

BADLANDS DISTRICT FIRE SCHOOL
RELIANCE FIRE HALL
SEPTEMBER 28, 2014

Radio Communications & the Fire Service

A basic (NON-TECHNICAL Firefighter Point of View) overview of how radio systems operate and how it affects operations in the fire service. Local systems as well as the State - Wide Area Radio System will be covered. Will provide an overview of what the different channels and talk-groups are intended for as well as functions and operations of radio equipment. The class will conclude with a Question and Answer Period and questions specific to your local area of operations will be addressed as best as possible.

Instructor – Rick Gustad – Platte Fire Department - 3 hrs. – morning session

Forcible Entry Techniques and Methods

The days of “Kicking Doors Down” are over. This hands-on forcible entry class will focus on understanding and using two basic tools, the halligan and the flat head axe. After a short classroom session, the students will be able to force multiple doors using the methods discussed. Multiple techniques will be shown for, inward and outward opening doors, door size up and tool selection, single and two firefighter techniques, and what to do when “Plan A” fails. Students will also learn the anatomy of various locks and how to manipulate them with simple tools and techniques. Never find yourself out of ideas at the door again!

Instructor -Adam Frick - Yankton Volunteer Fire Department & Sioux Falls Fire Rescue. - 4 hrs.-afternoon session

NFPA compliant structural firefighting PPE, safety glasses, and EAR PROTECTION are required. SCBA is not required, but strongly encouraged.

This class is limited to 20 students.

Firefighting Strategies & Tactics for the Modern Fire Ground

This class focuses on structural firefighting practices, and is designed for all Fire Depts. regardless of size. It will include a review of the latest NIST/UL Fire Research and discuss the changes in fire behavior encountered inside modern structures. We will also go over some core firefighting strategies utilizing various classroom scenarios. This goal of the class is to help FF's of all experience levels develop sound tactics in response to structural fires within their response areas.

Instructors: Lieutenants Mike Eliason and Mike Roemmich –Aberdeen Fire & Rescue – 6 hrs.

Aftermath of a Disaster “The First Four Hours”

This class is designed to introduce Fire Departments and local Governments with understanding the processes for a response following a disaster event. Students will learn the steps need to complete a community risk assessment, development of a pre-incident plan, and Command and Control following an event that impacts your protected area. An understanding of the processes that are needed for Disaster Declarations at the County, State and Federal level will help with securing resources that are needed to control the incident. At the completion of the class students will **have a better understanding of how damage assessments affect our declaration process as well as how they are used** to prioritize our response.

Instructor - Todd Lowe – Hartford Fire and Rescue -3 hrs.- Afternoon only

SD Fire & Incident Reporting System

This class will provide information on updates and operating procedures when utilizing the reporting system. If your department is experiencing any problems or has questions or concerns, this class will provide information to address them.

Instructor: Chief Deputy Fire Marshal Doug Hinkle – 3 hrs. – Morning only

PEPP

This class is designed to help EMT’s/Paramedics increase their confidence, knowledge and skills when caring for children.

1. BLS Hybrid PEPP courses 9/28/2014- course date opens 9/2/2014 for the Reliance Course.
2. Pre-register on: www.peppsite.com.
3. Contact: Corolla Lauck at corolla.lauck@usd.edu for access code to JB Learning/PEPP.
4. Complete online modules (9) and pre-course work prior to class date 3.75 hours CEU’s.
5. Participate in a live ½ day course featuring both didactic and skills training components.
6. Successfully complete 15 multiple-choice test questions to receive your PEPP certification.

SCHEDULE

8 a.m. – 9 a.m.

9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

12 p.m. – 1 p.m.

1 p.m. - ?

Registration@ Reliance Fire Hall

Classes

Lunch & Business Meeting

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Registration: \$15 per person

Lunch is available but not include in the registration.

Departments in the Badlands District must pay their 2014 dues of \$50 per department

President Elect and Eastern Area Director will be elected at the business meeting

For more information contact Brent Hoffer @ 605-682-8712 or Brad Christensen @ 605-830-0931