

CHIEF'S MONTHLY REPORT
GALLATIN RIVER RANCH FIRE DEPARTMENT
Date: 6/19/19

Dispatches for the preceding month

1. EMS/rescue calls
 - a. 6/16/19 Medical.
2. Wildland calls
 - a.
3. Motor vehicle crash calls
 - a.
4. Structure fire calls
 - a.
5. Service calls
 - a. 6/10/19. Smoke alarm, no fire.

Training conducted

1. Traffic Incident Management at Three Forks 5/21
2. Swift Water Rescue with County Search and Rescue, 6/3/19
3. Pump operations and swift water rescue intro 6/4/19
4. Medical training cancelled due to lack of member availability.
5. Andrews Critical Incident Stress Management Training (at own expense) 6/6-7/19.
6. Rescue drill: fallen horseback rider scenario 6/18/19.
7. Upcoming internal training
 - a. Routine fire training first and third Tuesdays 1600-1800 hr
 - b. Routine medical training first Tuesday 1815-1915 hr
8. Upcoming external training
 - a. Emergency driver training by Manhattan Chief Mike Ulmen (Reynolds, Andrews, Sejud)

Equipment activity

1. Command-11 (C-11) - In Service
 - a.
2. Quick Response Unit-11 (QRU-11) - In Service
 - a. Service on heating and A/C system done.
3. Engine-11 (E-11) - In Service
 - a.
4. Wildland-11 (W-11) - In Service
 - a.
5. Brush-11 (B-11) - In Service
 - a.
6. Tender-11 (T-11) - In Service
 - a. Tune up and DOT inspection pending
7. Utility-11 (U-11) – In Service
8. Skidsteer – In Service

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9. 2012 Felling Skidsteer Trailer
10. 1968 DOD cargo trailer – Not in service.
11. F-800 - Not in Service
12. Pumps
13. Auxiliary water storage tank (white tank)
 - a. Empty

Station activity

1. Monthly vehicle inspection 6/1/19.
2. New refrigerator purchased, delivered, and stocked with two ready-packed coolers with water and energy bars.
3. Wildland nozzles, adapters, gated wyes, two 1.5-in hoses, packs of L and XL wildland gloves, wildland trousers and shirts, two wildland packs from Gallatin County.
4. Hose organization begun:
 - a. centralizing hose storage at Station 2.
 - b. Hose pressure testing, cleaning, and inventory on 6/1/19; one or two more sessions will be required. Done at Andrews residence driveway (largest clean concrete surface on GRR).
 - c. Tested, clean hose loaded on Engine 11.
5. Continued cleaning at Station 2:
 - a. Hose drying system installation.
 - b. Weed whacking and glyphosate treatment of grass and weed surrounding Station 2.
 - c. Continued sorting and disposal of surplus materials in Station 2.
6. Pump house cleaning done.
- 7.

Projects

1. Nixon Gulch Cleanup, part two done.
 - a. Burn permit obtained.
2. The Blaze 5K participation: Andrews, Piechowski, Brown.
3. New Station
 - a. Meeting with GRRHOA leadership regarding site possibilities
 - b. Meeting with MVFD Chief Mike Ulmen regarding site possibilities.
 - c. Offer for help from CVFD Chief Lindroth, with possible meeting August.
 - d. Proposal for this to be the focus of our 2019 fundraiser.
 - e. Discussions/communications with other regional departments.

Personnel

1. Chief: Marlin Sprow
2. Assistant Chief/Training Officer: Ken Weskamp
3. Medical Officer: John Andrews, M.D., EMT
4. Volunteers: Wayne Langel, Anthony Powell, AEMT; Jason Biggs, EMT; Bruce Reynolds.
5. Reserve Members: Spencer Millimen; DeeAnn Langel, EMT; Ray Rigel; Bruce Buccilli; Paul Sejud, DMD, EMT; Bruce Reynolds; Thomas Mack, DDS; Sue Wassersleben; Julie Brown.

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6. Auxiliary Members: Lucy Curran; Patti Draude; Maria Fraser; Rob Fraser; Cookie Gonzalez, RN; Cathy Levin; Stewart Levin; Jessica Millimen, Ph.D.; Mara Rigel.
7. Prospective volunteers
 - a. Applications pending
 - b. Interest expressed: Marianna de Maille (NREMT).

Respectfully submitted,
Marlin Sprow
Chief
Gallatin River Ranch Fire Department