Hartford County
"HOSELINE"

News From Around Hartford County

Upcoming Meetings and Other Events:

Mark April 7th for the 2nd Annual Connecticut Fire Fighter Hall of Fame dinner at the Aqua Turf.

Save Wednesday, May 12th from 5pm - 9pm for the 2nd Annual Tip-A-Firefighter for Autism at Wood-n-Tap in Rocky Hill to benefit Autism Speaks and Jimmie Clark's Pit Crew!

HCFEP 60th Annual Memorial Service will be **Sunday, October 3, 2010** in Plainville. More details to follow.

Hartford County Emergency Plan congratulates Chet Haber - Berlin, Ed Haber - Berlin and Ted Schroll - Wethersfield on their selection to the Connecticut State Firefighters Association Hall of Fame Class of 2010

On April 10, 2010 at 8 AM at Bloomfield Center Fire Headquarters, there will be a lecture on Suburban Firefighting. The guest speaker will be Retired Lieutenant Robert Pressler of the FDNY. For more information please go to www.bloomfieldctfd.com or contact Al Goldstein at (860) 209-2081.

Archdiocese of Hartford will hold the 2nd Annual **Blue Mass** on **Sunday, May 2, 2010** at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph in Hartford at **11 am**. See information page attached to the end of this edition of the "HOSELINE".

Join Wethersfield Fire Department Members on Wednesday, May 12th from 5 pm to 9 pm at Wood-n-Tap in Rocky Hill for the 2nd Annual Tip-A-Firefighter for Autism!

We are pleased to announce the fact that Channel 3 in Rocky Hill will host Skywarn training for folks in Hartford and Tolland Counties on Thursday, May 13, from 7:PM to 10:PM. Please spread the word at your club meetings and on the air. No prior registration is needed. In 2007, well over 100 folks attended, and we hope to see that many again this year. This is a basic weather spotter course, and we encourage you to attend, especially if it's been a few years.

Do you have some news you want to share? E-mail all submissions including pictures to secretary@hcfep.org.

Death Notices

It is with regret that we announce the following Hartford County Fire Department members who have passed away:

2/24 - Albert Francia - Windsor Locks

3/2 - Alcide "Al" LaChappelle - Lost Acres

3/4 - Raymond Woods - Hartford

3/17 - Richard Trommer - Suffield

3/20 - William Warren - Hartford

3/20 - Daniel Larensen - Blue Hills

3/23 - Henry Modzeleski - East Hartford

3/24 - John Rival - Retired Deputy Chief - East Hartford

MORE NEWS

In an effort to improve the "HoseLine" we will be asking for Hartford County Fire Department to complete a short survey attached to this months HOSELINE and we will be spotlighting a different department each month.

Don't forget to send in information and pictures for upcoming editions!

New Chiefs and Officers in Hartford County

Farmington Center

Chief - Tim Vibert

1st Asst. Chief - Jeff Hogan

2nd Asst. Chier - Tom Slater

Deputy Chief - Mike Grabulis

Dep. Chief Oakland Garden - Ron Talit

Captain Oakland Garden - Mike LaPierre

Captain - Brett Baio

Captain - Todd Jensen

Lieutenant - Todd Jones

Lieutenant - Jon Murray

Lieutenant - Dennis Frazao

Don Antigiovanni - Retired as Chief Officer, but will remain on the Department as a Firefighter/Driver/EMT. Congratulations on serving for 25 years as a Chief Officer!

New Equipment

Nothing new to report this edition! If you wish to have new equipment acknowledged, please send it to secretary@hcfep.org

Chaplain's Corner

If your department does not have a chaplain and is in need of one in an emergency or would like help locating one. Please feel free to contact me by phone at 860-978-2361 or by email at chaplain@hcfep.org.

Rev. Chris Skowronek
HCFEP Chaplain

To submit items to the "HoseLine" for the **May Issue**, ***deadline for submissions will be April 25, 2010***. We hope to have each monthly **"HoseLine"** out by the first week of the month.