



OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

**FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS
NATIONAL CONGRESS**

LE MANS 2025

Ceremonies

Location

9:00 – 10:00

OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE "SAPEURS-POMPIERS DE FRANCE" (SPF) VILLAGE

24 H du Mans circuit

11:00 – 12:30

OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE SINAPSS* EXHIBITION AND THE FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS

Followed by a walk-through and official opening of the 2026 congress stand (Haute-Savoie Mont-Blanc)

*International Salon of Security and Rescue Professionals and Participants

Parc Expo Esplanade

SPF Innovation Award

Room

Coordination

15:00 – 17:00

SPF INNOVATION AWARD: FINALIST PITCHES

The Lounge

Innovation & Anticipation Working Group

18:00 – 18:45

PRIZE GIVING FOR THE SPF INNOVATION AWARD AND THE ENSOSP* INNOVATION AWARD

*French National Fire Officers Academy

SPF Stand

Innovation & Anticipation Working Group

Conferences

Room

Coordination

15:00 – 16:15

YOUNG FIREFIGHTERS (JSP*): RECOGNISING THEIR SKILLS TOWARDS BECOMING VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS

*Jeunes sapeurs-pompiers

Michel Vaillant

Young Firefighter Commission (JSP)

15:00 – 16:15

SHOULD MOUNTAIN RESCUE CONTINUE TO BE FREE?

Bugatti

Mountain Rescue and perilous environments Commission (SMPM)

15:00 – 16:45

SOLIDARITY: DISABILITY IN THE FIRE SERVICE

Maison-Blanche

Œuvre des pupilles (ODP: Association for orphans of firefighters) and Health & Quality of life in service Commission

16:30 – 18:00

PHYSICAL AND MENTAL PREPARATION TO BE OPERATIONAL

Michel Vaillant

Sports & Sports techniques Commission

16:30 – 18:15

DIVERSITY: ADDRESSING GENDER ISSUES IN THE FIRE SERVICE

Bugatti

Equality & Diversity Working Group

17:00 – 18:30

FIREFIGHTER TELETHON PARTICIPATION: WHAT IS IT FOR? 2025 CHALLENGES

Maison-Blanche

Telethon Working Group



Events

Location

10:00 – 12:00

BIKE CHALLENGE

24 H du Mans circuit

12:00 – 13:00

BIKE CHALLENGE PRIZE GIVING

24 H du Mans circuit
 podium

Conferences

Room

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8:30 – 10:15

**REGIONAL TECHNICAL GROUPS :
 A NECESSITY**

Michel Vaillant

Technical Commission,
 standards & risks

8:30 – 10:30

**AVAILABLE TRAINING OFFERS TO
 CONTRIBUTE TO THE POPULATION'S
 RESILIENCE**

Bugatti

First Aid & Training
 Commission

8:30 – 10:00

**HEALTH SUBDIVISION: DISCUSSION
 PANEL BY ROLES**

1. Psychology: relationship between male and female firefighters, managing the differences
2. Animal management and care during natural disasters – by veterinarians
3. Firefighter pharmacists integrated into the RTN* team: benefits of synergetic dynamics
 *Technological and Natural Risks

Maison-Blanche

SSSM Commission
 (Medical Health &
 Rescue Service)

10:00 – 12:30

**GREAT DEBATE
 NEW ENERGY VEHICLES: ARE WE
 SUBJECTED TO RISK OR CONTROLLING IT?**

Le Forum

FNSPF Executive
 Committee

10:30 – 12:30

**NEXSIS (NATIONAL EMERGENCY COMMS
 NETWORK), RRF (RÉSEAU RADIO DU FUTUR):
 ARE THE TOOLS ADAPTED TO THE NEEDS OF
 ALL CIVIL SECURITY PLAYERS?**

Michel Vaillant

Information & Communication
 Systems (SIC) Commission

10:45 – 12:15

**THE RESILIENCE OF FIREFIGHTERS FACING
 CRISES: FOREST FIRES**

Bugatti

Dr Nicolas Alfano

Conferences

Room

Coordination

13:30 – 15:30

VOLUNTEERING: SE-MANS-TICS AND MANAGE-MANS – A REAL ENDURANCE RACE, JUST LIKE THE 24 H DU MANS!

Michel Vaillant

Volunteer firefighter (SPV)
Commission

13:30 – 15:30

US, THE FUTURE OF PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS

Security, recognition, occupational diseases...

Bugatti

Professional firefighter (SPP)
Commission

13:30 – 15:30

FUTURE HEALTH SUBDIVISIONS (SDS):

The place of artificial intelligence, and the SDS' future missions

Maison-Blanche

SSSM Commission
(Medical Health & Rescue Service)

15:45 – 17:15

ODP*'S AGM

* Œuvre des pupilles (ODP: Association for orphans of firefighters)

Lecture theatre

ODP Executive
Committee

15:45 – 17:30

FIREFIGHTER'S OPERATIONAL RESILIENCE IN THE EVENT OF A NATURAL DISASTER

Examples: Mayotte and Réunion island

Michel Vaillant

Information & Communication
Systems Commission

15:45 – 17:30

FIREFIGHTERS FACING NEW ENERGIES IN BUILDINGS

Bugatti

Risk Prevention & Anticipation
Commission

15:45 – 18:00

HISTORY & MUSEUMS

1. Firefighters during the 2nd World War (by A. Bertolo)
2. Jacques Périer (firefighter historian), presentation of researcher's archive collection (by the Musée de Lyon)
3. History of fire safety on the 24 H du Mans events (by A. Horb)

Maison-Blanche

History & Museums
Commission

Events

Location

18:15 – 19:00

« TERROIRS ENGAGÉS *» LABEL PRESENTATION CEREMONY

* « Terroirs Engagés » is a program that promotes Volunteer Firefighters who are also independent workers

SPF Stand

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8:30 – 9:45

CASDIS* PRESIDENTS, SDIS** DIRECTORS AND DEPUTY DIRECTORS MEETING

* Departmental Fire service board of directors
**Departmental fire service

Michel Vaillant

DF – SDIS Commission
(DF: Association of French Departments)

8:30 – 10:00

ROAD RESCUE IN THE FACE OF NEW ENERGY: ADAPTING TO A CHANGING WORLD

Bugatti

Transport & Road Rescue Commission

8:30 – 10:00

BURN-OUT: UNDERSTANDING THE INVISIBLE

Maison-Blanche

Health & quality of life in service Commission

10:00 – 12:00

GREAT DEBATE THE NEW CIVIL SECURITY MODERNISATION ACT (MOSC2): BEFORE AND AFTER

Lecture theatre

French Institute for Civil Security
(IFRASEC: Institut français de sécurité civile)

12:00 – 12:30

Speech by M. François Sauvadet, President of Départements de France (Association)

Lecture theatre

10:00 – 12:00

HOW DO FORMER/RETIRED FIREFIGHTERS FIT INTO THE FIREFIGHTING COMMUNITY?

Michel Vaillant

Former Firefighter Commission (ASP)

10:15 – 12:00

FIREFIGHTER CALENDARS: CHALLENGES, RISKS AND COMMUNICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Bugatti

Firefighter Communications Services

10:30 – 12:00

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE (IN ENGLISH)

Dedicated to foreign delegations

Maison-Blanche

International Relations Working Group

Friday
10TH OCTOBER

Afternoon

16:00 – 17:00

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS*
AGM
*FNSPF

Lecture theatre

17:00 – 18:00*

**EXCHANGE OF SPEECHES BETWEEN THE FNSPF
PRESIDENT AND STATE REPRESENTATIVE***
*Subject to timings

Lecture theatre

Events

Location

18:30 – 19:00

FLAG HANDOVER CEREMONY

24 H du Mans circuit

19:00 – 21:00

CLOSING EVENING
RESERVED FOR CONFERENCE DELEGATES,
EXHIBITORS AND ORGANISERS

24 H du Mans circuit





CORNER PROGRAMME

SPF Stand

Wednesday
8TH OCTOBER

The theme of the presentation

By:

14:00 – 14:30

**POMPY® IS 10 YEARS OLD!
(TEDDY-BEAR MASCOT)**

Véronique Soubelet, Pompy®'s sponsor and
Marie Spratley, Pompy®'s project manager

14:35 – 15:05

**WHAT ARE NEW ENERGY SOURCES?
HOW TO PROCEED DEPENDING ON THE
SITUATION.**

Technical Commission,
Standards and Risks

15:10 – 16:15

FIRE SERVICE NGOS IN MAYOTTE

Emergency vehicle handover ceremony to Firefighters NGOs
by the Renault Foundation

NGO's

16:20 – 16:50

**THE CITIZEN COMMITMENT ACCOUNT FOR
VOLUNTEERS: HOW DOES IT WORK?**

APFR Association

16:55 – 17:25

**5 KEY THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW TO PROTECT
EMPLOYEES' HEALTH IN YOUR LOCAL ASSOCIATION**

The French Firefighters'
Mutual Insurance

Thursday
9TH OCTOBER

Morning

The theme of the presentation

By:

9:00 – 9:30

**IN TIMES OF EMERGENCY, YOU ARE NEVER ALONE:
THE FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS SOLIDARITY PROGRAM**

Virginie Pedrero-Guiraudou,
Vice-president of ODP (Association
for Orphans of Firefighters)

9:35 – 10:05

PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS OF 2030
Conference teaser

Professional Firefighters
Commission (SPP)

10:10 – 10:40

**THE IMPACT OF COMMUNICATION
AND SOCIAL NETWORKS ON COMMITMENT
AND ITS LONGEVITY**

Firefighter
Communication
Services

Thursday
9TH OCTOBER

Morning

The theme of the presentation

By:

10:45 – 11:15

THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE PATS (ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL AND SPECIALISED PERSONNEL) IN THE NETWORK: BY WHAT MEANS?

PATS Commission

11:20 – 11:50

DOES TELETHON-FUNDED RESEARCH ONLY HELP RARE DISEASES?

AFM-Téléthon

11:55 – 12:25

MSA'S NEW PRODUCTS

MSA The Safety Company

Thursday
9TH OCTOBER

Afternoon

The theme of the presentation

By:

14:00 – 14:30

CARAMBAR* : THE CARA'HERO OPERATION
*FRENCH CANDY BRAND

The CARAMBAR company

14:35 – 15:05

EVERYTHING YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE « TERROIRS ENGAGÉS » PROGRAMME*
* « Terroirs Engagés » is a program that promotes firefighters who are also independent workers

Marie Spratley,
project manager of
« Terroirs Engagés »

15:10 – 15:40

FIRST AID: THE ROLE OF THE OFFICIAL FRENCH FIREFIGHTER SHOP (BOSPF)

First Aid & Training
Commission

15:45 – 16:15

2026-2027 SPORTS CALENDAR

Sports & Sports Techniques
Commission

16:20 – 16:50

THE CITIZEN COMMITMENT ACCOUNT FOR VOLUNTEERS: HOW DOES IT WORK?

APFR Association

16:55 – 17:25

AFTER CHIDO : THE BLUE SHIELD SUPPORT TO THE MAYOTTE MUSEUM

Blue Shield of France

18:15 – 19:00

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FNSPF – Terroirs Engagés

The theme of the presentation

By:

David Brunner,
vice-president of ODP*
(Association for Orphans
of Firefighters)

9:00 – 9:30

**TAKING ACTIONS FOR THE ODP, HENCE RESPECTING
ITS NAME, ITS IMAGE AND ITS MISSIONS**

9:35 – 10:05

**COMMITTED CAREGIVERS, ALL UNITED !
LESSONS LEARNED FROM A LOCAL ASSOCIATION
AND A SDIS***

* Departmental Fire and Rescue Service

The French Firefighters'
Mutual Insurance

10:10 – 10:40

**SOLUTIONS TO MONITORING
MANUAL VENTILATION**

Medical Archeon (medical
technology manufacturer)

10:45 – 11:15

**SENDING PATS ALONGSIDE FIREFIGHTERS
ON REINFORCEMENT DEPLOYMENTS**

PATS Commission

11:20 – 11:50

**VIDEO GAMES: A NEW COHESION
AND COMMUNICATION TOOL FOR
THE FIREFIGHTER WORLD**

eSports Team

14:00 – 14:30

FIRE SERVICE NGOS IN MAYOTTE

NGOs

14:35 – 15:05

**FIRST AID STATION (DPS): ORGANISATION,
UNIFORMS AND VEHICLES**

First Aid & Training
Commission