



Ships Point Volunteer Fire Department

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Fire Chiefs Report to the Board

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Call-outs

- Since last SPID report on 07 June 2024 there has been four (4) First Responder (FR) callouts & one (1) mutual aid fire call-out

Practices

- Normal Tuesday training, Wednesday knowledge briefs & periodic weekend training events are ongoing
 - Scheduled practices have been cancelled for the month of July to give all members a summer break
 - Will still be doing one-on-one practice with new members

Purchasing

- Turn-out Fire Gloves to replace non-serviceable items
- Firefighter on & off duty insurance premium paid
- Minor equipment & supplies

New Items for Info/Discussion

- UBCM Emergency Services 2023 Grant on 'FD training facility & eqpt upgrades'
 - Final Grant Report submitted, signoff & submitted to UBCM
- Annual Pumper servicing on Engine 75 has been completed
- Approaching MOTI to provide 'No Beach Fire' signage on the beach access road off Wente Way & on Aboyne Road
- AED to be located in the hallway between the SPID office & training room for use in the event of a cardiac collapse in the office
- Construction on the Training Center Sea Containers is approaching completion
 - Great support from the construction crew, led by Dave Shepherd
- Illegal back yard campfire occurred at an Air BnB on the Point, 7931 Park Lane
 - Letter remains to be generated to the Board in order to put the residence / owners on notice of the violation
- FD summer picnic social scheduled for Sat, 24 Aug 24
 - As per OG's, invitations will be sent in due course to SPID Board members, including Nina
- The Association is selling WASP home sprinkler systems to increase community awareness & as a fund raiser, selling price \$200
- Training has commenced on upgrading all FRs on the EMA increased scope of practice
 - Increased protocols will allow us to better serve the community on an FR callout