

NPC Fire Science Advisory Committee

March 15, 2013 @ 1:00 p.m.

Lakeside Fire Department

Minutes of the Meeting

Call to Order: Jacob Brock at 1:17 p.m.

Attendance: Jacob Brock, Bill Solomon, Stuart Bishop, Danneel Elkins, Troy Maloney, Richard Wallace and Lisa Aragon.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Fall 2013 classes being offered are as follows depending on number of student enrolling: Firefighter I & II, HazMat, Incident Safety Officer, Principles of Fire Prevention, Strategies & Tactics, Pumps/Hydraulics and Ropes I, II, and III.
2. Agencies in the area would like to have a new set of fire training dummies (adult and child) purchased for use in the tower if there are funds in the budget to order this year.
3. NAVIT FRS program is transitioning into a one year program beginning Fall of 2013.

OLD BUSINESS

1. FRS 141 will require English 101 as a prerequisite beginning in the Fall of 2013.
2. Next year the focus of the committee will be to revamp the FRS program. Tactical vs. Management degrees and online courses might be options for the new program.

NATC UPDATE

1. New props have been successful in training this year. More props and tools are being purchased for next year, as the NATC is continuing to improve the training facility.

ROUNDTABLE ITEMS

1. Lakeside Fire Department is willing to have NAVIT students over the age of 18 ride-along during the hours of 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Next Meeting will be held in August of 2013.

Adjournment: 2:20 p.m.