

JONESVILLE JOTTINGS

July 2018

July 4 No Company Meeting

July 4 4th of July Celebration – Town of Clifton Park

Fire Police – Contact Capt. Craig Lewis with any questions –
Dress Code: JVFD short sleeve “dry fit” T-shirt with blue work pants
Please have your Traffic Safety Vests for the parade and meet at respective stations at 10:30 for headcount and assignments, will leave Station 1 at 10:45 to rendezvous at Station 2 before heading to parade route, to the fire police section.

11:00 am at Traffic Post assigned
 11:45 am start closing roadways
 12:00 pm parade steps off

Lunch at Station 2 before Parade

Parade – Contact 1st AC Geoff Frey with any questions –
Dress Code: Blue Dress Pants with White Shirt
Duty Crew: JVFD short sleeve “dry fit” T-shirt with blue work pants
 10:00 am meet at respective stations (spot polish apparatus and have a light snack),
 11:15 am depart from Station #2 to stage on Shen Campus (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
 12:00 pm parade steps off

Fire Suppression – Contact Chief PJ Champagne with any questions –
Dress Code: JVFD short sleeve “dry fit” T-shirt and blue work pants.
 5:00 pm BBQ @ Station 2
 6:15 pm depart from Station # 2 to the Common for staging -ETA-362, F-363, E-371, F515, ER511, E-361 will be the standby crew at Station 2 with a crew from Round Lake

9:30 pm approx. Fireworks

Jonesville will also be covering all calls for Rexford Fire District until Rexford personnel are cleared from the Common

July 10	Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
July 11	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers FIRE SUPPRESSION DRILL Subject: Ladders, Search and Rescue Instructor: Capt. P. Dell’Anno <i>OSHA: Protective Clothing and Ground Ladders</i> <i>E-371, ETA-362 to Depart No Later than 1830</i> <i>ETA-372, R-373 to Depart No Later than 1845</i>	6:30 pm 7:15 pm	Both Stations SCFTC

	<i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> FIRE POLICE DRILL – Subject: MVA Scene Setup Instructor: Capt. G. Braglia & Capt. C. Lewis <i>OSHA: Fire Scene Safety & Tools and Equipment</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i>	7:15 pm	Station 1
July 12	100th Anniversary Committee Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
July 16	JVFC Board of Directors Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
July 19	Old Timer’s Committee Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 2
July 18	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers EQUIPMENT DRILL Subject: Foam Equipment and Appliances Instructors: Capt. P. Dell’Anno & Capt. R. Craver <i>OSHA: n/a</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Both Stations Both Stations
	EMS DRILL – Subject: Downed Firefighter CPR Instructor: Lt. C. Fox <i>OSHA/CME: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: No</i>	7:30 pm	Station 1
July 25	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers DRIVER TRAINING DRILL – Subject: Apparatus and Pump Operations Instructor: Capt. P. Dell’Anno <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i>	6:30 pm 7:15 pm	Both Stations Station 1
July 28	Firefitters	11am – noon	Station 2

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: **Firefighter I:** B. Westlake. **Defensive Driving Course:** D. Stores. **Albany MED EMS Education Day:** M. Cecilione, R. Craver, B. Fox, and M. Murphy. **NYS AFC Resisting the Change:** R. Byrnes. **NYS AFC Volunteer FF Cancer Insurance – What are the Facts?:** R. Byrnes. **NYS AFC Firefighters on Film:** G. Braglia and R. Byrnes. **NYS AFC Doing the Right Thing: Department Responsibilities:** G. Braglia and R. Byrnes. **Unmanned Aerial Systems (Drones):** G. Braglia and R. Byrnes.

DRIVER TRAINING QUALIFICATION/REQUAL: R373: K. Sarsick.

M378/M377/M367/M368/MED364/374: B. Hogan.

REQUALIFIED M378/M377/M367/M368/MED364/374/F373: S. Warne.

TOP FIVE (5) FIREFIGHTERS for May (82 alarms): Patrick Dell' Anno (363), Jim Miller (54), Bill Dell' Anno (45), Geoff Frey (41) and Craig Lewis (37),

HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAYS: Regina Reicherter (3), Teri Houser (5), Chris Fox (15), Erin Mackey (27), Ross Byrnes (31) and Franz LaVigne (31).

New Members

Welcome Aboard Rob Ritter and Welcome Back Steve Warne

Firefighter of the Month – June

Jim Miller

JVFC Annual Family Picnic - Boat Cruise

The Annual Company Family Picnic (Lake George Steamboat Company)

Thursday, August 9th.

Boarding Time: 5:30 p.m.

Departure and Dinner: 6:30 – 8:45 p.m.

Fireworks: 9:15 – 10:30 p.m.

Return Time: 10:30

Firefighters, Ladies Aux Members, and their immediate family (spouse, girlfriend, & children) are invited.

Signup sheets are posted at both stations. **Please sign up by July 9th.**

Any questions, please contact Kaleb Stores at 518-935-5923

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.

Jonesville Fire District – Certified EMS Providers – Certificates Expiring in 2018

Emergency Medical Technician Basic (EMT-B)

Patrick Dell' Anno July 31, 2018

Robert Fox September 30, 2018

Geoffrey Frey May 31, 2018

Joseph Reinemann September 1, 2018

****Paperwork for EMT recertification needs to be submitted sixty (60) days before your expiration date***

From the District Office

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.

Annual Physicals, Fit Tests and Lab Draw

A one-time lab draw will be held at **Station 1 on Wednesday, Tuesday, August 7th from 6:15 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.** Everyone who needs a physical should plan to come on this day if your schedule allows. If not, you will need to go to Occupational Medicine OM (2388 Rt. 9, Malta) during the week (opens at 8:00 a.m.) or Malta Emergent Care at Exit 12 (open 7 days/week starting at 7 a.m.) to have your blood drawn preferably 3 days before your physical. Please tell them your information is in the “Medicon” system.

Evening Physical appointments have been blocked for **Wednesday, Aug. 15th and Sept. 12th from 4:30 -6:50 p.m. at Occupational Medicine in Malta. Urine drug screening will be done at annual physicals for all members.**

1. Please call the district office at 877-8100 to schedule a physical for Aug. 15th or Sept. 12th. For any other dates, please call Occupational Medicine at 518-886-5412 to schedule a physical date that is convenient for you.
2. You will be asked the following questions by the scheduler.
 - Is it for an annual physical or new member?
 - Are you an EMT or plan to become an EMT?
 - Are you a driver (vehicle operations) or plan to be a driver of any apparatus/trucks - OM will honor DOT cards previously issued.
3. Medical History forms are available online (saratogacare.org) or in the District Office or at time of physicals.
4. Please get your lab work done at least 3 days before your appointment. You should be fasting at least 8 hours.
5. Fit Tests will be done on site at Station 1, so you do not need to take your SCBA masks to your physicals.
6. Deadline to receive your Physical Clearance is **November 1, 2018.**
7. **All members in the following categories will need to get an annual physical: Interior, Exterior, Fire Police and Support. Exception: if you are a new member in 2018, you do not have to get another physical this year.**

Fit Tests dates: Aug. 22nd and Sept. 12th starting at 6 p.m.

No appointment necessary but bring your SCBA masks. If you cannot make either of these dates, please contact Bill Adams.

Interesting Membership Facts – Update

<i>Active Membership as of June 30, 2018</i>	67
Average Age:	48.11
Members age 90	3
Members age 80-89:	0
Members age 70-79:	5
Members age 60-69	12
Members age 50-59:	15
Members age 40-49:	9
Members age 30-39:	8
Members age 18-29:	14
Members under age 18:	1

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

Aug. 9	JVFC Family Cruise – Lake George
Oct. 27	Halloween Open House
Dec. 2	Ladies Auxiliary Sundaes with Santa
Jan. 26, 2019	100 th Anniversary Dinner /Installation Banquet @ Hall of Springs, Saratoga Springs
May 18, 2019	100 th Anniversary Parade, Carnival, and Concert

If you need information posted in the Jottings, please submit the information in writing by July 25th 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