

2025 Montana State Volunteer Firefighters Convention Schedule of Events



	Thursday June 12, 2025
3:00pm - 6:00pm	Best Ball Golf - Cabinet View Golf Club
12:00pm - 5:00pm	Registration - Libby Volunteer Fire Department
4:00pm - 10:00pm	Vendor Set Up - Memorial Center
6:30pm - 10:00pm	BBQ - Vendor & Participant Social - Fireman Memorial Park
Friday June 13, 2025	
7:30am - 8:30am	Registration, Breakfast, Vendor Time - Memorial Center
8:30am - 9:00am	Welcome and Opening Remarks - Maki Theater
9:00am - 12:00pm	Hands-on Extrication - Memorial Center - BNSF Railway Emergency Response
9:30am - 10:30am	Grant Writing - Chief Dustin Tetrault - Maki Theater
10:30am - 11:30am	Legal Issues in the Fire Service - Catherine Dinwiddie - Maki Theater
11:30am - 1:15pm	Lunch with Vendors and MSVFFA Meeting - Memorial Center
1:30pm - 3:30pm	Beyond Hooks and Hoses - Policies and Procedures - Bruce Bjorge - Maki Theater
3:30pm - 4:30pm	Montana Mutual Aid Round Table/Blue Book Update-Maki Theater
4:30pm - 5:30pm	Partner Updates: John Culbertson (FSTS) - Rich Cowger (Montana and Beyond) Dave Hamilton (DNRC) - Maki Theater
6:00pm - 9:00pm	BBQ Dinner - Bruce Bjorge - Courage to Care/Health & Wellness - River Front Park
Saturday June 14, 2025	
7:30am - 8:30 am	Breakfast, Vendor Time - Memorial Center
8:30am - 9:00am	Welcome and Opening Remarks - Maki Theater
9:00am - 12:00pm	Hands On Extrication-Memorial Center, BNSF Railway Emergency Response
9:00am - 10:00am	Building a Tactical Structure Protection Plan - Lincoln Chute - Maki Theater
10:00am - 11:00am	ISO - Amanda Cochran - Maki Theater
12:00pm - 1:30pm	Lunch with Vendors and MSVFFA Meeting - Memorial Center
1:30pm	Vendor Tear Down
1:30pm - 3:00pm	Rural Water Supply - FSTS Stimpson & Staff - Maki Theater Parking Lot
3:00pm-3:15 pm	Steven Hirsch - NVFC - Maki Theater
3:30pm-5:00 pm	Planning & Implementing a Training Program - Wade Buckner - NVFC - Maki Theater
6:00pm - 10:00pm	Banquet - Retired Navy Seal Jason Redman - Memorial Center



Venue Addresses

Libby Volunteer Fire Department
Cabinet View Golf Club
Fireman Memorial Park
Libby Memorial Events Center
K.W. Maki Theatre
Libby Public Schools Admin Building
Riverfront Park

119 East 6th Street 300 Cabinet Heights Road Across Mahoney Road from Venture Inn 111 East Lincoln Boulevard 724 Louisiana Avenue 724 Louisiana Avenue 123-561 City Service Road