



CAL FIRE/SLO COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

Class Title: SLO County Volunteer Fire Fighter Academy

Dates: February 18, 19, 25, 26, March 3, 4, 10, 17, 18, 2012

Times: 0800 – 1700 each day

Class Description: This class includes lectures and manipulative practice skills. The course is designed to be an entry-level training experience for individuals joining or serving with a fire department as a volunteer. Topics include: general safety, basic fire chemistry/behavior, breathing apparatus, portable fire extinguisher, forcible entry, rescue, ladders, water supply, hose loads, fire streams, communications, salvage operations, ventilation techniques, and wildland fire safety. This course is sponsored by SLO County Fire Training Officers, and SLO County Fire Department.

Instructor: Training Captain Eric Shalhoob and Instructor Cadre

Certificate Awarded: SLO County Training Officer's Certificate

Location: South Bay Training Center
880 Manzanita
Los Osos, CA 93402
805-528-2160

Fee: **CAL FIRE PCFs** - \$250.00 check required to secure a spot in the class – to be refunded by SLO County Fire upon successful completion of the class.
OTHER AGENCY PCFs - \$250.00 check to be made out to SLO County Fire

Pre-requisites: Students must be an official member of the department that is sponsoring them. **Students must be medically cleared and fit tested prior to registration.**

What to bring: Notebook and #2 pencil. Wildland/Structure PPE, Department sponsored SCBA.

What to wear: Students must wear their department's duty uniform (pants, button up shirt, boots). No exceptions. Students must wear 8" heavy duty leather boots for any wildland practical exercises.

How to register:

- * Go to www.hancockcollege.edu and fill out online application
- * Send course registration with student ID# and payment. Registration is on first-come-first served basis. All registrations must be mailed or hand delivered.
- ***Registration must be accompanied by a letter from sponsoring department stating that you have passed the SCBA fit test and are medically cleared. This letter must be received within ten days prior to the class start date or your name will be removed from the roster. PHONE, E-MAIL, AND FAX REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

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Name: _____ "H" # _____

Agency Working for: _____ Station/Rank: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Work Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone or E-mail Confirmation to: _____

You will be contacted via email with AHC registrations instructions – email address is required and must be legible! If I cannot read it, you will not receive instructions and will be unable to attend.

Supervisors Name (printed) and Signature: _____

Please mail registration form and check to:

CAL FIRE/SLO County Fire Department
Attn: Training Registration
880 Manzanita
Los Osos, CA 93442.

Your request will not be processed with out payment

Cancellations require 10 day notice. Less than 10 days, or no-shows, will forfeit all fees.

If you have any further questions please call training at 805-528-2160 or
E-mail training at: Diane.Draeger@fire.ca.gov

It is the student's responsibility to confirm enrollment

Have you applied to Allan Hancock College?

Allan Hancock College Online Registration Instructions

- Students must apply for admission by going to the AHC website, www.hancockcollege.edu. From “AHC Start Here Go Anywhere” page, go to “Apply Fall 2010, Credit Admissions Applications” link.
- Upon completion of the online application, students will be assigned a user name and password to log on to myHancock. Allow up to 30 minutes for myHancock to recognize your user name and password. The student will be issued a Student ID#.
- This procedure will only be necessary the first time you apply to AHC.
- Send in your completed and authorized CAL FIRE registration, with your Student ID#, to the South Bay Training Center. Training will verify your admissions to the college and check that your name is on the roster.
- If you find that you must drop a class, you will need to do it by the day before the beginning of the class. Failure to do so will result in an “F”.
- Please apply for admission early – AHC requires a completed roster a week before the beginning of the class.

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South Bay Training Facility

Code of Conduct

Welcome to South Bay Training Facility. Since this is a shared facility, it is our goal that our new neighbors will be pleased that we are here. We expect all personnel to conduct themselves professionally both in and out of our training facility. Please read the following information, and be prepared to follow the instructions. If there are any questions, you are always welcome to give our office a call.

Parking: Please use the parking lot at the entrance to the Training Center, on Manzanita Drive, parking lot "A". **Use designated parking spaces only.**

Speed Limit The speed limit will be strictly enforced. Again this is a family friendly neighborhood, with children playing. You will be expected to obey all traffic laws and speed limits. (CVC Sect. 22352, 2-a, b)

Tobacco use ("Tobacco use" means the consumption of tobacco products by burning, chewing, inhalation, or other forms of ingestion. CHSC Sect. 104355-c). **ALL Tobacco use is prohibited anywhere on the school grounds.**

Language Loud, obscene, or inappropriate language will not be tolerated. We share this facility with two pre-schools and ask that you are respectful to the children that may be able to hear your discussions while on campus.

Cell phones Turn them OFF during class unless you have prior approval from the instructor. There will be ample opportunity to use them during your breaks and lunch

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Course Attire Uniform or Business casual attire suitable for public contact is required. Any clothing with rips, tears, ragged, frayed cuffs or hems or with offensive language or pictures is unacceptable. The following are examples of unacceptable items of clothing.

Halter/bikini top/midriff blouse
Shorts/cutoffs
Open Toed shoes

Tank top/tee shirt/undershirt
Sweatpants/sweat suits/sweatshirts

Caps and unacceptable items of clothing will not be worn at the training Center. If you are engaged in activities that may soil clothing, wear attire that is appropriate to the situation.

Site Access During your training please stay in designated areas (classroom, student lounge, outside). Your training staff still has work to do while you are training so please be courteous, keep noise down and stay out of the front office, training offices, and GIS offices. If you have any questions please fill out a 3x5 information card provided by your instructor. Your instructor will submit the card to training and your question will be answered in a timely fashion.

When In the Community Please remember you are ambassadors for your department and our training center. The community of Los Osos has welcomed us and we expect you to be professional and act appropriately in or out of our facility.

Personal Needs If you believe you have a disability that requires special accommodations contact [Diane Draeger](#) (805) 528-2160 prior to your arrival.

All rules are non-negotiable and any persons who blatantly violate the above rules will be asked to leave the facility. Your training staff has worked hard to insure that your learning experience is both pleasant and productive. Please enjoy our new surroundings.

Thank you for your cooperation