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Professional Development Series Bay Area 2012

Carr Convention Center | 4400 Rosewood Drive | Pleasanton, CA 94588

These four seminars will provide you with relevant education and quality professional networking offered as one-day classes, close to home. **Register for all four seminars for just \$275* or go a la carte for \$95 each.**



Schedule:

Thursday, March 15, 2012

- Fighting Fire Against Wind
- Leadership

Gerald Tracy, Battalion Chief (ret), City of New York, FD

Thursday, May 24, 2012

- Creating Order Out of Chaos: Managing Incident Evolution – How to Stop a Crisis From Turning Into a Disaster
- Twelve Key Factors for Improving Catastrophic Incident Command: Surviving When Hell Knocks

Geoff Williams, Chief (ret.), Principal Officer, Central Scotland Fire and Rescue Service, Scotland, UK

Thursday, October 4, 2012

- Sustainable (Green) Design and the Fire Service

Ron Spadafora, Assistant Chief, City of New York, FD

Thursday, December 6, 2012

- Engine Company Operations: Water on the Fire

Curt Isakson, Battalion Chief, Escambia County Fire & Rescue, FL

* Registration cost includes handouts, lunch and certificate for each class attended. Attendees that complete all four classes will receive a special certificate. This is 100% tax deductible as a professional education expense. **Deadline to receive four-seminar discount of \$275 is March 15, 2012.**



To register for the Professional Development Series, visit Firenuggets.com

If you're looking for a more comprehensive experience, explore the Firehouse options. Choose from two events offering five days of training and education to include hands-on training, preconference workshops, conference classes, networking opportunities, and purchasing options.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Firehouse and Fire Nuggets Announce Strategic Events Partnership

Provides Fire Service Training at National, State and Local Level

Burnsville, MN (November 2011) – Firehouse and Fire Nuggets announced a strategic partnership today that will combine the collective strength of both organizations to provide high quality education and content on a national, regional and local level. This partnership, initially combining and consolidating event efforts, will make Firehouse and Fire Nuggets the leaders in serving today's fire-service via live events.

A trusted name in the industry for more than 30 years, Firehouse currently reaches over 500,000 firefighters in print, online and through live events. Firenuggets.com receives an average of 400,000 page views a month, is viewed in 87 countries and the premier name for one-day seminar offerings throughout the country. "This partnership elevates the Fire Nuggets brand and stable of speakers via Firehouse events, and in turn, makes Fire Nuggets the exclusive partner and provider of education on a regional and local level via the Firehouse brand" stated Ed Nichols, Vice President of Firehouse Events.

"We're excited about this partnership," said Mary Flynn, Group Show Manager for Firehouse Events. "The benefits for both of us are wide-reaching. We'll be able to pool our resources, expand our reach, and make training and education available to more people within the fire service."

Firenuggets.com, a free access internet magazine, was founded in January 2000 by veteran firefighters Battalion Chief Ted Corporandy, San Francisco Fire Department, (ret) and Battalion Chief Paul Schuller, San Jose Fire Department (ret). Firenuggets.com helps to promote a common-sense approach to everyday decision-making for routine and emergency operations by drawing on the lessons from fire service professionals. Fire Nuggets also goes beyond the website to provide a series of one-day seminars in select cities throughout the U.S. Fire Nuggets seminar presenters are recognized as some of the leading names in fire service training.

Paul Schuller, co-founder of Fire Nuggets, explained, "We are honored to enter into an exclusive agreement with an industry leading organization like Firehouse. Everyone's first-hand experiences result in "nuggets" of knowledge. We'll combine our "nuggets" with those from Firehouse to benefit firefighters from around the world. Our common goal is to present experience-based information intended to improve operations, prevent disastrous situations and, above all, SAVE LIVES"!

A list of the current education available via this partnership, including Firehouse World (February 19-23, 2012) in San Diego, CA, Firehouse Expo (July 17-21, 2012) in Baltimore, MD and (Fire Nuggets events) can be found on Firehouse.com and Firenuggets.com.

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