



GOODWINS MILLS FIRE-RESCUE

Weekly Newsletter



UPCOMING IN HOUSE TRAINING/MEETINGS & EVENTS:

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- May 5th Business Meeting @ 19:00
- May 7th Line Officer Meeting 18:30
- May 12th Round Table Session, Topic: On Call System 18:30
- May 19th Update on Image Trend Patient Care Reporting 09:00 & 18:30
- May 31st Ladder 2 Operator Testing Date

BURN PERMITS WILL BE ISSUED THIS WEEKEND BY: P-21

CALLS LAST WEEK: 12

VT MAN HOURS LAST WEEK: 268

• FROM THE FIRE CHIEF'S DESK:

- New SOG on Ladder 2 Operation is finalized and attached
- See New General Orders issued this week
- Anyone interested in purchasing a Department blanket (like the one that hangs in the meeting room, they are \$29 each, they would ship in about two weeks and of course the money is not due for 30 days from the time you receive the order. Contact Kathy Dove kdove_apex@bellsouth.net
- Training Stipends are out
- Kudos to the crews that operated at both of the serious extrications over the last few weeks.
- It appears that our PSAP and Dispatch will be moving to Biddeford Fire Alarm sometime in June. We will keep you abreast of any changes that may occur.

• CAR 2'S COLUMN:

- See attachment on awareness of persons down, Swine Flu and Stroke Day.

• CAR 3'S COLUMN:

- Dunkin Donuts Hydrant back in service
- Please see attached General Order regarding the use of the triple layer load that will be tested on all 3 pumpers over the summer.

➤ CAREER COMPANY: P-24 > CAREER CO.

- FF Pelletier will be out several days in April, anyone interested in working contact Capt Dupras or sign up on the board.

➤ **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**

- Knox box has been installed on Engine 2, everyone should test their code to assure it works. The number is the last 4 digits of your SS# followed by the “#” pound key.
- SMEMS is looking for testers Saturday 5/2 at UNE from 8am-? I am planning on going. If you are interested please call SMEMS, please let me know if you would like to carpool, FF Harris.

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

- FF Labrecque will be on LOA for 2 months

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

- We have an acquired Structure for hands on training on New County Road, more to follow soon.
- See attachment on Rope Rescue Class

DEPARTMENT TRIVIA QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Ladder 1 had 2 air packs assigned to it, these we not located in a compartment nor in the cab, where were they located?

TRAINING QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

An SCBA mask can be used as eye protection, face protection or Both?

Last Weeks Answer: Upwind (FF Harris got it)

When responding to Hazardous Materials calls it is important to arrive upwind or downwind to access the scene?

