FIREFIT ENDURANCE PROGRAM

Once a week, FireFit will provide a pretty intense - usually quite long - endurance workout for those of you interested in adding in some additional training on the rower, bike, or running - to increase your aerobic capacity. Some of you will do them because you truly enjoy these type of workouts. Others may feel they need to add longer aerobic type of workouts in because it's a weakness.

Either way, adding these in 1 - 3 days a week is a great compliment to your training and will help you build stamina and endurance which is crucial to us as Firefighters.

For these sessions you may want to mix and match modalities. You can sometimes run, sometimes row. Or sometimes row, sometimes bike - for example. BUT - mix which sessions you are using which modality.

For example if you want to combine Run or Row.

Week 1: Session 1- Run, Session 2- Row, Session 3- Run.

Week 2 would then be: Session 1- Row, Session 2- Run, Session 3- Row.

You may also choose to do the same modality for the whole thing. No problem in that at all. Just keep in mind soreness and any overuse. SCALE IF NEEDED!

START BY DOING ONLY 1/2 OF THE WORKOUT AND BUILD UP OVER TIME IF NECESSARY!

DO NOT DO THESE WORKOUTS ON BACK TO BACK DAYS IF POSSIBLE.

Ideally you will separate them on like a M, W, F/S schedule or T, Th, S/S. Allow your body to recover! Please contact your trainers with any questions.

Before you get started, we recommend testing the following before and after this focused 5 weeks if you want measurable results:

Run: 400 meters,1 mile run, or 5K

Row: 500 meters, 2K, or 5K

Bike: 30 Cal, 100 Cal, or 20 minute max Cals

(You can choose any OR all of these)

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**You should have at least 1 day between run sessions.

RUN VERSION (Distance)

Run 800 meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

8 x 200 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 200s)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Run 600 Meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

6 x 200 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 200s)

After final 20 sec Rest

Run 400 Meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

4 x 200 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 200s)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Run 200 Meters - MODERATE

MODERATE is a completely sustainable pace, but slightly uncomfortable.

Hard is HARD. Not 100% - more like 85-90% effort with marginal drop off.

Score is total time, but don't mess up the paces for YOU to try to get a better score!

Run Version - No Measured Distance:

Run 4 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

8 x 40 Seconds HARD

(20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Run 3 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

6 x 40 Seconds HARD (20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 sec Rest

Run 2 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

4 x 40 Seconds HARD (20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Run 1 Minute - MODERATE

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Score is total distance if you are able to measure on a watch or something, but don't mess up the paces for YOU to try to get a better score!

Row Version:

Row 1000 meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

8 x 250 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 250s)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Row 750 Meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

6 x 250 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 250s)

After final 20 sec Rest

Row 500 Meters - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

4 x 250 Meters HARD (20 Sec Rest between 250s)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Row 250 Meters - MODERATE

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Bike Version:

Bike 4 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

8 x 40 Seconds HARD (20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Bike 3 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

6 x 40 Seconds HARD (20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 sec Rest

Bike 2 Min - MODERATE

Rest 2 Min

4 x 40 Seconds HARD (20 Sec Rest between 40 Sec Efforts)

After final 20 Sec Rest

Bike 1 Minute - MODERATE

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