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HFD HOSTS "CAMP HOUSTON FIRE"

Select Group of High School Girls See What a Career in Fire Fighting Might be Like

WHAT: HFD is hosting a special weekend long experience at the HFD Val Jahnke Training Facility for 22 high school-aged girls interested in fire fighting or other non-traditional career fields.

WHEN: This month's event will start tonight, February 26, 2010

WHERE: HFD Training Academy, 8030 Braniff off Telephone Rd.

DETAILS:

Schedule:

Feb 26: 5pm-9pm. All classroom instruction in Training Academy Simulator building Rm 115. Guest speaker is Ada Edwards

Feb. 27: 7am-5:30pm

7am – Physical Training starts, 8am - hands-on starts (ladders, rappelling, h2o supply, confined space, search and rescue, forcible entry) , 3pm - fire stream games

Feb 28: 7am - 7pm, 7am – Physical Training starts , 9am - Classroom , 9am-11:30pm - live burn , 12:30pm - hi-rise drill in the drill tower, 3:15pm - break and begin getting ready for camp graduation , 5pm – camp graduation starts, 7pm - dismissal after cake and punch and pictures.

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