

Fire-Rescue 2025



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June 11-14, 2025

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Wednesday, June 11

7 a.m.	Conference registration & store open
7 a.m.	Golf registration
7 a.m.	Beach workouts Various locations
8 a.m.	<u>Firefighter Mental Health Resiliency</u> Jennifer Miller
8 a.m.	<u>Modern Rural Water Supply Operations</u> Andy Soccodato
8 a.m.	<u>Emergency Response to Electric Vehicle Incidents</u> Chris Soda
8 a.m.	<u>Leveraging Your Why: The Power of Purpose-Driven Leadership</u> Dr. Ben Martin & Jonah Smith
1 p.m.	<u>Floating to Victory: Fire Department Flood Operations</u> Kevin Manhardt & Andrew Miller
1 p.m.	<u>Sleep and Other Science You Need to Know</u> Dr. Sara Jahnke
1 p.m.	<u>Fire Service Mortar: The Critical Role of the Company Officer</u> Jarrod Sergi
1 p.m.	<u>Truck Company Operations in Multi-Family Dwellings</u> Ethan Tucker
5:30 p.m.	<u>Beach Bash</u> Crocodile Rocks at Broadway at the Beach

Thursday, June 12

7:30 a.m.	Conference registration & store open
7 a.m.	Beach workouts Various locations
8:30 a.m.	Morning Devotional
9 a.m.	<u>Opening Ceremony</u> Dan Shaw
10 a.m.	<u>Business Meeting</u> Dr. Sara Jahnke, Keynote
1:30 p.m.	Officers Section Meeting Jason Pope
2 p.m.	<u>Emergency Response to Electric Vehicles in Parking Structures</u> Chris Soda
2 p.m.	<u>The Truck Company Chauffeur (Setting Up for Success)</u> Ryan Murphy
2 p.m.	<u>Sex Trafficking 101 – EMS</u> Joseph Campbell
2 p.m.	<u>Combative Command: 5 Musts When No Help is Coming</u> Michael Dozier
2 p.m.	<u>Member Benefits & Retirement Overview</u> Zorrina Harmon
2 p.m.	<u>Water Supply for Large Scale Fires</u> Andy Soccodato
3:45 p.m.	Leadership Roundtable
5:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Soft Opening
9 p.m.	<u>Family Movie Night</u> The Terrace, 196 Laurel St., Conway SC

Friday, June 13

7:30 a.m.	Conference registration & store open
7:30 a.m.	Beach workouts Various locations
8:30 a.m.	Morning Devotional
9 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Opens
9 a.m.	<u>The Command Mindset</u> Dan Shaw
9 a.m.	<u>Detailed Leadership, Aggressive Tactics</u> Micah Rains
9 a.m.	<u>Beyond the Call: Understanding Life and Love in the Fire Service</u> Kevin & Yvonne Henson
9 a.m.	<u>ISO Preparing for a Survey including Water Supply</u> Kyle Biles & Seth Vaughn
9 a.m.	<u>Nozzle Operations and Victims: A Real Life Hat Dance</u> Jonah Smith
9 a.m.	<u>Technology in the Fire Service</u> Chad Beam
10:45 a.m.	<u>The Company Officer: Service Above Self</u> Nick Papa
10:45 a.m.	<u>Small Fire Depts - Tips for Winning Big on the Fireground</u> Richard Ray
10:45 a.m.	<u>All Workouts are not Created Equal...for the Fire Service</u> Bryan Reid
10:45 a.m.	<u>Designing and Documenting Standards-Based Training</u> Jonathan Jones

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10:45 a.m.	<u>Active Shooter Response: Are you prepared?</u> Thomas Tardo
10:45 a.m.	<u>Beyond the Buzz: Practical AI for Fire & EMS</u> Jennifer Thackston
10:45 a.m.	<u>SCFAST 101</u> Patti Graham
2 p.m.	<u>The Brady Bunch: Managing the Marriage of Fire & EMS</u> John Smith
2 p.m.	<u>Are We Preparing Firefighters to be Successful Company Officers</u> <u>–EFO Research Paper Data Will Surprise You</u> Mark Nugent
2 p.m.	<u>Hurricane Helene Response: A Recap of SC Firefighter Mobilization & US&R Operations</u> Chad Beam
2 p.m.	<u>Lithium Battery Response Guide</u> Christopher Hunt
2 p.m.	<u>Passionate Leadership for Fire and Emergency Services</u> Jason Dennis
2 p.m.	<u>Financial and Retirement Planning – Tools Available to Firefighters</u> Robert Key, Rich Linden, and Lamar Hernandez
2 p.m.	<u>1% – Use It Wisely or Lose It</u> Jeff Oswald
3:30 p.m.	Fire Safe South Carolina Presentations

Saturday, June 13

7:30 a.m.	<u>Fun Run</u> Grand Park at Market Commons
8 a.m.	Conference Registration & Store Open
8:30 a.m.	Morning Devotional
9 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
10 a.m.	<u>SCFAST 101</u> Patti Graham
10 a.m.	<u>Keys to Success</u> Bonita Waters
10 a.m.	<u>Difficult Conversations and Effective Confrontation</u> Ryan Kunitzer
10 a.m.	<u>Commanding & Controlling the Volunteer Fireground</u> Richard Ray
10 a.m.	<u>First on the Scene: Burn Care 101</u> Rosalee Unwin
10 a.m.	<u>Firefighter Rescue and the RIT Officer</u> Jim Crawford
10 a.m.	<u>Coordinating Ventilation: Supporting Extinguishment & Survivability.</u> Nick Papa
10 a.m.	<u>1% – Use It Wisely or Lose It</u> Jeff Oswald
11 a.m.	Past President's Lunch Vidalia's
12 p.m.	<u>Explorer Meeting</u>

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1 p.m.	<u>Explorer Competition</u> In front of Convention Center
1:30 p.m.	<u>Country Cooking: A Recipe for an Effective Rural Fire Department</u> John Smith
1:30 p.m.	<u>Overhauling Orientation: Adapting to today's challenges of onboarding new firefighters and direct hires</u> Shane Marsteller
1:30 p.m.	<u>Why Before The How: "A modern-day approach for instructing fire service students"</u> Wayne Jones
1:30 p.m.	<u>Firehouse Testimony: Mentoring to Make Awesome People</u> Ken Norton
1:30 p.m.	<u>Advanced Drafting</u> Andy Soccodato
6:30 p.m.	<u>Banquet & Transfer of Command</u>

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