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## Fire and Rescue Recruit Graduation Class 2023-2

On Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 a.m., the Prince William County Department of Fire and Rescue will hold its graduation ceremony for Recruit Class 2023-2 at the Grace Life Community Church, 9560 Linton Hall Road, in Bristow. Battalion Chief Scott Arft will preside over the ceremony.

Class 2023-2 consists of Fire and Rescue Technicians who successfully completed 27 weeks of rigorous academic and physical training at the Department's Public Safety Training Center in Nokesville, Virginia. Each student performed in excess of 1500 hours of training. The training consisted of an initial week of Orientation/Study Skills. During the entirety of recruit school, our recruits focus on their Health, Nutrition, and Functional Fitness. Additionally, there are 8 weeks of Emergency Medical Training, 13 weeks of Fire Training, 4 weeks of Specialized Training, and 2 weeks of Administrative Training.

The Department will announce the following graduates:

Aaron Bielski	Parker Freeman	Jonathon Paucar-Gonzalez
Tyler Bodner	Matthew Goldsborough	Harold Phillips
Brooke Burke	Marco Greco	Jason Scott
Anthony Chrisman	Luke Howard	Kevin Sweeney
Mason Compton	Julian Lambert	Quincy Thompson
Mary Cuccinelli	Jackson Lowery	Joshua Van Wyk
lsaac Flores	Mathew Manilli	Richard Wahl
Nathan Forbes	James Mitchell	

For more information, please call 703-792-6162.

Note: The media is welcome to attend. Photo opportunities will be available throughout the graduation ceremony.

You can view the graduation ceremony LIVE on our Facebook page at facebook.com/PWCFireRescue.