# Firefighter Training Available REGISTER NOW (FREE)



#### COURSES - S100 (FIRE SUPPRESION)

- S185(FIRE ENTRAPMENT)
- S211 (THE ENVIRONMENT FOR FIREFIGHTERS
- S212 (FIRE LINE COMMUNICATION

Date: August 14th -17th (3-day training)

Time: 08:30 - 4:30

Location: Community Centre -5767 Old Vernon Road, RR 3, Enderby, BC V0E 1V3

Contact: David Formentini – <a href="mailto:emc@splatsin.ca">emc@splatsin.ca</a> for registration

The event will be considered tentative and cancelable contingent on how many confirmed registrations. Deadline for registration by August 9<sup>th.</sup>

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## Wildland Firefighter Training Program

### **Appendix A - Course Descriptions**

#### **Entry Level Courses**

Mandatory for work on any wildfire and applicable to forestry employment

#### S-100 Basic Fire Suppression

This course covers the basic terminology used in wildland fire suppression operations, basic fireline suppression tactics, and water delivery methods. The second day of training consists of practical pump and hose layout, water delivery, and demobilization of a hoselay.

#### S-185 Fire Entrapment Avoidance

The S-185 provides crucial safety procedures for eliminating the risk of fire entrapment and provides tactics to follow during an entrapment threat. Students will learn that a safety-first attitude, a commitment to using LACES and a shared responsibility to maintain situational awareness are essential habits to keep crews safe in the ever-changing wildfire environment.

#### **Type 2 Courses**

Minimum training for a Type 2 crew member

#### S-211 The Fire Environment for Fire Fighters

This course provides a general overview of the fire environment for firefighters and dispatchers. Participants will gain a basic understanding of weather, the relationship between weather and fire behaviour and the relationship between weather and crew comfort and safety.

#### **S-212 Fireline Communications**

This course discusses proper radio communications, types of radio equipment, simplex vs duplex radio systems, and practical demonstrations on transmitting to BC Wildfire Dispatchers.

#### S-213 Use of Bulldozers and Heavy Equipment

This course discusses the various types of heavy equipment, their uses and limitations on the fireline, as well as proper fire guard construction techniques. Safe work attitudes and practices around heavy equipment are highlighted to ensure the safety of operators and ground crews.