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**Pennington County  
Midwinter Muster**

**February  
14th, 15th and 16th**

Classes Start

Friday 1800

Saturday & Sunday 0800

Registration

Friday 1700

Saturday & Sunday 0700

Ramkota

In

Rapid City

2111 N. Lacrosse St.



### **Beyond Hoses and Helmets - IAFC Sponsored**

#### **FEATURED CLASS OF THE MUSTER**

2 day class – Sat and Sun 12 Hours

*Course Description:* Pierce Fire Apparatus and the Volunteer and Combination Officers Section (VCOS) of the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) are pleased to offer an educational training course designed by practicing chief officers that delivers real world expertise through an interactive educational experience. The course is titled “Beyond Hoses and Helmets – Strategy and Tactics of Leading a Volunteer or Combination Fire/Rescue Organization.” The United States Fire Administration and the National Emergency Training Center provided technical support in the development of course material and supporting documents.

### **Driving Simulator – Limited to 12 people**

(This program is not intended as a class for firefighters, it is a train the trainer style class)

1 day class – Sat or Sun 3 Hours

*Course Description:* This course is an introduction to a new and exciting tool that is available for training new and current firefighters. The driving simulator is an enclosed trailer mounted vehicle cab with interactive screens that will put the student in various situations for purposes of driving instruction. The instructor can evaluate the students awareness, response times, ability to process information, and adherence to driving laws and department procedures. This session is set to demonstrate the abilities of the simulator and the requirements to get it to your home department.

### **FI110 - Wildland Fire Observations & Origin Scene Protection - NWCG Sponsored**

1 day class – Sat 6 Hours

*Course Description:* The primary emphasis of this course is to teach sound wildland fire observations and origin scene protection practices that enable first responders to a wildland fire scene to perform proper origin scene protection procedures. The course is presented by short lectures, electronic presentations, exercises, and class discussion.

### **S230\* - Crew Boss/ S231\* - Engine Boss**

#### **NWCG Sponsored**

2 day class - Sat and Sun 8 Hours each day

*S230 Course Description:* This is a classroom course designed to produce student proficiency in the performance of duties associated with the single resource boss position from initial dispatch through demobilization to the home unit. Topics include: operational leadership, preparation and mobilization, assignment preparation, risk management, entrapment avoidance, safety and tactics, offline.

*S231 Course Description:* Blended Learning Hours: 8  
*Course Description:* This is a skill course designed to produce student proficiency in the performance of the duties associated with engine boss, single resource (ENGB). Topics include: engine and crew capabilities and limitations, information sources, fire size-up.

#### **REQUIRED FOR S230/S231 PLEASE READ**

\***S230/S231** were developed using a **blended approach** to learning, meaning that it contains a mix of online and instructor-led training (ILT). Students are required to complete the online training portion of the course and pass an online assessment prior to taking the ILT. The focus of the online training is to teach knowledge and concepts. The ILT will reinforce the content learned online and provide opportunities to apply this knowledge to real-world scenarios and practical exercises. Upon completion of the ILT, students must then take and pass a final assessment in order to receive credit for the course. The final assessment covers content from both the online and ILT portions of the course. Pre-work which is required is at NWCG online courses (<http://training.nwcg.gov/pre-courses.html>).

**This pre-work MUST be completed prior to attending class. You will NOT be allowed to attend if the pre-work is NOT complete.**

### **EMT Recertification Hours**

Sat or Sun-8 Hours

*Course Description:* This class is a short session of some of the reportedly harder to find recertification hours for EMTs. This class will offer a total of 8 hours in the areas of OB/GYN, Pediatrics, and Behavioral/Medical. SD state EMT hours will be given to participants. This class will be offered both days.

### **S131-Fire Fighter Type 1/S133-Look Up, Look Down, Look Around/RT130-Fire Safety Refresher - NWCG Sponsored**

2 day class - Sat and Sun

*S131 Course Description:* 8 Hours Firefighter Type 1, S-131, is an eight-hour course designed to meet the training needs of the Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1). This course is designed to be interactive in nature. It contains several tactical decision games designed to facilitate learning the objectives and class discussion. Topics include: fireline reference materials, communications, and tactical decision making.

*S133 Course Description:* 4 Hours This course is designed to train Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5) and Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1) to identify environmental factors and indicators of hazardous fire conditions, and how to use these indicators.

*RT130 Course Description:* 4 Hours Annual Fireline Safety Refresher Training is designed to provide up to date fireline safety information to employees holding Incident Command System qualifications requiring this training per the PMS 310-1, Wildland Fire Qualification System Guide.

### **S130-Firefighter Training/L180 Human Factors on the Fireline/S190-Intro To Wildland Fire Behavior - NWCG Sponsored**

Fri, Sat, Sun - 30-35½ Hours

*Course Description:* **S130-L180**-This course is designed to provide entry level firefighters skills. Many of the units are set up so they can be taught in both the classroom and the field. A version of L-180, has been included as part of this course. **S190**-This course also provides instruction in the primary factors affecting the start and spread of wild-fire and recognition of potentially hazardous situations. It is designed to meet the fire behavior training needs of a firefighter type 2 (FFT2) on an incident as outlined in the PMS 310-1, Wildland Fire Qualification System Guide and the position task book developed for the position.

### **CPR Recertification**

Sat or Sun-4 Hours

*Course Description:* This class will be taught by AHA standards of Healthcare Provider. This class will be offered both days.

**Register Online at [http://reg.abcsignup.com/view/view\\_month.aspx?as=14&wp=240&aid=SDFA](http://reg.abcsignup.com/view/view_month.aspx?as=14&wp=240&aid=SDFA)**

**\$25.00 per person for Muster Registration**

**Motel room rates will be \$74.99 + tax. Reservations can be made by calling the Ramkota direct @ 605-343-8550 and request the Pennington County Midwinter Muster rate.**