



KANANASKIS EMERGENCY SERVICES

Course Application Form

COURSE NAME

DATES

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Nozzle Forward

August 27 & 28, 2025

\$600.00

This course is available to members of recognized emergency services organizations. This course is being delivered at the Kananaskis Emergency Services Centre On August 27 & 28, 2025 (more dates may be added subject to demand).

Aaron Fields: "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 gets flowed. The Nozzle Forward is a class for engine company crews. It is not a collection of technique; 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. Aggressive firefighting is not the problem, it is the solution.

For today's nozzle-person, the art of hose and fire suppression often has been obscured and put to the side in favor of other "hot topic" training. How to attack fire and move the line has been ignored and forgotten by many engine companies. It is the ongoing development of an in-depth study of all things engine. It is not a "what if" class, it is a program designed to ingrain the nozzle team to make the right choice and be able to accomplish whatever task is necessary for a successful interior attack. It is not theory; it is proven on fire-grounds around the country. Adapted from a variety of sources, but reconstructed to be based around simple principles that maximize mechanical advantage.

The class answers the "whys," not just the "what's," and quickly creates a system that can be adapted to fit any engine company from the urban to the rural. The goal of the "The Nozzle Forward" is to help craft more efficient Engine Companies by increasing the individuals' competency with their tools and expanding on the conceptual aspects of the fire environment. The course will integrate the three major components of engine company work; fire behavior, hose management, and fire attack. The class is 22 hours with the morning of day one being a lecture. Now let's go do good work... VADO CANIS VADO"

Prerequisites: None

A 50% deposit is required to reserve a seat in the course. Deposits are non-refundable if canceled within two weeks of the start date.

Name of Applicant

Email

Phone

Home Address

Postal Code

Allergies / Dietary Restrictions

Organization

Phone

Billing Address

Postal Code

Billing Contact

Billing Email

Billing Phone

Payment Method:

Invoice

Credit Card

Online Payment

I have read and understood the preceding caution on behalf of the applicant named and authorize thier attendance and participation as a member of the organiztion.

Fire Chief/Authorizing Signature: _____ Name/Title (print) _____

I agree to be solely responsible for any injury, loss, or damaged which I might sustain while participating in this program due to any cause whatsoever. I further agree to release Kananaskis Emergency Services, their directors, officers, employees, agents, students, volunteers, and independent contractors of all responsibility for such injury, loss, or damage. If admitted, I agree to comply with all rules and regulations of Kananaskis Emergency Services. I have read and understand all of the above statements.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

For further information contact:

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Kananaskis Emergency Services reserves the right to cancel any course. All applications are considered on a first come first serve basis.

*Applications must be filled out electronically and submitted via email.
Any applications missing information may not be considered at time of class selection*

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