

Connecticut Fire Academy

June 6, 2008

2008 Seminar Series

Upcoming 2008 Seminar Series

Engine Company Errors: The Dirty Dozen

Friday, August 8, 2008, Lieutenant Ray McCormack
FDNY
Course number 09008

Attitudes in Volunteer Departments: Dealing with all Types

Saturday, October 18, 2008, Chief Tim Holman
German Township, Ohio Fire Department
Course number 09042

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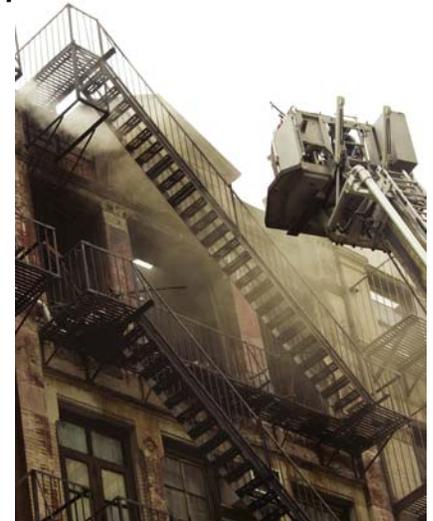
Friday, December 5, 2008, John Sachen
University of Missouri Fire and
Rescue Training Institute
Course number 09062

Profiling Buildings

Presented by: Chief Ray Hoff, Topinabee, Michigan Fire Department

This presentation by Chief Ray Hoff stresses sizing up for managing the fire scene and for initiating an action plan. The presentation covers creating awareness of building construction, fire behavior and how to develop tactics prior to arrival on the scene. These simple concepts are suffering in today's fire service due in part to limited fire experience, changes in training concepts, over reliance on SOP's and rollover in personnel. Participants will learn to read the building to select tools and tactics that will get you in and get you out, as well as enable you to accomplish critical fireground tasks such as forcible entry/exit, ventilation, and search. This presentation can assist a department with improved operations, saving time and lives.

Ray Hoff, is a forty-plus year member of the fire service, is Chief of the Topinabee, Michigan Fire Department, where he has served for ten years. Prior to that he was a battalion Chief for the Chicago, Illinois Fire Department where he served for 32 years. He has taught for the Illinois Fire Service Institute for 15 years.



Course #08270, Course Fee \$55, All classes held at the Connecticut Fire Academy

All Seminar Series presentations are scheduled from 8 am until 4:30 pm. Lunch is included. Acceptance confirmation notices with directions will be mailed approximately two weeks prior to the start of the program. Students canceling seven days in advance will receive a full refund. Application forms can be duplicated or downloaded at ct.gov/cfpc and returned via fax or mail with payment. Additional questions can be directed to Program Manager Mark Salafia, phone 877-528-3473 ext 286 or email mark.salafia@po.state.ct.us



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