



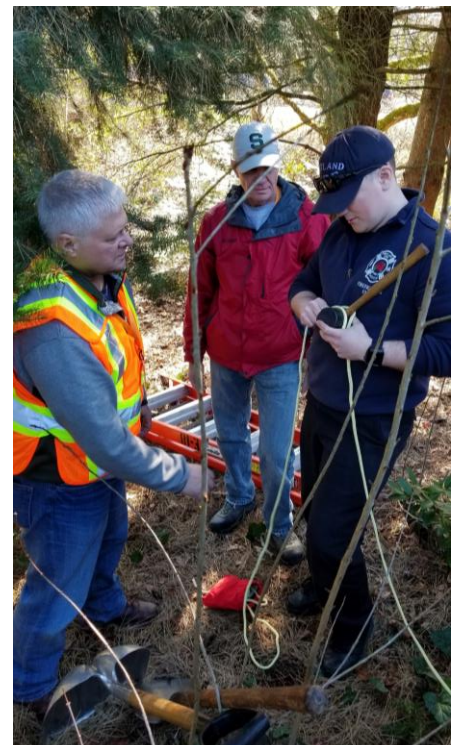
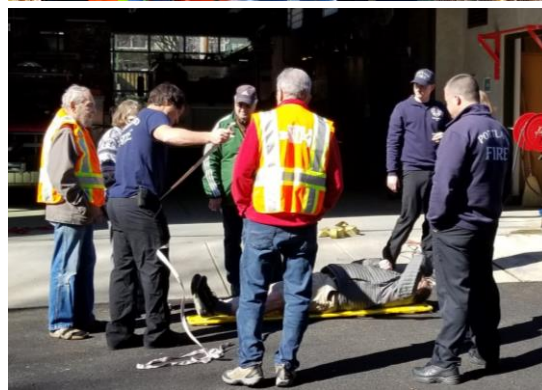
# MARKHAM NEIGHBORHOOD EMERGENCY TEAM (NET)



**Reiminder:** Markham NET will meet tonight at 7PM at Portland Fire Station #18 located at 8720 SW 30<sup>th</sup> Ave (1 block North of Barbur Blvd. Chevron). Parking is on the street as their lot is full. All interested persons are welcome to attend.



Tonight, PFB #18 firemen will be teaching a basic first aid class to a group of young people (Boy Scouts or Little League) in the truck bay. We will be in the conference room, as usual. If they are in need of assistance to give each participant ample opportunity to practice on victims or need a little extra coaching from us (since we all got basic first aid in our NET certification), we will be available to assist them. It actually may be fun and a quick review for us. We are playing it by ear



Tonight's NET meeting we will outline the April 7<sup>th</sup> Citywide emergency drill and build upon the knot tying skills we started at the last NET meeting including Bowline, Clove Hitch, Figure 8 Follow Through or on a Bight, Munter, Prusik, Square Knot, Overhand, Square Knot and Water Knot. The official NET Knot Guide is on our webpage [www.markhamneighborhood.com](http://www.markhamneighborhood.com) then click on "NET" then "NET KNOTs Guide." This will be in preparation of the upcoming Fire Station drill we will have on Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:45-11:30 AM where we will learn how to put our newly learned knots to good use by raising and lowering equipment and victims (on a backboard) in a ravine or on cliff.

The photos contained in this announcement are from the PFB #18 firehouse drill with Maplewood/AshCrest NET on March 10<sup>th</sup> where they were instructed then practiced rescue skills using ropes and line.