



The National Women's Committee of the Fire Brigades Union

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General Secretary

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Executive Council Member

20th January 2012

Dear Member,

Please find attached an application form for the Fire Brigades Union National Women's School being held on 30th March -1st April 2012 at Wortley Hall, near Sheffield. The school will open at 2pm on the 30th March and close at 2pm on the 1st April. Please make sure that you can attend the whole school prior to submitting your application form.

The School this year will have a number of guest speakers, group discussions and workshops covering a variety of issues affecting women in the Fire and Rescue Service. The School will also provide the opportunity for you to meet other FBU women members from across the UK and to share experiences.

You do not need to have any active FBU experience to attend the school, we welcome everyone's contribution. All reasonable travel expenses will be reimbursed, meals and accommodation are provided and we offer a superb crèche facility should you need to bring your children and/or young adults up to the age of 18 with you. The criterion for the crèche is that you are bringing children and/or young adults that you are legally responsible for and whom you would not be able to attend without bringing. The crèche is also open during the evening to allow time for you to attend any evening sessions that may take place.

If you have never been before and need Trade Union Leave or any more information before applying - please telephone or e-mail me on the details provided above.

If you want to attend the National Women's School your completed application form needs to be received **by the 29th February 2012**. Send to:

Kerry Baigent
Fire Brigades Union
158 Muller Road
Horfield
Bristol BS7 9RE

Please note that demand is very high for the school and places are limited so it may not be possible for everyone who applies to attend. You will, however, receive a response to your application by the 9th March 2012.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Best Wishes

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'Women ask for what you want ... and be prepared to get it'



APPLICATION FORM

WORTLEY HALL 30 March–1 April 2012

SURNAME _____ FIRST NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

POST CODE _____

TELEPHONE _____ EMAIL _____

BRIGADE _____ BRANCH _____

HAVE YOU EVER HELD A POSITION IN THE UNION? yes no

If yes, give details _____

HAVE YOU ATTENDED A WOMEN'S SCHOOL BEFORE? yes no If yes, how many times? _____

DO YOU REQUIRE CRECHE FACILITIES yes no If yes please fill in form overleaf

IS THERE ANY SPECIAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR NEEDS THAT YOU FEEL WE SHOULD KNOW? _____

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

(PLEASE RETURN TO KERRY BAIGENT, FBU REGIONAL OFFICE, 158 MULLER ROAD, HORFIELD, BRISTOL, BS7 9RE BY 29 FEBRUARY)

Fire Brigades Union Women's School



30 March–1 April 2012

CHILD DETAILS – TO BE FILLED IN BY CHILD AND CARER

If you need child care please return your completed form as soon as possible so we are able to let you know if space is still available.

What is your name? _____

How old are you? _____

Who is bringing you to the school? (please give full name) _____

Would you like to play in the crèche during the evening as well as the day? _____

Are you allergic to anything or do you need any medication? _____

What games do you like to play inside and outside? _____

Do you have a favourite story book? _____

What is your favourite video? _____

Is there anything else you would like us to know about you so that we can look after you the best we possibly can? _____

Carer please sign here – Thanks _____