Dix Hills Fire Department

Department Meeting Minutes
April 2,2025

Alarm Summary December

Monthly Fire		**YTD Fire**	**179**
Monthly Rescue		**YTD Rescue**	**493**
Monthly Totals		**YTD Totals**	**672**

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

Chief Napolitano

- Thank you to Co1 for meal and rolling crew tonight
- The new 2825 Margaret Ambulance is in and will be going to Co2
- HHH Little League parade this Saturday. Co1 to handle.
- Baseball season is in session. Be careful at Otsego Park
- Facial hair - discussion
- Keep our dirty laundry in house - discussion
- Yaphank this Sunday – Taxpayer. Trucks leaving respective stations at 8:15. Sign in sheets are separated by fire and rescue. Fire Police sign in under fire sheet
- Thank you to those who responded to the wild fires out east
- Additions to 2812
- Listen to what is going on the radios
- No one is to ride on the back of 2812 while responding to alarm
- School Safety meeting are attended by Chiefs
- If you see anything strange or unusual please say something to an officer. Alarm on Oakfield Ave. There was a hidden room behind bookshelf. Preplanning is so important
- If you are hanging out or are having a training at the station you must get the vehicles on the road. Notify dispatcher that you are at the station

Chief Farrell

- No at attendance. Report read off by 2832
- Thank you for your responses to alarms
- Blood Drive donations. Thank you to those who attended

- Driver requalification's is on going
- SOP updates will be on the website for review

Chief Fico

- Alarms read off
- Friday 4/4 Tommy Richardson lecture on Leadership seminar 1900hrs
- SCBA Bailout
- Training hours haves been completed for 1st quarter
- Construction on burn building will be in effect from 4/15 to 5/1
- We have been approved to attend a training at Nassau County. Waiting on dates

Chief Stio

- Discussion on abiding all traffic laws while responding on alarms. Use due regard.
- If two dept vehicles are at an intersection, the one with the green light has the right of way.
- Gear has been ordered
- Damage equipment must be reported to a Company officer
- A lecture on vehicle response will be in the near future

Company 1

- Meeting Monday

Company 2

- Meeting Monday

Company 3

- Meeting Monday

Rescue

- Meeting 4/16
- QAQI meeting

Fire Police

- Huntington/Smithtown meeting 4/9/25. We are hosting the meeting so 2 probes from each are being requested

- Squad meeting TBD

Ex-Chiefs

- No Report

BOFC

- Meeting next Weds

Coordinators

- New elected Coordinator – Stevenson from Centerport

Membership

- First reading for Juan Mayor Co3 Fire:
- First reading for Laiba Rajput Co3 Rescue

Juniors:

- No Report

Blood Drive

- No Report

Sports

- Meeting after Dept meeting

Safety

- Watch your driving. Think before you get in the vehicle. Discussion about accident at DPA and Caledonia by Ex- Ch Feld
- Outside contacts to help you cope issues.

Bylaw

- None

Driver Training

- No report

Fund Drive

- First mailing went out 3/24/25going out

Open House

- Date to be determined

Correspondence

- Various items read off about thank yous for Wild Fire assistance out east
- Motion to accept Hassen Razza letter of Resignation
    - First: Capt C Schumacher
    - Second: Lt M Sims
    - All in favor, none opposed

- Motion to accept Alexa Rosenberg letter of Resignation
    - First: Ex-Capt T Smith
    - Second: Capt M Spizzirri
    - All in favor, none opposed

Ex-Comm T Cohen is now on the board of the Huntington Town Affordable Housing for Fire Fighters. First come, first served

Benevolent

- Aflac for spouses are due

Entertainment

- No report.

Military Committee

- No report.

Old Business

- Nothing discussed

New Business

- Rescue fund raiser – Mega Bucks
    - Motion to donate $200.00 to the Rescue Squad for fund raiser
        - First: Ex Ch R Sorrentino

- Second : Capt M Spizzirri
- All in favor, none oppose

- Funds distributed to Company's from monies collected on ambulance insurance charges. Do not spend you money yet. Still looking into what the funds can be used for.

Swearing in New Members

- (4)

Call Critique

- Alarm on Hartstone
- Steppingstone fire undetermined

Treasurer Report:

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

- Motion to adjourn meeting:
  - First: Ex Ch R. Sorrentino
  - Second: Tom Smith
  - All in favor, none opposed