

Texas Fire Chiefs Academy

Ft Worth - June 2025

Tentative Agenda - Year 1 Students

Date	Start Time	End Time	Topic	Instructor(s)
Sunday, June 1, 2025				
	5:30p	7:30p	Reception	
Monday, June 2, 2025				
	8:15a	9:30a	Opening Ceremony, Opening Remarks	Prillaman
	9:30a	9:45a	BREAK	
	9:45a	11:30a	Leadership	David Jones
	11:30a	12:30p	LUNCH	
	12:30p	1:15p	Texas LODD Task Force	Billy Wusterhausen
	1:15p	1:30p	BREAK	
	1:30p	3:15p	What I'm Looking for in a Fire Chief	Jared Miller
	3:15p	3:30p	BREAK	
	3:30p	4:45p	Emergency Management for Fire Chiefs	Rodney Smith
Tuesday, June 3, 2025				
	8:00a	9:45a	Becoming Politically Astute & Legislative Matters	Bobby Abbott
	9:45a	10:00a	BREAK	
	10:00a	11:45a	Officer's Mindset	Kevin Richardson
	11:45a	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	TIFMAS	JJ Wittig
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Civil Service	Julia Gannaway
	7:00p	9:00p		
Wednesday, June 4, 2025				
	8:00a	9:45a	TEEX Overview & Fire Chief Preparation	David Coatney
	9:45a	10:00a	BREAK	
	10:00a	11:45a	Technology Innovations	Scott Roseberry
	11:45a	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	Your Fire Service Career Path	Les Stephens
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	TCFP	Rick Wallace
	6:30p	9:00p		
Thursday, June 5, 2025				
	8:00a	10:00a	Leading Across Generations	Dr. Galia Cohen
	10:00a	10:15a	BREAK	
	10:15a	12:00	ESD's/Combination Departments	Scott Selfert
	12:00	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	Preparing for ISO	Ken Prillaman
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Leadership Unplugged Panel	Howell
Friday, June 6, 2025				
	8:00a	8:45a	Breakfast	
	9:00a	9:15a	Opening Remarks	
	9:15a	9:30a	Commandant Remarks	Prillaman
	9:30a	10:30a	GRADUATION	
	10:30a		Adjourn	

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Tentative Agenda - Year 2 Students

Date	Start Time	End Time	Topic	Instructor(s)
Sunday, June 1, 2025				
	5:30p	7:30p	Reception	
Monday, June 2, 2025				
	8:15a	9:30a	Opening Ceremony, Opening Remarks	Prillaman
	9:30a	9:45a	BREAK	
	9:45a	11:30a	Leadership	David Jones
	11:30a	12:30p	LUNCH	
	12:30p	1:15p	Legislative Update	Bobby Abbott
	1:15p	1:30p	BREAK	
	1:30p	2:45p	TFCA Best Practices	Neil Howard
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Managing the Media	Scott Selfert
Tuesday, June 3, 2025				
	8:00a	9:45a	Leading Change	Ken Prillaman
	9:45a	10:00a	BREAK	
	10:00a	11:45a	FLSA	Julia Gannaway
	11:45a	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	Managing Morale	Kevin Richardson
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Creating an Officers Academy	Webb
	7:00p	9:00p		
Wednesday, June 4, 2025				
	8:00a	9:45a	Women in the Fire Service	Amy Ramon
	9:45a	10:00a	BREAK	
	10:00a	11:45a	Finances	Les Stephens
	11:45a	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	Chief Issues	Coatney
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Implementing Practical Wellness Programs	Jason Corthell, Dr Liz Fletcher
	6:30p	9:00p		
Thursday, June 5, 2025				
	8:00a	9:45a	Fire Prevention	Ariana Kistner/Kelly Kistner
	9:45a	10:00a	BREAK	
	10:00a	11:45a	Sustainability	Randy Howell
	11:45a	1:00p	LUNCH	
	1:00p	2:45p	Inclusiveness	Joel Baker
	2:45p	3:00p	BREAK	
	3:00p	4:45p	Leadership Unplugged Panel	Howell
Friday, June 6, 2025				
	8:00a	8:45a	Breakfast	
	9:00a	9:15a	Opening Remarks	
	9:15a	9:30a	Commandant Remarks	Prillaman
	9:30a	10:30a	GRADUATION	
	10:30a		Adjourn	