

CHIEF' MONTHLY REPORT
GALLATIN RIVER RANCH FIRE DEPARTMENT
12/19/17

Dispatches for the preceding month

1. Ems/rescue calls
 - a. 12/4/17
 - b. 12/17/17
2. Wildland calls
 - a. None
3. Motor vehicle accident calls
 - a. None
4. Structure fire calls
 - a. None
5. Service calls
 - a. None

Training conducted

1. 11/17/17: Lead medical. EMS Symposium highlights, Shock. Hemorrhage control.
2. 11/20/17: Fire—Propane emergency and leak assessment, safety, and management.
3. 12/4/17: Fire—instruction and practice with tools.
4. 12/18/17: Medical. CPR with AED Pit Crew.
5. Confined space equipment to Three Forks and Willow Creek for their completion of the closed AFG grant 2014-00278. The training with the equipment is not complete and the role our department will play in financing or participation should be discussed.
6. Upcoming internal training
 - a. SCBA training.
7. Upcoming external training
 - a. CPR recertification with Manhattan on 1/4/18
 - b. Andrews EMT training Jan-Feb; Bauer EMT training Feb-Mar.
 - c. **DeeAnn Langel Proposal to take Feb-Mar EMT course (present this)**

Equipment activity

1. Command-11 (C-11) - In Service
 - a. No issues
2. Quick Response Unit (QRU) - In Service
 - a. Batteries not holding charge, replaced.
 - b. Both portable suction devices now operational, new battery in the larger unit.
 - c. Further correction of inventory deficiencies (linens, blankets, pillow, helmets).
3. Engine-11 (E-11) - In Service
 - a. DOT inspection completed and passed. Will need new serpentine belt. One gauge replaced.
 - b. Water tank full, in heated shop.
4. F-450 Wildland - In Service
 - a. Valve that ruptured due to ice last winter replaced. In heated station with water tank full.

5. Brush-11 – Out of Service for the winter
 - a. Water tank empty
6. Tender - In Service
 - a. Water tank full, in heated shop.
 - b. Will probably need new batteries
7. Kubota - In Service
8. F-350 Wildland - Not in Service
 - a. Consider for sale.
9. F-800 - Not in Service
 - a. Upgrade vs sale.
10. Pumps
11. Auxiliary water storage tank (white tank)
 - a. Empty
12. All vehicles except B-11 now subject to monthly inspection by firefighters.

Station activity

1. New area heater is operational. Heating bills so far are dramatically lower than last year.

Projects

1. State DPHHS ImageTrend system information entry partially done, with completion by the end of January (not a rush matter). Will use this system for medical reporting.
2. LifePak-12 ordered. Delivery date not established yet.
3. Medical service quality improvement process—Year of the Heart—is underway.
 - a. CPR training Pit Crew CPR will be done quarterly.
 - b. Yearly CPR card renewal will be done with Manhattan in January.
 - c. LifePak training
 - d. Derek Kampfe is working on his medication endorsement. DeeAnn Langel is endorsed on her license.
 - e. New Code Stroke medical worksheet developed in coordination with GC Medical Director.
 - f. Hands only CPR instruction and training of willing residents next year.
4. Andrews plans to become a Naloxone Master Trainer.

Personnel

1. Chief: Marlin Sprow
2. Officers:
3. Volunteers: DeeAnn Langel, Wayne Langel, Derek Kampfe, Ken Weskamp, John Andrews, Anthony Powell (inactive while on Army Reserve activation and deployment), Stephanie Greenbaum, Joe Bauer
4. Prospective volunteers
 - a. Applications pending None
 - b. Interest expressed No new prospects.

Respectfully submitted,

Marlin Sprow

Chief

Gallatin River Ranch Fire Department