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TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

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Weekly Drill Series

These courses are being held on the following dates and times:

Roped In: October Training Series

October 1st: Anchoring	1900-2200
October 8th: Patient Packaging	1900-2200
October 22nd: Mechanical Advantage Systems	1900-2200
October 27th: Low Angle Systems	1900-2200

Westchester's weekly drill series is designed to enhance the skillset of Fire Service personnel operating at a wide range of incident types. Drills will be conducted during the week and will rotate through key subject areas. Through a combination of discussion-based learning and hands on training, this program empowers firefighters and officers to both initiate and facilitate daily drills at their home departments. Each session is thoughtfully designed to supplement your departments existing training schedule, while providing practical drills that participants can take back and implement.

Roped In: October Training Series

Join us during October for our month of Rope Refresher training, a hands-on training series designed to sharpen essential rope rescue skills and build confidence in the field. Throughout the month, we will cover anchoring, patient packaging, mechanical advantage systems, and low angle systems, focusing on practical techniques, system knowledge, and teamwork. The four sessions can be taken individually, so you can attend whichever sessions fit your schedule.

Target audience: Fire Service Personnel

Prerequisites:

- ***Students are required to register for each class. Students who are not registered will be turned away!***

Registration: Pre-registration is mandatory. Walk-ins are not permitted. Make sure you have completed any pre-requisite courses. To register go to: Weekly Drill Series

Class size is limited to 12/20 (min/max) students.

Venue: Westchester County DES Training Center, 4 Dana Rd. Grasslands Campus., Valhalla, New York. All students are able to park in the lot adjacent to the Support Services Building located at 35 Walker Road

For questions or concerns regarding weather or course cancellation call (914) 231 – 1615.
Check out our Website at http://emergencyservices.westchestergov.com/ for the most current information on training