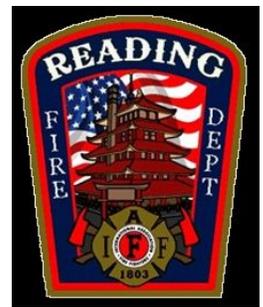




Nozzle Forward

November 6th and 7th, 2021

Hosted by Reading IAFF Local 1803



DESCRIPTION: This two-day class integrates the three major components of engine company work: fire behavior, hose management, and fire attack. This class is led by Aaron Fields and his cadre of other skilled and motivated instructors.

The one thing that every fire department in the country has is fire hose. The one event that happens on every single fire is a hose-line gets pulled and water is flowed. The Nozzle Forward Program is a class designed by engine company crews for engine company crews. It is not a collection of techniques; it is an adaptable system of hose line management and fire attack. It is focused around fighting fire, interior offensive firefighting, aggressive firefighting, for which we will never apologize.

The goal of the "Nozzle Forward" program is to help craft more efficient engine companies by increasing an individual's competency with their tools and expanding on the conceptual aspects of the fire environment.

WHEN: Saturday, November 6th & Sunday, November 7th - 0730-1800 both days

WHERE: Berks County Fire Training Center
895 Morgantown Road, Reading, PA 19607

FEE: \$250/student and includes light breakfast, lunch, and drinks on both days

REGISTRATION: <https://form.jotform.com/211886167459166>

GEAR REQUIREMENTS: Full turnout gear is required for this class (without SCBA). KNEE PADS ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED. You will get wet in this class. You may want to consider extra dry gear and clothing.

QUESTIONS: E-mail us at local1803treasurer@yahoo.com

LODGING: Discount rooms available \$129/night. Use code "NFT" when booking or use this link: [Discount Room](#)
DoubleTree Hotel - 701 Penn Street - Reading, PA 19606 - (610) 375-8000

NOZZLE FORWARD BASH: Join us Saturday night at nearby Trooper Thorns for food, raffles, door prizes and other fundraisers for IAFF Local 1803.

ABOUT THE INSTRUCTOR: Aaron Fields has twenty years in the fire service and currently works for the Seattle Fire Department (WA) alongside both his father and brother. He was the recipient of the 2017 Fire Engineering/International Society of Fire Service Instructors (ISFSI) George D. Post Instructor of the Year Award and named Seattle Firefighter of the Year in 2011 by his peers. He is a Washington state fire instructor and has taught at the state fire academy for recruit school and department-wide for engine company operations training.

He is the founder of the Nozzle Forward program, which has been running for 12+ years and has taught nearly 30,000 students in more than 300 classes. Besides the hands-on skills, Aaron also teaches curriculum design and teaching strategies for psycho-motor skills in a class called, "Drilling for Function."

