FLORIDA FIREFIGHTERS
SAFETY AND HEALTH
COLLABORATIVE

The Collaborative Connection – April 2022

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Community Partners,

The Florida Firefighter Safety & Health Collaborative is an organization composed of fire departments across the State of Florida combined with industry leaders and professional organizations. Our mission is to focus on Firefighter Safety & Health by providing education, training, and sharing of best practices to minimize risks and exposure to our Florida Firefighters. We provide FREE programs to Fire Departments looking to enhance and maintain an effective Safety Committee and/or Safety Program.

Since the inception of the Collaborative in 2016, we are now a 501c3 non-profit organization that has gained the support of the Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center, Firefighter Cancer Support Network, Florida Fire Chief's Association, Florida Professional Firefighters, Florida Fire Marshal's Office, Firefighter Behavioral Health Alliance, Illinois Peer Support, UCF Restores, Cigna and many more.

Our collaborative is expanding, and we want to continue to offer FREE programs to firefighters throughout the state of Florida and that is why we are reaching out today. **The Florida Firefighter Safety and Health Collaborative is excited to announce we will be hosting our first Charity Fishing Tournament at Hula Bay in the Tampa Bay area on July 30th and we hope you will consider being a part of this event, whether sponsoring or registering to participate.** We have attached all the information for the event. All proceeds from this event will be used to grow the four pillars of our organization: Mental Health, Cancer Prevention, Health and Fitness, as well as Firefighter Safety. We hope to see you there!!

Sincerely,

Christopher Bator
President and Co-Founder
Florida Firefighters Safety & Health Collaborative
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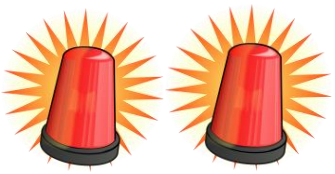

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative will be hosting first Collaborative Slam Fishing Tournament

We are looking for teams to register as well as sponsors to make this tournament a success! All proceeds will support FFSHC to support Florida's Firefighters

Registration Options

Team Registration (using your own boat and fishing equipment) - **$200**
1-4 anglers per team (includes tournament bucket with gifts, breakfast and lunch on tournament day)
Option for Adding Shirts $50each

Guided Registration (provide captain and boat) - **$800**
1-4 anglers per team (includes Captain, boat, bait, rods/reels, tackle, tournament bucket with gifts, breakfast and lunch on tournament day) [does NOT include your Captain's gratuity. Industry standard is $100-$150+]
Option for Adding Shirts $50each

Triple Team Registration (using your own boat and fishing equipment) - **$1500**
1-4 anglers per team (includes tournament bucket with gifts, breakfast and lunch on tournament day). This registration places your team in the Triple Crown division. *This registration includes Miami, St Augustine & Tampa 2023*
Option for Adding Shirts $50each
Not for Sale Until After Tampa 22 Tournament

Triple Guided Registration (provide captain and boat) - **$2800**
1-4 anglers per team (includes Captain, boat, bait, rods/reels, tackle, tournament bucket with gifts, breakfast and lunch on tournament day) [does NOT include your Captain's gratuity. Industry standard is $100-$150+] This registration places your team in the Triple Crown division. *This registration includes Miami, St Augustine & Tampa 2023*
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Sponsorship Options

Trout Tournament Sponsor - **$1500**
Company Logo Placed on event marketing materials, website and large banner hung at the 2-day event. (Includes 1 Guided Registration and all that comes with it + event shirts)

Snook Tournament Sponsor - **$2500**
Company Logo Placed on event shirts and everything included in Trout level sponsorship.

Redfish Tournament Sponsor - **$3500**
Recognition in press releases about event and everything included in Snook level sponsorship.

Slam Sponsor - **$5000**
Double Team Registration (Includes 2 Teams of 4, with 2 boats/captains) and everything included in Snook level sponsorship.

Trophy Sponsor - **$10000**
Display table at after party, speaking time while introducing the trophy winners and everything included in Redfish level sponsorship.

Multi Event Sponsorship Options

Triple Threat Sponsor – **$9000**
Redfish Sponsorship x3 – Redfish sponsor at Miami, St Augustine and Tampa 2023

Grand Slam Sponsor – **$13,000**
Slam Sponsorship x3 – Slam sponsor at Miami, St Augustine and Tampa 2023

Grand Trophy Sponsor - **$25,000**
Trophy Sponsorship x3 – Trophy sponsor at Miami, St Augustine and Tampa 2023

Corporate Sponsorship Options

Platinum Tournament Sponsor – Partner Level - **$30,000**
Partner level sponsorship. Partner with FLFishingTournaments.com and host one of our wonderful Collaborative Slam Tournaments with elite levels of exposure.

Grand Tournament Sponsor – Partner Level at all 2023 Tournaments - **$60,000**
Partner level sponsorship. Partner with FLFishingTournaments.com and host one of our wonderful Collaborative Slam Tournaments with elite levels of exposure.
Platinum Tournament Sponsor x3 – Trophy sponsor at Miami, St Augustine and Tampa 2023

Florida Firefighters **Safety and Health Collaborative**

COLLABORATIVE SLAM FISHING TOURNAMENT

Save The Date

July 30th

Location:

Hula Bay Club, Tampa, FL

Join us for an amazing day on the water, fishing and drinking with some of the best people, supporting a wonderful charity. Prizes, drinks, food, games, raffles and more!

Registration opens

April 15th

www.CollabSlam.com

Benefiting:

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative

Our commitment is to focus on Firefighter Safety & Health by providing education, training, and sharing of best practices to minimize risks and exposure to our Florida First Responders

Presented By:

FL Fishing Tournaments.com
Fishing For A Cause

For sponsorship or tournament questions reach out to
Captain Jarrod @ 813.9979897 or Capt.Jrod@FLFishingTournaments.com

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative

Florida Fire Investigator Health & Safety Committee

This committee is for anyone responsible for conducting an origin and cause investigation or whose titles may include Fire Inspectors, Fire Investigators, and Law Enforcement Officers within Florida. The term Fire Investigator is synonymous with anyone conducting origin and cause investigations.

On Wednesday, April 13, 2022, Dr. Alberto Caban-Martinez, Dr. Natasha Solle, Dr. Gavin Horn (UL Fire Safety Research Institute FSRI), Dr. Daniel Madrzykowski (UL Fire Safety Research Institute FSRI), Dr. Miriam Calkins (CDC), Alex Mayer (NIOSH), Jeff Pauley (IAAI Safety Committee), Dr. Peter Mansi, Dr. Bryan Ormond, Sam Eaton, Cindy Ell (Firefighter Cancer Foundation), and I presented Improving Fire Investigator Health & Safety during the 2022 International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI) International Training Conference held in Jacksonville, Florida.

The message was loud and clear; a cold scene is not a safe scene. The Fire Cancer Initiative and the UM Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center are committed to the health and safety of fire investigators. The fire investigative community could not thank them enough.

There is much more work needed in developing FACE teams throughout Fire Departments throughout the United States. We hope that the attending fire investigators will take the information back to their respective departments and establish their own.

The 3rd Edition of the IAAI Fire Investigator Health & Safety Best Practices is out in a " flipbook" version https://online.fliphtml5.com/bpgap/uiya/#p=36 [online.fliphtml5.com] or a PDF version www.iaaiwhitepaper.com [iaaiwhitepaper.com]

If you would like to make any recommendations, please send them to me. We are trying to collect policies, procedures, SOG/SOP for departments to add to the investigator section.

The National Firefighter Cancer Cohort Study sends out quarterly newsletters. Visit www.FFCCS.org and sign up to receive them.

IAAI Fire Investigator Heath & Safety Top Ten Tips https://fsri.org/research/post-firechemical-exposure-risks-fire-investigators

House Bill 557: Fire Investigator Cancer Treatment Benefits - https://www.flsenate.gov/Session/Bill/2022/557/?Tab=BillHistory

Training
Post-Fire Chemical Exposure Risks to Fire Investigators - https://fsri.org/research/post-fire-chemical-exposure-risks-fire-investigators
Fire Investigator Health & Safety https://www.dcariwi.org/ Episode #15

PROGRESS!! Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative
Representing & Presenting at the annual International Association of Arson Investigators, Inc. (IAAI) conference in Jacksonville, Florida
On April 14th we joined fellow fire service members from Palm Beach County Fire Rescue, across the State and Nationally to present alongside Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center Firefighter Cancer Initiative's Dr. Alberto Caban-Martinez & Dr Natasha Schaefer Solle, Fire Investigator Brian Gordon & Firefighter Cancer Foundation's Cindy Ell.
Bringing cancer science, awareness and prevention recommendations to the arson investigation culture.
Thank you Health and Safety director Jeff Pauly for the opportunity!

Fire Investigator Health and Safety Best Practices

Third Edition
April 13, 2022

The International Association of Arson Investigators, Inc.
Health & Safety Committee

www.iaaiwhitepaper.com
https://online.fliphtml5.com/bpgap/uiya/#p=36

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative

WHO

Fire, rescue, and emergency services personnel, fire service instructors, and fire industry supporters from across the nation

WHAT

A two-day, classroom-based training event.
Course topics include:
Physical and Behavioral Health
On-scene Safety | After the Pandemic
Staffing and Culture
...and more!

WHEN

Friday, June 24 and
Saturday, June 25

WHERE

Embassy Suites by Hilton
Lake Buena Vista Resort
Orlando, FL

After two years online, the NVFC's signature in-person training conference is BACK - and headed to Florida! Join us June 24-25 in Orlando to learn, network, and connect with volunteers from across the United States. Registration is just $129. Travel stipends are available!

FIND OUT MORE AND REGISTER AT
WWW.NVFC.ORG/SUMMIT

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- *Average annual savings of over $500.00 for those who switched!**
- *Experienced leadership: Allen Durham, President/CEO has led insurance programs delivering over $100,000,000 in claims paid on behalf of first responders and their families!*

All friends and supporters of the Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative are invited to participate. Shop your insurance with United Badges Insurance Services and support the FFSHC! Call and you could save today! 800-566-5990

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About United Badges Insurance Services:

United Badges Insurance Services (www.unitedbadges.com) provides a wide array of insurance products through multiple insurance carriers to public safety personnel (sworn/certified, civilian, retired, credentialed volunteers), public safety organizations (agencies and associations) and public safety partners, families and friends. The mission of United Badges is to serve as a dedicated insurance resource to our incredible First Responders who selflessly put their lives on the line in order to protect others. Allen Durham, President/CEO and founder, has over 19 years of experience working with the first responder/public safety community on insurance and reinsurance programs.

United Badges Insurance Services – we are honored to serve the First Responder community!

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RESEARCH STUDY

We need you to

JOIN OUR CAREGIVER STUDY

If you're a caregiver of a firefighter with cancer, we want to know how cancer has impacted your life.

Requirements:

- Caregiver of a firefighter cancer survivor
- Caregiver of a firefighter currently diagnosed with cancer

To sign up or learn more, contact:

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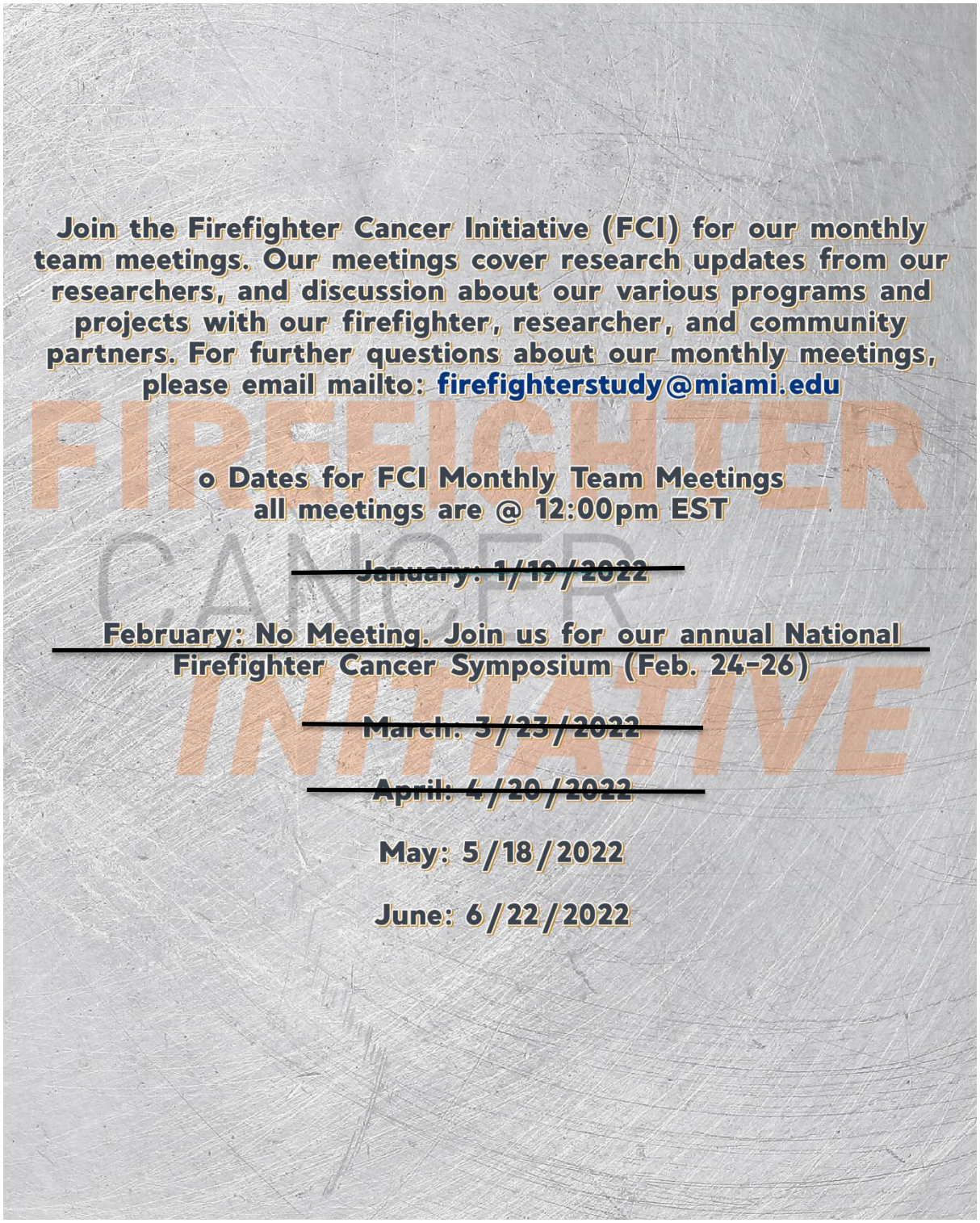
FIREFIGHTER CANCER INITIATIVE

SYLVESTER COMPREHENSIVE CANCER CENTER
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI HEALTH SYSTEM

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative



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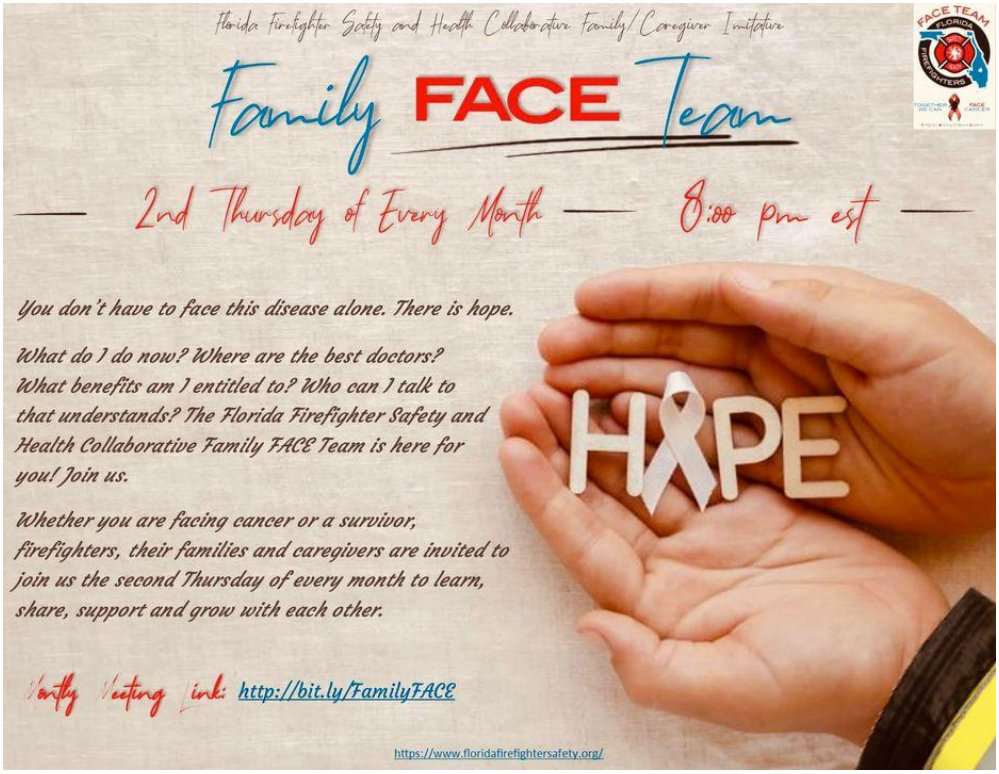

www.bit.ly/FamilyFACE : Monthly Family FACE Team

As you establish your annual contributions to the United Way for 2021– why not select the Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative to be the recipient of your United Way contributions?

Contact Gina Hudson if you have any questions or need assistance.

ghudson@floridafirefightersafety.org

FFSHC LOGO APPAREL ONLINE

New FFSHC logo apparel is available on our website – everything from T shirts, women's tanks, hats, polos and oxford shirts. Check us out and help support our mission.

www.floridafirefightersafety.org

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The Redline Rescue movement – led by first responders, for first responders – is dedicated to serving first responders and their families in their times of need.

Our network is a highly connected community of first responders and culturally trained clinicians, working hand-in-hand, devoted to the needs of those serving behind the badge. And our community is here to help – at no cost and with complete confidentiality.

Right now, you can log on to RedlineRescue.org from your phone or laptop and connect immediately with an army of trained first responder peer support team members and a host of professional mental health clinicians trained in first responder culture.

We know what you've gone through and what you've seen.
We are here and ready to help.

Fire Prevention and Safety Grants

Funding provided through DHS/FEMA'sGrant Program Directorate

Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program

Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative