

FIREFIT ENDURANCE PROGRAM

Once a week, FireFit will provide a pretty intense - sometimes 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!

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 52 weeks if you want measurable results:

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

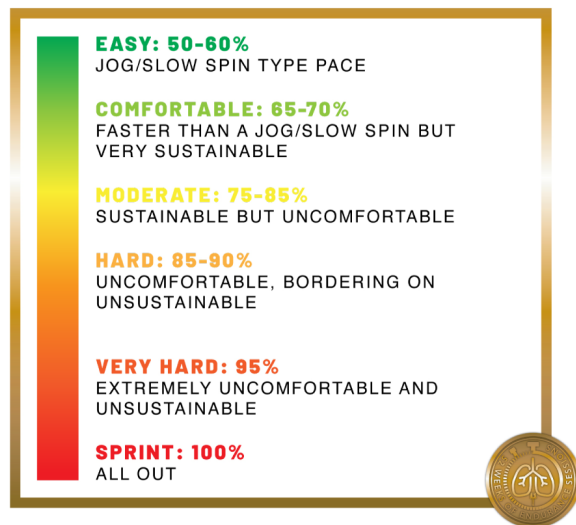
Row: 500 meters, 2K, or 5K

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

(You can choose any OR all of these)

52 WEEK ENDURANCE: SESSION 8 - 6/30/2024

52 WEEK ENDURANCE PACING



This version of the workout is for those who may be using a different piece of equipment (or type of endurance modality) than those from our standard list. It also works well for someone who is running outside and doesn't have a good measure for distance. This can be a good option to use if you are doing these workouts with someone else and want to

"stay together", or if you simply aren't in the headspace for the target goals for the day.

3 Rounds

4 Minutes (Moderate) Run, Row, Bike, Ski, Swim - etc

Rest 15 Seconds

2 Minutes (Comfortable) Run, Row, Bike, Ski, Swim - etc

NO rest - Straight into-

1 Minute (Hard) Run, Row, Bike, Ski, Swim - etc

Rest 1 Minute

45 Seconds (Hard) Run, Row, Bike, Ski, Swim - etc

Rest 1 Minute

20 Seconds (Hard) Run, Row, Bike, Ski, Swim - etc

Rest 1 Minute

*1 Round is from the 4-Minute Effort through the 20-Second Effort.

Coaches Notes

It's important for us to learn how different paces feel and to know how to both push and pull back. This workout will also test our ability to push hard - after being fatigued from some more moderate efforts.

Remember Moderate is slightly uncomfortable, vs Comfortable which is less so.

Goal is for all 3 Rounds to have the paces for Moderate/Comfortable/Hard remain the same - and for the time it takes to complete each round (or distance covered) - to be the same from round to round.