Fire Sprinklers

Please check the address at the end of the brochure for each class. Read the course descriptions carefully and note required items for entry.

Basics of Fire Sprinklers and Fire Pumps

Instructors: Tom Kline, Owner, Fire University, and Greg Schulze, Senior Instructor, Fire University

During this course, trainees will learn about the components and function of each type of fire sprinkler system and fire pump. As a result of this course, the student shall be able to describe various types of water-based, foam fire suppression systems and fire pumps and basic inspection and testing information for these systems. The first portion of the class will consist of classroom theory, with the second half consisting of practical training in the Fire University training lab.

Tuesday, March 22, 2022 Fire University – Full day class Tuesday, April 19, 2022 Fire University – Full day class Tuesday, May 17, 2022 Fire University – Full day class

ITM Requirements for Fire Sprinkler Systems

Instructors: Tom Kline, Owner, Fire University, John Jeffers, Instructor, Fire University

Trainees will take an in-depth look at NFPA 25. Through this course, individuals will gain a refresher on the use of a codebook and how to apply the NFPA 25 code to their daily work. After completing this course, the trainee will be better prepared, from a legal obligation to a practical knowledge standpoint, to inspect and carry out their job in accordance with NFPA 25. The first half of the course will consist of classroom theory, with the second half consisting of practical training on fire sprinkler systems and fire pumps. All instruction and training will take place in the Fire University training lab.

Tuesday, March 29, 2022 Fire University – Full day class Tuesday, April 26, 2022 Fire University – Full day class

Standpipes and Hose Systems

Instructors: Tom Kline, Owner, Fire University, Greg Schulze, Senior Instructor, Fire University

Through classroom theory and practical training, the trainee shall be able to describe the components, classifications, and types of standpipe systems and have a working knowledge of how to operate these systems. The first portion of the class will consist of classroom theory at Fire University, with the second half consisting of practical training, including flowing water in the burn building, at Salem County Fire Academy. Trainees will need to bring a helmet, gloves and eye protection for the hands-on portion of the course. Also note, this class may run past 3:30 to allow time for driving to Salem County for the second half. Please free your schedule until 4:30 p.m. to allow for this.

Tuesday, April 5, 2022 Fire University – Full day class may dismiss at 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 Fire University – Full day class may dismiss at 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 7, 2022 Fire University – Full day class may dismiss at 4:30 p.m.

Technical Class for NFPA 20

Instructors: Gary Koenig, Training Instructor- Sprinkler Fitters Local 696 and Dale Scheetz, Lead Trainer- Sprinkler Fitters Local 696

Suggested course outline for NFPA 20 Standard for the Installation of Stationary Pumps for Fire Protection shall include general knowledge, product knowledge, product installation knowledge, system knowledge and documentation. There will be a hands-on Fire Pump Demonstration.

Please be prepared to provide your Covid 19 vaccination card.

Tuesday, May 17, 2022 Friday, June 10, 2022 Sprinkler Fitters Local 696 Sprinkler Fitters Local 696

Fire University

9 Florence Ave Building B Penns Grove, NJ 08069

From the south:

Take exit 10 of the Garden State Parkway

Take Court House South Dennis Rd and NJ-347 N to NJ-55 N in Maurice River

Follow NJ-55 N and US-40 W to NJ-48 W in Carneys Point Township Continue on NJ-48 W. Drive to Florence Ave

From the north:

Take the NJ Turnpike South

Take the NJ-140 exit toward Penns Grove/Deepwater/County Rd 540 Take S Pennsville Auburn Rd, Hollywood Ave and US-130 N to Florence Ave

Or from 295 South
Take exit 13
Follow US-130 S to Florence Ave in Carneys Point Township

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