



# GOODWINS MILLS FIRE-RESCUE

## Weekly Newsletter



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

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- Officers Meeting Monday 17<sup>th</sup> 18:30 and 19:30
- EMS Training Monday 24<sup>th</sup> @ Roosevelt School

### UPCOMING OUTSIDE TRAINING/MEETINGS & EVENTS:

- FF1/II academy starting Dec 8 in W.Kennebunk
- Fire Officer 1/II startting Dec 9 in Sanford
- Advanced Fire Training Specialists, LLC is hosting a 2009 Winter Seminar to be held at the Biddeford Middle School in Biddeford, Maine on January 31, 2009. For specific details and the registration form on this seminar see [www.aftslc.com](http://www.aftslc.com)

### BURN PERMITS WILL BE ISSUED THIS WEEKEND BY: P-31

CALLS LAST WEEK: 7

VT MAN HOURS LAST WEEK: 109

#### • FROM THE FIRE CHIEF'S DESK:

- Ladder Truck is due to be delivered on Friday.
- Anyone interested in being on the snow plowing list please sign up by November 16<sup>th</sup>.
- FF Lee Littlefield has transferred to the Fire Police Co.

#### • CAR 2'S COLUMN:

- Reminder that Award Nominations are due by November 15<sup>th</sup>, these can be submitted to a Chief or submitted online by using the On Call Calendar function.

#### • CAR 3'S COLUMN:

- Ladder 2 has been officially decommissioned and will be delivered to the OOB Historical Society soon
- The Vent Saw from L2 has been temp moved to E2
- Some minor Chimney Equip has been temp moved from L2 to E3
- They will now dispatch E2 and E3 on chimney fires until the new L2 is in service.

➤ **CAREER COMPANY: P-24>CAREER CO.**

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

- Attached is the on Call hours Balance
- We received a hack this week on the computer system, that put us down for about 48 hours. Please make every effort to restrict the web sites that we visit to one's we know we can trust and downloading of programs should be cleared through P20 before they are done.
- Reminder to clear the I AM RESPONDING board after each call

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

- See attachment for Phone System Instructions

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

- CPAP equipment has been placed in the O2 compartment of R5&R6

➤ **TRAINING DIVISION: P-22/P-25>SPECIAL SERVICES CO.**

- We will be scheduling tours of Saco and Biddeford FD's to view their respective RIT equipment

**DEPARTMENT TRIVIA QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

Who was the Fire Chief when the Department acquired its first SCBA?

Last Weeks Answer: 2 (Lt Smith and Lt Carpenter)

How many Ladder Co. Lieutenants have there been since the first ladder was bought in 1979 (do not include acting Lt's)?

**TRAINING QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

Apparatus Placement at MVA's where one lane of traffic will be left open, which of the following statements are true about spotting apparatus.

- A) Park on the same side of the incident
- B) Park the Engine prior and the Ambulance past the scene if you are going with flow of traffic.
- C) Park the Engine past and the Ambulance prior to the scene if you are going against the flow of traffic.

Last Weeks Answer: Rescue, Exposures, Confine, Extinguish, Overhaul (FF Pelletier and Kimball got it)

What does the acronym RECEO stand for in the Fire Service?



