



# GOODWINS MILLS FIRE-RESCUE

## Weekly Newsletter



### UPCOMING IN HOUSE TRAINING/MEETINGS & EVENTS:

- + Tuesday February 5<sup>th</sup>: Business Mtg w/ Chips Prior
- + Tuesday February 12<sup>th</sup>: Competency Training by Lieutenants
- + Tuesday February 19<sup>th</sup>: Officer Development
- + Tuesday February 26<sup>th</sup>: NIMS 300 (required for Lt's and above, all others welcome)
- + Wednesday February 27<sup>th</sup>: Officer Mtg, Capt @ 18:00; Lt @ 19:30

### UPCOMING OUTSIDE TRAINING/MEETINGS & EVENTS:

- NIMS 400 is being offered in Buxton Feb. 11, 12, & 13 at the Groveville Station from 18:30 - 21:30 This class is required for all Captains & Chief Officers. Please sign up at the station. (Capt and above need, all others welcome)
- NFA along with MFT&E are offering classes at SMCC that should be useful for all EMS and Fire officers: FEB 9 & 10 Executive Skills Series: Influencing, first of a 3 part series, For more information: Walter Morris 207-205-2762 [wmorris@smccME.edu](mailto:wmorris@smccME.edu)
- The Maine/Georgia weekend at the national fire academy is April 26 & 27. Program is posted at the station. All applications must be in to the training officer by Feb. 29, 2009. Please see attached flyer for up coming class.
- Traumatic Brain Injury ~Field to Rehabilitation~ with Travis Roy as a luncheon speaker Wednesday March 19. Please submit application to the training officer by Feb. 15.
- PEPP and ACLS classes in March in Saco. Schedule is posted.
- Interviewing Juv. Fire Setters Wed. March 5 at Verrillo's in Portland Sign up ASAP we already 3 members attending. Please see posting at the station

### BURN PERMITS WILL BE ISSUED THIS WEEKEND BY: P33

#### • FROM THE FIRE CHIEF'S DESK:

- We had 35 active members and 7 Honorary members w/ guests attend the recent banquet, which was a great success.
  - Congrats to all members for a job well done in 2007
    - FF of the Year: FF-Emt Jason Kimball
    - Emt of the Year: FF-Emt Stacey Taylor
    - Officer of the Year: Captain Steve Dupras
    - Member of the Year: Engineer Guy Labbe

● **CAR 2'S COLUMN:**

- W-4 forms are in your boxes, please fill them out asap and return to Car 2's box.
- Check out attached picture from Verna Lane this summer, I think the one in the pool looks like Matt's brother and Chris Carpenter is the one standing.



● **CAR 3'S COLUMN:**

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➤ **CAREER COMPANY:** P-24 > CAREER CO.

- Rear Tank Fill on E2 has been repaired, make sure not to hook lines up to moving apparatus!!

➤ **PLATOON A:** P-20 > ENGINE CO. 1 & LADDER CO. 2

- Attached is the on Call hours Balance

➤ **PLATOON B:** P-21 > ENGINE CO. 2 & SQUAD CO. 1

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➤ **PLATOON C:** P-23 > ENGINE CO. 3 & RESCUE CO. 5

➤ **TRAINING DIVISION:** P-22 > SPECIAL SERVICES CO.

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## **DEPARTMENT TRIVIA QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

How many Honorary members do we have on the rolls?

(FF Hooper from Kuwait got it)

Last Weeks Answer: (5) Scott 2.2, Scott 2A, MSA, Globe, Draeger

What was the highest number of different types Air Packs that we have ever had at one time? Can you name them?

## **TRAINING QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

What is the equation for using the street numbers to calculate distance for laying hose?

(Captian Harris got it)

Last Weeks Answer: both types of bottles contain 45 cubic feet of air, therefore they are all 30 minute bottles.

Most Departments around us have 4500psi bottles, we have 2216psi bottles, how much longer is the rated duration of air for their bottles?

