

Meeting called to order at 6:48 PM

Motion to accept November 2015 minutes:

Motion by: Fanjoy Seconded by: Libby

Discussion: In Favor to accept: 23 Opposed: 0

Guests:

Auxiliary: LeAnn Stocker, Michele Seavey

Potential: members

guests None

Completed Business

- 1.
- 2.

Ongoing business

New business

1. None
- 2.

Committee reports

Truck:

1. . Need a meeting to discuss new truck. None scheduled.

Election:

Election results:

2nd Asst. Chief: Barry Deering

Captain: Mark Bailey

Safety Officer: Wilfred Murray

2nd Safety Officer: Gene Guenther

Budget:

1. SOG's:

Training:

1. Buildings to be pre-planned; Millworks, Antioch church, December 21st.
2. Future trainings in the planning stages are: RIT, in house certification SCBA class to increase our SCBA approved users, Denver wall, school shooter, life flight.
3. NOVEMBER, Ladders roof and chimney fires At Main St. Hill. Prepare trucks for winter challenges. Training will be the 16th at 6:00 PM.
 - A. Training wall
 - B. Hose load
4. December 21st training will be at millworks with Frank at 6:00 sharp. Antioch church with George between 6:45 and 7:00. He has asked that we go in the back entrance.

Communications, suppers, and parades:

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 1. Communications:

Officers input

Chief Connor

1. .Reminder as cold weather quickly approaches that chimney fires, building fires and the possibility of cold water rescues are upon us. Let's be prepared. Have warm socks here at the station for your cold piggies. Remember the rescue sled and the rescue alive need a pickup truck to haul them.
2. We still have a pile to burn on the Fern Road, a house on Upper Main ST. to burn a house in Ripley to burn and possibly another house here in town. So there is no shortage of things to burn and train in. Fern Road pile is complete
3. There is a new generator on 477. Dickie has tested it and it will run both scene lights.
4. Check has been received from the plane crash in the amount of \$10,107.00
5. House on Main Street Hill needs to be burned down. Date?
6. Hydrogen Cyanide training was attended in Bradford and a lot of lessons were learned. This is going to change how we operate at building fires in the future. A detector was ordered shortly after attending this very important training. We will have a training on its use and on readings and their effect on you.
7. Any future training's attended by fire department personnel from here on out, you will be paid from the time you leave the station until the time you return

8. Discussion on calls for November to present
9. Thin ice is here and there are people out ice fishing already. Lets make sure we are ready for ice rescues. Don't forget the rescue device has to be brought in apickup.
10. Reminder in icy conditions that 472 has the drop down chains.
11. Current officer duties and discussion.
12. SOG'S need to be looked at again and several new ones need to be added. Date and possible time this month.
13. Remember to be circulating water and drain your pumps out when back at the station. Ensure all valves are closed so things work properly for the next operator of the truck.
14. This spring there will be a 30+ acre live wild fire training in Levant. Would there be any interest in attending this. We need to commit by the 14th of this month as there are several meetings between now and the actual burn. No date has been picked yet due to snow melt and such. This event promises to be huge!!
15. Meeting this Thursday @ EMA in Bangor @ 6pm to discuss when to call them, what they can help with and Red Cross will be there to talk about shelters and how they help with that process when it is needed.
16. TV has been purchased and will be set up soon. Thank you Will for getting all the goodies and hats off to Everett for getting us this grant.

st Asst. Chief Stocker

1. There is a new generator on 477. Remember that there is a vent valve on the gas cap that needs to be opened when in use. Also, we have purchased a HcN detector to use on fire ground. This will help us monitor the air quality in and around the fire ground to ensure safety to everyone. There will be training in the near future on how and when to use this.
2. Cold weather is upon us again, remember to drain pumps after use. Keep nozzles flowing water so they do not freeze up. Heavy socks and sweatshirt may be an idea to keep with your gear for those frigid nights.

There was a discussion for purchasing a flag to use with 474. Any updates.

3. New television has been purchased and needs to be installed. Thanks to Will for purchasing and delivery.
5. The open house was another success, thanks to all those that helped with this.
6. Gear washing continues, washer works great.
7. Fit testing needs to be done.
8. Salvation Army has asked us to help "Ring the Bell" again this year. Please sign up for an hour if your able to.

2nd Asst. Chief Deering

Captain Bailey

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2. 1st Lt. Grant

1. Fit testing needs to be done.

2. 2nd Lt. Hibbard

1. Make sure you are circulating water on trucks when pump is in gear. Also make sure pumps are drained after each use.
2. Walmart grant; Be thinking about what to apply for.

Safety Officer Murray

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OFFICER ADD ONS:

1. None

Anything from the membership not on the agenda?

Anything from the Auxiliary?

1. None

Membership committee meeting to follow the Association meeting None needed.

The next meeting will be Monday January 4, 2015 at 6:30 PM. THIS IS A SUPPER MEETING (Barrys crew)

Motion for adjournment:

Motion by ___ Libby _____ Seconded by ___ S. Bailey _____

Discussion: None

In Favor ___ 23 ___ Opposed ___ 0 ___

Meeting adjourned at ___ 7:28 ___ PM

Absent, excused, or left during the meeting Excused Absent