

May Newsletter 2020

The JATC has canceled in-person classes through May 31, 2020. Check the 669 website regularly for the most current information on when in -person classes will resume.

Apprentices must continue to complete 12 lessons per quarter. WCC is open and processing lessons and exams. New course enrollments may take a little longer with minor shipping delays.

All apprentices have been enrolled into our Online Interactive Learning for Sprinkler Fitters (O.I.L.S.) Apprentices should be completing an O.I.L.S. class for every class that is canceled. The O.I.L.S. classes have been temporarily approved by both State and US Departments of Labor as a substitute for our in-person classes during this crisis.

The JATC office is working remotely, the best way to contact our office is by email: [contactus@jatc.org](mailto:contactus@jatc.org) .

### **Journeyman Continuing Education**

Due to COVID-19, we have postponed in-person training classes that provide CEU's for Sprinkler Fitter's Licenses and NICET certifications. It is our intent that these classes will be rescheduled for the fall. While most Licensing Agencies have addressed the issue of CEUs, Colorado and Wisconsin have granted temporary approval to conduct online training classes to meet their requirement. Notices were sent out in early April to the journeyman in these areas with instructions on how to sign up for the online class. If your license is for a state other than these two and requires CEUs for renewal, then you will need to attend the rescheduled class in your area to fulfill your CEU requirements. Please check [sprinklerfitters669.org](http://sprinklerfitters669.org) under the training tab frequently for updates on these new class schedules.

While, in-person training is always preferred and the best form of training, members in need of CEUs for NICET recertification can sign up to complete an online class. To be enrolled in the online CEU class you must go to the following website:

<http://www.sprinklerfitters669.org/ceu>

### **All of the following information is required**

- Full Name
- Mailing address

- Email address
- Cell phone #
- UA ID #
- State in which you hold a license/certification
- State License #
- NICET #
- License type (i.e. Installation, ITM) NICET Certification Type (i.e. Design, ITM)
- If you already have a blackboard username, please provide it in the appropriate section. For example; first initial last name underscore ua669 (Japprentice\_ua669).

Once enrolled we will email you a link to a video to assist with logging into Blackboard. The CEU class will require reading the material provided and passing a quiz with a 75% to verify you have comprehended the information.

We look forward to getting back to conducting in-person classes, but in the mean time we hope everyone is remaining safe and healthy.

Because this is a fluid situation and adjustments are continuous be sure to **check the 669 website regularly for the most current information on classes.**

If you have any questions it is best to email us at: [contactus@jatc.org](mailto:contactus@jatc.org)