



2010 OFFICERS SCHOOL
Green River Firefighters Association
February 19, 20 & 21, 2010
Lexington Convention Center – Lexington KY



12. A Car Can Kill You at Zero Miles Per Hour And What's Junk in the Junkyard

Dwight Clark's extrication presentations have received rave reviews each year at the Officers School since 1999 and as students have requested we have invited him back for a return engagement. This class will begin with the latest information on dangers to rescue personnel during a vehicle rescue event and how to avoid them. Students will then explore the differences between rescue drills in the junkyard and with real wrecks they respond to on the highway. Students will learn how vehicles are constructed and how construction is modified during a crash. The instructor will teach students how to predict "hard points" and "soft points" to reduce extrication time. Students will improve their evaluation of the extrication scene, choose the correct tools to do the job, allowing you to reduce the time and effort during the extrication, all providing for quicker transport and better outcomes for the patient.

This is a **ONE DAY CLASS** and will be offered on **SATURDAY ONLY**

**INSTRUCTOR: DWIGHT CLARK, DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF,
FORSYTH COUNTY, GA**

Dwight Clark has been closely associated with vehicle extrication since 1979, teaching in 23 states, Canada, Mexico, Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico, United Kingdom and South Africa. Dwight has become one of the most popular instructors in the history of the Officers School. Dwight currently serves as Deputy Chief of the Forsythe, Georgia Fire Department and is a Contributing Editor for Fire Rescue Magazine. Previously Dwight served as an Instructor with the Georgia Fire Academy. Dwight is a founding member of the Transportation Emergency Rescue Committee of the IAFC and has served as judge and evaluator in 11 International Vehicle Rescue Competitions. Dwight's career in the fire service began in 1959 with the San Angelo, Texas, Fire Department, where he retired in 1991 as an Assistant Fire Chief.

**For further information about the 2010 Officers School contact the Area 3 Training Center
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