERENCE LOCATION

ELKO CONFERENCE CENTER
724 Moren Way – Elko, NV 89801

JUNE 21st - 24th, 2023

CONFERENCE COURSES

Keynote – Emotional Intelligence

To be a successful leader the most important thing is not IQ, it is EQ. The presentation will take the audience on a journey of awareness. Many have not heard of Emotional Intelligence, and some who have, think it is only about being nice and being “touchy freely”. This could not be farther from the truth. Hear Jeff Buchanan give his take on EQ and how it can help you be successful in leadership.

Keynote - Stress First Aid & How to Effectively Regulate Your Nervous System

The last few years have been filled with many stressors. This class will help you to identify stress reactions in yourself and others. It will offer a flexible evidence-based framework where you will identify your own strengths when it comes to managing stress, so that you can develop an effective stress management plan that is tailored to your unique needs. In addition, by participating you will learn ways to efficiently regulate your nervous system and practical tools will be shared that can be used for yourself and with your peers during times of stress.

Command, Leadership, & Introduction to Chaos

The course is designed to expand the knowledge of theory and framework for the concepts associated with Leadership in the Fire Service. Participants will review shortfalls that the traditional ICS model tries to employ on every incident and introduce alternatives concepts. There will be an introduction to the “Calm the Chaos” course and review basic concepts to running a division on a structure fire.

The P.A.C.E Acronym

PACE is a contingency planning model used by the military for operations that involve the use of high value assets for assigned missions. PACE is an acronym for [P]rimary target/ actions, [A]lternate target/ actions - if Primary target is compromised, [C]ontingency target - if Alternative target is compromised, [E]mergency – actions should overall mission be compromised. Participants will review strategic planning for initial incident response, when to divide your needs, and how to plan for future expansion.

Railroading 101

The course will help first responders to understand railroad response, contacting the railroad, understanding shipping documents, rail equipment, general rail safety, and response assets.

Landing Zone Operations

Through classroom and hands-on training participants will learn about working around helicopters that may be responding to their scenes. Topics to be reviewed will be communications with aircraft, setting up landing zones, working with flight crews, and helicopter safety. *THE CLASS WILL BE LIMITED TO 20 STUDENTS.*

Overview of Fires Involving Lithium-Ion Batteries, Including Electric Vehicles and Energy Storage Systems

This class will provide response and size-up planning information, and case-study reviews, for firefighters and other emergency personnel who may respond to fires involving lithium-ion batteries and/or energy storage systems (ESS). Fires of this nature present unique challenges to emergency responders, and this class will help you to be aware of the hazards of ESS, and strategies and resources currently available to deal with these incidents. Included in the class will be an overview of the new standard NFPA 855, Standard for the Installation of Stationary Energy Storage Systems, which includes code provisions to address fire protection concerns associated with ESS, as well as guidance for firefighters to help prepare for ESS fires.

“MythBusters” for NFPA Standards and NFPA General Updates

This class doesn't sound too exciting, does it? Who would want to go to a class to talk about NFPA standards? Have you ever discussed with your fellow firefighters that NFPA standards just don't make sense, and aren't very practical when it comes to real-world fire incidents? Besides, who writes those standards anyway?.....If any of this sounds familiar, then this class is for you! If you're not familiar with the NFPA standards-development process, you might be surprised to hear who actually determines the information in the standards (for example, it's not the people who work at NFPA). We'll discuss some actual scenarios of how NFPA standards directly affect you as a firefighter, and directly affect your department. Many changes have occurred in the NFPA standards over the past few years that impact the Fire Service, from fire apparatus to turnout gear to SCBA to firefighter training and professional qualifications/certifications. We'll also take a look at other programs and training that are available from NFPA.

Extrication – From Priuses to Peterbilts

As automobiles are ever changing, extrication techniques and technology must evolve with them. This 8-hour course aims to inform participants on the most up-to-date extrication methods on all types of vehicles. The first 4 hours will be spent in a class discussing best extrication practices on vehicles from "Priuses to Peterbilts". Followed by a 4-hour H.O.T (hands on training) class. The class will also feature a section on electric vehicle extraction and fire suppression. This training will require full PPE minus SCBA. *THE CLASS WILL BE LIMITED TO 20 STUDENTS.*

Advanced Bleeding Control – Stop the Bleed for First Responders

Stop the Bleed is a grassroots national awareness campaign and call-to-action. Stop the Bleed encourages bystanders to become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives. This class will dive into the next steps for first responders arriving on scene and advanced techniques.

Patient Care During Extrication

Extrication – we often practice the skills portions of cutting apart cars, but what should we do with the patient inside?

Families of First Responders Seminar - Strategies to Support Transitions from Work Life to Home Life

The transition from work to home life is often reported as a stressor for both the firefighter and the family. Within this workshop we will discuss strategies to support this transition, and you will gain a deeper understanding of the biological, mental, and emotional aspects of stress and trauma. *This is a FREE session open to the families of all first responders in our community!*

HANDS-ON PROPS

The NEW Nevada State Fire Marshal's Burn Trailer

Confined Space Prop

LIVE BURN TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

For those who wish to participate in Live Burn training, the "Live Burn Accountability" form must be filled out and signed by your Chief Officer prior to participating in live burns. The form can be found on NSFA.org under the publication tab and then forms (<https://www.nsfpa.org/forms/>).

VENDORS

TNTCNC
KnoxBox
Enerspect
Haix Boots
L.N. Curtis
Mercy Air/Air Methods
Great Basin College
Jed Minor-5 Star Insurance
Sea Western
 Draeger
FirstNet with AT&T
Pharmlogs/Traxworx
Med-X / AirOne

Look for additional classes and demonstrations as the conference gets closer!!

GENERAL SCHEDULE

Wednesday, June 21, 2023			
Start Time	End Time	Event	Location
7:00 am	5:00 pm	Open Registration	Gold Country Inn
8:00 am	1:00 pm	Golf Tournament	Ruby View Golf Course (Elko)
2:00 pm	5:00 pm	Trap Shooting	Spring Creek Trap & Skeet
6:00 pm	???	Meet & Greet Reunion Dinner & Cornhole	7018 Brewery

Thursday, June 22, 2023			
Start Time	End Time	Event	Location
7:00 am	8:00 am	Open Registration	Lobby of ECVA
8:00 am	8:15 am	Honor Guard, Pledge of Allegiance, Welcome	Ruby Mountain 3
8:15 am	10:00 am	Keynote Speaker - Emotional Intelligence	Ruby Mountain 3
10:15 am	11:30 am	Mental Health Seminar - NV Peer Support Network	Ruby Mountain 3
11:30 am	1:00 pm	Lunch with Vendors	ECVA Lobby / RM 3
		Manipulative Skills Course	ECVA Parking Lot
1:00 pm	5:00 pm	Classroom Courses (Leadership, EMS, Fire Tactics, LZ Ops)	Rooms in ECVA Building
6:00 pm	??	Horseshoe Tournament & BBQ Dinner	Johnny Appleseed Park
Event for Guests and Family			
1:15 pm	3:00 pm	Strategies to Support Transitions from Work Life to Home Life	Ruby Mountain 3
Miscellaneous Meetings			
1:00 pm	2:30 pm	Nevada Fire Chiefs Association Meeting	Elko Fire Dept - Station 2
2:30 pm	4:00 pm	Board of Fire Services Meeting	Elko Fire Dept - Station 2

Friday, June 23, 2023			
Start Time	End Time	Event	Location
8:00 am	11:30 am	Classroom Courses (Leadership, EMS, Fire Tactics, etc.)	Rooms in ECVA Building
		Full Day Extrication Class (Part 1)	ECVA Parking Lot
		Live Burn Evolutions	ECVA Parking Lot
11:30 am	1:00 pm	Lunch with Vendors	ECVA Lobby / RM 3
		Manipulative Skills Course	Parking Lot of EVCA
1:00 pm	5:00 pm	Classroom Courses (Leadership, EMS, Railroading)	Rooms in ECVA Building
		Full Day Extrication Class (Part 2)	ECVA Parking Lot
		Live Burn Evolutions	ECVA Parking Lot
6:00 pm	??	Bowling & Pizza Dinner	Blind Onion & Telescope Lanes
Events for Guests and Family			
1:00 pm	4:00 pm	Paint & Sip	Cook's Steakhouse

Saturday, June 24, 2023			
Start Time	End Time	Event	Location
7:30 am	8:00 am	Memorial Service	Ruby Mountain 3
9:00 am	12:00 pm	Business Meeting	Ruby Mountain 3
1:00 pm	5:00 pm	Water Fights & Monkey Drills	ECVA Parking Lot
6:00 pm	??	NSFA Banquet & Auction	ECVA

Nevada State Firefighter's Association's 88th Annual Conference

Lee Engine Company-City of Elko Volunteer Fire Department and the Nevada State Firefighter's Association are pleased to invite you to attend the Annual Training Conference to be held in Elko, NV

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TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES:

- The **NEW** NV State Fire Marshal Burn Trailer
- Full Day Vehicle Extrication Class (limited to 18 participants)
- Working Around Aircraft and Landing Zones
- CEU-based Emergency Medical Service Classes
- Keynote and Classroom training will include:
 - Emotion Intelligence & Mental Health
 - Introduction to Chaos
 - P.A.C.E Tactics
 - Railway Response
 - Working Around Lithium Batteries

SOCIAL EVENTS:

- Pre-Conference Golf and Trap Shooting
- BBQ and Horseshoes
- Pizza and Bowling Night
- Spouse Events
- Manipulative Skills, Monkey Drills, & Water Fights!

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A block of rooms and RV spots have been reserved at the Maverick Casino and the Gold Country Inn & Casino. To reserve a room please contact the following:

Maverick Casino - 775-738-2111 or 775-753-0586

Gold Country Inn & Casino - 775-738-8421 or 775-753-0586

Request rooms under "NSFA ELKO CONFERENCE 2023". Cutoff date for the discount is 3 WEEKS before the conference (5/31/2023) any rooms not picked up after this date will be based on availability at the discounted rate.



For more information and to register for the conference please visit www.nsfa.org