

JONESVILLE JOTTINGS

November

Nov. 1	TRUCK CHECKS – Station #1 – Lt. T. Dell’Anno Station #2 – Lt. J. Beach FIRE POLICE TRUCK CHECK (M-368) – D. Baker EQUIPMENT DRILL – Subject: Fire Service Knots Instructor: Line Officers <i>OSHA: n/a</i> <i>Drill Uniform: YES</i> Company Meeting	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm 8:00 pm	Station 1 Station 2 Station 1 Station 1 Station 1
Nov. 7	Election Day <i>Polling Places at Both Stations – Please Proceed with Caution</i>	6am – 9 pm	Both Stations
Nov. 7	Ladies Aux Election Day Bake Sale	8:30 am	Station 1
Nov. 8	TRUCK CHECKS – Station #1 – Lt. P. Dell’Anno Station #2 – Lt. R. Craver FIRE POLICE TRUCK CHECK (M-368) – Lt. G. Braglia SPECIAL OPS DRILL – Subject: Haz Mat/Emergency Response Instructor: Chief PJ Champagne <i>OSHA: Hazmat/Emergency Response</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> <u>ALL MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND</u>	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm	Station 1 Station 2 Station 1 Station 1
Nov. 14	Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting	7:15 pm	Station 1
Nov. 15	TRUCK CHECKS – Station #1 – Lt. K. Miller Station #2 – Lt. C. Fox FIRE POLICE TRUCK CHECK (M-368) – R. Byrnes EMS DRILL – Subject: Protocol Updates Instructor: Eric Hanchett <i>OSHA: Recent Developments</i> <i>CME: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniforms: NO</i>	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm	Station 1 Station 2 Station 1 Station 1
Nov. 16	JVFC Board of Directors Meeting	7:00 pm	Officers’ Room
Nov. 16	Board of Commissioners Special Meeting	7:30 pm	Board Room
Nov. 17	Officers’ Inspection Dinner	6:30 pm	Ravenswo

Nov. 18	Weekend Drill Subject: Reading Smoke Dollhouse Drill Instructor: 2AC G. Frey <i>OSHA/TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i>	10am-12pm	Station 2
Nov. 20	Ladies Auxiliary Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
Nov. 21	100th Anniversary Committee Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
Nov. 22	TRUCK CHECKS - <i>Cancelled – Essential Checks Only</i> <i>Cancelled – Essential Checks Only</i> FIRE POLICE TRUCK CHECK (M-368) – <i>Cancelled – Essential Checks Only</i> Drill: Subject: New SCBA In-Service and OSHA & Annual Requirements Make - Up Instructor: Capt. B. Dell’Anno & Bill Adams <i>OSHA: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> <u><i>All Interior Firefighters and anyone missing annual OSHA requirements must attend.</i></u>	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Station 1 Station 2 Station 1 Station 1
Nov. 26	TOYS FOR TOTS Convoy Location: Ballston Spa Central School District Campus (220 Ballston Ave.) <i>Apparatus to be on-site for line-up by 9:45 am sharp and will proceed to the SPAC parking lot E361</i>		
Nov. 29	TRUCK CHECKS – Station #1 – Eng. B. Boss Station #2 – Eng. K. Stores FIRE POLICE TRUCK CHECK (M-368) – T. Dippert SPECIAL OPS DRILL – Subject: EES Refresher Training Instructor: Capt. B. Dell’Anno <i>OSHA: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniforms: NO</i> Fire Police Drill: Subject; JPRs and M-365/M-377 Vehicle Ops Instructor: Capt. C. Lewis <i>OSHA: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniforms: NO</i>	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:15 pm 7:15 pm	Station 1 Station 2 Station 1 Station 2 Station 2
Dec. 3	Ladies Auxiliary Sundaes with Santa <i>Your help is needed. Please wear your drill uniforms or JVFD apparel.</i>	12:30-2 pm	Station 1

Fire & EMS Training Courses

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED on “ALL” Training Courses. Contact Chief Champagne if interested in attending any EMS or firematic courses; contact him at pchampagne@jonesvillefire.org, or cell phone # 518-423-5098 and in addition, please fill out a Course Request Form and put it in the Chief’s folder at either station. This form will be in a folder at either station, or available at the District Office.

TRAINING: OFPC Instructor for Principles of Instruction: Patrick Champagne.

DRIVER TRAINING QUALIFICATION:

TOP SIX (6) FIREFIGHTERS for September (75 alarms): Patrick Dell' Anno (55), Bill Dell' Anno (44), Ken Graves (43), Jim Miller (40), Geoff Frey (30) and Craig Lewis (30).

HAPPY NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS: Breann Parseghian (4), Ray Crawford (11), Gary Braglia (22), Bill Mackesey (23), Mike Mendrysa (23) and Kelsey Miller (23).

From the District Office - Commissioner Election

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2018 Officer Positions

Any firefighter interested in being considered for a JVFD Officer for 2018 should submit their name to the district office by Thursday, Dec. 8th. The list of names will be turned over to the 2018 Chiefs Elect for consideration.

Jonesville Volunteer Fire Company Information

Members who are interested in running for a Company Officer position or a Chief Officer position should submit their name for consideration by the close of the meeting on November 1, 2017.

BOAT STORAGE & End of Season Closing @ Pavilion

8:00 a.m., Saturday, November 18th

\$16/per foot

No charge (first boat if registered in their name) for members in good standing

Contact Kaleb Stores at 518-395-5923 with any questions. Your help is needed and appreciated.

Hail and Farewell

Welcome Aboard: Dan Beaudoin

Farewell and Best Wishes: Steve Warne

Firefighters of the Month – October 2017

Bob Boss

Sexual Harassment Policy and DVD

Just a reminder that all firefighters are required to review and acknowledge the policy and view the sexual harassment DVD in 2017. The DVD will be shown at several drills throughout the year and the policy is available. However, if you would like to view the DVD and read the policy separately, please contact the District Office to make arrangements. If you have any questions, please contact the District Office.

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Defensive Driving Course – Reimbursement

The Board of Fire Commissioners approved reimbursement up to \$40 for a six-hour defensive driving course taken within 2 ½ - 3-year intervals by active firefighters and district staff members. Courses can be taken through any accredited agency or online (e.g. Idrivesafely.com). To receive reimbursement, please submit a copy of the certificate and a copy of the invoice. Please contact the District Office if you have any questions.

Notary Services and Voter Registration forms are available in the District Office.

Interesting Membership Facts – Update

<i>Active Membership as of November 30, 2017</i>	68
Average Age:	46.67
Members age 90	2
Members age 80-89:	1
Members age 70-79:	5
Members age 60-69	11
Members age 50-59:	13
Members age 40-49:	7
Members age 30-39:	7
Members age 18-29:	19
Members under age 18:	2

Social Use of the Training Room

The Board of Fire Commissioners approved a policy to allow the use of the training room at Station 1 for social use by Jonesville Vol. Fire Department Members, Jonesville Ladies Auxiliary Members, and staff. If you are interested in using the room, please contact the district office at 877-8100 for an application form and a copy of the policy.

*******Planning Ahead*******

Nov. 4-5	Legislative Conference – Desmond Hotel – 660 Albany Shaker Road
Nov. 7	Ladies Auxiliary Bake Sale at Station 1
Nov. 17	Officers’ Inspection Dinner at Ravenswood Pub
Nov. 18	Boat Storage in the pavilion starting at 8 a.m.
Dec. 3	Ladies Auxiliary Sundaes with Santa
Dec. 12	Annual Fire Commissioner Election
Dec. 20	Chief’s Drill
Jan. 13, 2018	Installation Dinner at Mohawk River Country Club
Jan. 26, 2019	100 th Anniversary Dinner /Installation Banquet @ Hall of Springs, Saratoga Springs

If you need information posted in the Jottings, please submit the information in writing by Nov. 27 to the District Office. Published by Jonesville Fire District, 953 Main Street, Clifton Park, NY 12065. Phone (518) 877-8100. Fax (518) 877-7617, Email: jbayer@jonesvillefire.org