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# Hartford County "HOSELINE"

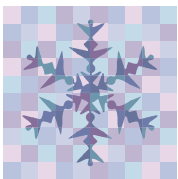
## News From Around Hartford County

### Upcoming Meetings and Other Events:

Save the date for our  
next meeting on  
**March 17, 2010**

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

HCFEP 50th Annual  
Memorial Service  
will be Sunday,  
October 3, 2010 in  
Plainville. More  
details to follow.



The University of Connecticut Health Center Fire Department and University of Connecticut-Storrs Fire Departments have consolidated to form the University of Connecticut (UConn) Fire Department. It will consist of the Storrs/Headquarters Branch and the Farmington Branch. Please see the information listed under New Chiefs and Officers on page 2 for Officer information.

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".

**5th Annual Beer and Wine Tasting** sponsored by Wethersfield Volunteer Firefighter's Association - **Thursday, March 25th from 7pm - 9pm** at the Pitkin Community Center, Wethersfield.

Advanced tickets - \$15 includes a commemorative wine glass  
Tickets at the door - \$20 (wine glass only as available)

**Space is limited!**



For tickets or questions please  
contact: **Marty Sitler (860) 563-0027**  
or **Mark Mahder (860) 721-1800**



Do you have some news you want to share? E-mail all submissions including pictures to [secretary@hcfep.org](mailto:secretary@hcfep.org).

## New Chiefs and Officers in Hartford County

University of Connecticut-Storrs Chief Mancini has been appointed Chief of UCONN Fire Department and Deputy Chief McGovern of University of Connecticut-Storrs is the interim Deputy Chief of Operations at the Farmington Branch.

East Granby Fire Department elected Wayne Bindas to Assistant Chief.

*If you wish to have new Chiefs or Officers acknowledged, please send it to [secretary@hcfep.org](mailto:secretary@hcfep.org)*

## Death Notices

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

1/16 - **Edward W. Chase, Jr.** - Suffield Fire Department

1/21 - **Richard Ernest Carroll** - Plainville Fire Department

1/26 - **William Gilbert McKenzie** - Rocky Hill Fire Department



## New Equipment

*Nothing new to report this edition! If you wish to have new equipment acknowledged, please send it to [secretary@hcfep.org](mailto: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](mailto:chaplain@hcfep.org).

Rev. Chris Skowronek  
HCFEP Chaplain

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