



MSFA FALL FIRE SCHOOL 2025

Lapeer, MI

Oct 18-19, 2025

For more info or to download a registration form visit www.msfassoc.org

Class 1: Fire Fighter Survival Techniques/Rapid Intervention Techniques (24 Student Maximum) Class Location: Elba Twp FD Station 1 – 1789 Hadley Rd, Lapeer MI 48446 **FIREFIGHTER CE'S AVAILABLE** **(Turnouts are required with functioning SCBA) (THIS IS A PHYSICALLY DEMANDING CLASS.)** Instructor: Brent Connell (President MSFA, Elba Twp Fire & Rescue/Grand Blanc Twp FD), Jeff Tody (Elba Twp Fire & Rescue), Alex Newton (Grand Blanc Twp FD), Randy Conkin (Mayville FD)

In this 2-day course students will learn the hands-on techniques needed to survive when something goes wrong. Firefighters will learn to recognize situations where firefighters can become trapped and disoriented and will learn the proper techniques for self-rescue. Firefighters will also learn life saving techniques that can be used in the event that a rapid intervention team is needed. Students will learn how to search, find, and remove firefighters from life threatening incidents.

Class 2: EV/AFV Incident Management: Safety and Response Techniques – Day 1
Courage to be Safe – Day 2 Class Location: LCEMS 3565 W Genesee Rd, Lapeer MI 48446

Day 1: EV/AFV Incident Management: Safety and Response Techniques

As the number of electric vehicles on the roadways increases, it is important for first responders to understand how a response involving these types of vehicles is different than those with an internal combustion engine. This awareness and fundamentals course sponsored by General Motors will introduce first responders to hybrid and electric vehicles, share data and resources, and equip first responders with the knowledge and tools to respond more safely when a hybrid or electric vehicle is involved in an incident

Day 2: Courage to be Safe – Instructor: William Shagena (2nd VP MSFA, Kimball FD)

This course is a proactive and moving presentation by the National Fallen Fire Fighters Foundation, through the Everyone Goes Home Program, that is designed to change the culture of accepting the loss of firefighters as a normal occurrence. Building on the untold story of line of duty death survivors, it reveals how family members must live with the consequences of a firefighter death. This presentation provides a focus on the need for firefighters and officers to change fundamental attitudes and behaviors to prevent line of duty deaths. The central theme promotes the courage to do the right thing to protect yourself and other firefighters and ensure that "Everyone Goes Home" at the end of the day. Firefighters must have the courage to face a multitude of risks to save lives and protect their communities. Their courage allows them to willingly risk their own lives so that others can be saved. A different type of courage is required to stay safe in potentially dangerous situations, avoiding needless risks and tragic consequences.

Class 3: OFF ROAD VEHICLE (ORV) Instructor: Jason Newfer (3rd VP MSFA, Captain Newaygo Fire)
Class Location: Hadley Twp Fire Department – 3750 Hadley Rd, Hadley MI 48440 **FIREFIGHTER CE'S AVAILABLE**

Come join us for a day and a half of ATV training. Our first day will be all of the lecture and vehicle/equipment familiarization. Day 2 we will spend executing the confidence course and off-road practical evolutions. We will be utilizing and seeing a few different units from the area.

Class 4: Ladders/HIPP

Instructor: Alan Styles (Fire Chief Dalton Township Fire Department)

Class Location: Lapeer County Fire Association Training Center – 830 Davis Lake Rd, Lapeer MI 48446

Day 1: Ladders

This course can be both lecture and hands on (or stand-alone topics) will talk about basic situation awareness on the fireground as well as look at why "things went bad" and what we can do to improve the overall safety of our crews. This is an interactive course and does require participation from the attendees along with an open mind about when "we were accidentally successful".

The hands-on portion of the course is geared specifically to the understanding of ladders, and the importance of them on EVERY fireground, no matter what your staffing levels are.

Class 4, Day 2: HIPP

Honor, Integrity, Pride, and Passion is what the Fire Service is built on for over 300 years. What does it really mean? Do you have it? Does your organization have it? How do you build it within your organization? This dynamic yet interactive presentation will reenergize and reset your Honor, Integrity, Pride and Passion within yourself. It will give you the motivation to return home to reinvigorate HIPP within your organization.

This lecture is typically presented in a 4-hour format, it will require some engagement from the participant along, but this presenter also can be quite entertaining and brings it "down to earth" with his "call it like it is" demeanor.....You won't be disappointed.

MSFA FALL FIRE SCHOOL 2025 REGISTRATION FORM

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Registration includes:

- All Class Material
- Lunch Saturday
- Firefighter CE's

NOTE: Please use one registration form per person, PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY (fax copies are hard to read)

Choose your Class (first and second choices)

Cost Per Class

1st Choice: _____	Individual member <u>\$75.00</u>
2nd Choice: _____	Non-member <u>\$110.00</u>
	Total \$ _____

Student Name: _____

MSFA#: _____

Street: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Phone with area code: _____

Email: **MUST BE PROVIDED** – Confirmation letters will only be emailed.

Fire Dept.: _____

NFIRS#: _____

Method of Payment: Check ☐ Payable to: MSFA, or Credit Card: ☐ Discover, ☐ MC, ☐ VISA,

Card number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

3 digit code on back of card: _____ Signature for credit card: _____

☐ **BILL your agency Dept.** (** Required information to bill departments)

**Chief's Name: _____

**Chief's Signature: _____

**Billing Street/Road/PO Box: _____

**City: _____

**Zip: _____

**Fire Dept.: _____

**NFIRS#: _____

RETURN THIS REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT

Mail to: MSFA P.O. BOX 405, SWARTZ CREEK MI 48473, Fax to: (810) 635-2858, Or Email to: office@msfassoc.net

- CANCELLATIONS AFTER 10/01/25 WILL BE CHARGED FULL TUITION.