Dix Hills Fire Department

Department Meeting Minutes
May 1, 2024

Alarm Summary April:

Monthly Fire	**89**	**YTD Fire**	
Monthly Rescue	**141**	**YTD Rescue**	
Monthly Totals	**230**	**YTD Totals**	**908**

Pledge and a moment of Silence for the sick, departed members.

Chief Napolitano

- Congratulations to all the award recipients. Installation gifts will be given out starting tonight.
- The Truck Inspection will be 6/9/24. All stations, vehicles, gear and gear racks will be checked out
- Write up items that need to be taken care of and list will be sent to District Mgr.
- Station 2 new stove
- Memorial Day Ceremony will be 5/27/24 at Head Quarters. Class A is required
- County paging has been repaired. It is staying for now
- There will be two District employees on until 7pm each day

Chief Williamson

- Fund Drive letters are going out next week
- EMS week will be later this month. Toxicology will be held 5/9/24

Chief Farrell

- Alarms read off
- Defensive Driving class will be held 6/30/24 at HQ at 9am
- Trainers have been cleared
- Thank you to all that attended the Installation dinner

Chief Fico

- Bailout will be held this Sunday

- Parade season is coming up. If you need anything for your uniforms, please see the Quarter Master
- Awards handed out

Company 1

- Meeting Monday 5/6/24

Company 2

- Meeting Monday 5/6/24

Company 3

- Meeting Monday 5/6/24

Rescue

- Meeting 5/16/24

Fire Police

- Town meeting 5/8/24
- Squad meeting and training 5/14/24

Ex-Chiefs

- No Report

BOFC

- Congratulations to all the award recipients
- Meeting Wednesday 5/8/24 at 7:30 at HQ

Coordinators

- Comm Larry Feld has been appointed new County Coordinator
- Revamping the Mutual Aid call out list

Membership

Second Readings:

Motion to accept Ryan O'Connor into the Dix Hills Fire Dept – Co1 Fire
First: Ex Ch R Granahan
Second: Alexa Rosenberg
Not approved to join the Dix Hills Fire Dept

*****Chief Fico read the Bylaw to members (Article 3 Section 3 of Membership)**
Voting results: 18 Yes, 10 No. 62 members attended the Dept Meeting
Discussion about Ryan O'Conner not being accepted into the Dept. Marilyn Byron and Alexa Rosenberg had concerns that people didn't know the entire story behind Ryan's resignation and could not make an intelligent decision to vote correctly to allowing Ryan into the Dept.
Matt Stio said that Ryan had a harassment allegation pending.

Juniors:

- No report.

Blood Drive

- No report

Sports

- Softball this Friday at Otsego Park
- Volleyball is on 5/16/ at 6pm.
- Golf first outing this Monday
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Safety

- Watch your driving
- Mental Health Awareness – Referrals are always welcome

Bylaw

- Submit proposed change requests

Driver Training

- No report

Fund Drive

- Letters going out this week

Open House

- Nees help. Will be held in Oct

Correspondence

- Various letters read off
- East Northport Parade
    - Motion to attend East Northport parade
        - First Ex Ch R Gatto
        - Second: Ex Ch R Sorrentino
        - All in favor, none opposed

  *East Northport is looking for Fire Police to help out at parade on 8/7/24
- Huntington Manor Parade
    - Motion to attend Huntington Manor Parade, 7/17/24
        - First: Ex Ch R Gatto
        - Second: Ex Ch R Sorrentino
        - All in favor, none opposed

      *Fire Police requested to help out
- Motion to send $50.00 to Cold Spring Habor Fire Dept House Museum
    - Ex Ch R Sorrentino
    - Capt. M Stio
    - All in favor, none opposed
- Motion to donate $100.00 to Leukemia Lymphoma Society
    - Comm L Feld
    - Lt M Steed
    - All in favor, none opposed

Benevolent

- John Brower is home after hospital stay
- Brittany and Joshua Molins Grandfather passed away
- . Frank Jenkins place in facility
- Rob Rosciano had a baby
- Charlie Feld is at St Johnland nursing home. (Memory issue)

Entertainment

- Cinco Demayo has been cancelled.

Military Committee

- No report.

Old Business

- Nothing discussed

New Business

- Comm L Feld brought

Swearing in of New Members

- None.

Call Critique

- Nothing discussed

Treasurer Report:

- Motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read:
  - First : Doug Wagner
  - Second : Ex Ch R Gatto
    All in favor, none opposed.

- Motion to adjourn meeting:
  - First: Doug Wagner
  - Second: Ex Ch R Sorrentino
  - All in favor, none opposed