

# JONESVILLE JOTTINGS

## October 2018

Oct. 2	Recruitment Committee Meeting <i>All members welcome</i>	7:00 pm	Station 1
Oct. 3	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers <b>EQUIPMENT DRILL</b> Instructors: Capt. P. Dell'Anno Subject: Fire Service Knots <i>OSHA: n/a</i> COMPANY MONTHLY MEETING <i>Drill Uniform: YES</i>	6:30 pm 7:15 pm	Both Stations Station 1
Oct. 9	Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
Oct. 10	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers <b>SPECIAL OPS DRILL</b> Subject: Advance Vehicle Extrication Instructor: Capt. P. Dell'Anno <i>OSHA: Tools &amp; Equipment and Recent Developments</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> <i>R-373, ETA-372, ETA-362 to Depart No Later than 1845</i> <b>FIRE POLICE DRILL –</b> Subject: BBP, RTK and PPE ( <i>satisfies OSHA requirements</i> ) Instructor: Capt. G. Braglia, Capt. C. Lewis and FP Gary Coyle Sr. <i>OSHA: Blood Borne Pathogens, Right to Know and Protective Clothing</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm      7:00 pm	Both Stations Lake Auto      Station 1
Oct. 13	Driver Training Drill <i>Trainers available for qualification and refresher training.</i> <i>Contact Capt. P. Dell'Anno if you plan to attend.</i>	9:00 am	Both Stations
Oct. 15	JVFC Board of Directors Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
Oct. 16,	2019 Budget Public Hearing	7:00 pm	Station 1
Oct. 17	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers <b>EMS DRILL</b> Subject: Diabetes and Neurology Instructors: REBUS Consulting <i>OSHA &amp; CME: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: YES</i>	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Both Stations Station 1
Oct. 18	100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee Meeting	7 pm	Station 1

<b>TBA</b>	<b>Weekend Drill</b> <b>Subject: Search &amp; Rescue, Calling the MAYDAY</b> <b>Instructor: Lt. T. Dell'Anno</b> <i>OSHA: Protective Clothing and SCBA</i>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>SCFTC</b>
<b>Oct. 22</b>	<b>JVFD Ladies Auxiliary Meeting</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Station 1</b>
<b>Oct. 24</b>	<b>Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers</b> <b>FIRE SUPPRESSION DRILL –</b> <b>Subject: Live Fire Training (Residential Fires)</b> <b>Instructor: 2AC B. Dell'Anno</b> <i>OSHA: Protective Clothing, and SCBA</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> <i>E-371, ETA-362 to Depart No Later than 1830</i> <i>ETA-372, R-373, M-365 to Depart No Later than 1845</i>	<b>6:30 pm</b> <b>7:15 pm</b>	<b>Both Stations</b> <b>SCFTC</b>
<b>Oct. 27</b>	<b>Halloween Open House</b> <i>Work Detail Set up</i> <i>Uniform: drill uniforms or blue pants/JVFD t-shirt if you haven't been issued a drill uniform</i>	<b>5-8 pm</b> <b>2:30 pm</b>	<b>Station 1</b> <b>Station 1</b>
<b>Oct. 29</b>	<b>Officers' Meeting</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Station 1</b>
<b>Oct. 31</b>	<b>Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers</b> <b>SPECIAL OPS DRILL</b> <b>Subject: Simulated Responses</b> <b>Instructor: Capt. P. Dell'Anno</b> <i>OSHA: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: NO</i> <i>Apparatus to Depart No Later than 1845</i>	<b>6:30 pm</b> <b>7:15 pm</b>	<b>Both Stations</b> <b>SCFTC</b>
<b>Nov. 3</b>	<b>Boat Storage and End of Season Cleanup</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Pavilion</b>

### 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](mailto: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:

**DRIVER TRAINING QUALIFICATION: M365:** D. Forgea, T. Dippert, and P. Liddy. **New MED 364/374:** B. Adams, S. Bonesteel, B. Boss, N. Buonanno, R. Byrnes, M. Cecilione, PJ Champagne, R. Craver, P. Dell'Anno, T. Dell'Anno, B. Dell'Anno, C. Fox, G. Frey, B. Hodgdon, F. LaVigne, M. Mendrysa, J. Miller, M. Murphy, K. Stores and T. Tobin.

**TOP FIVE (5) FIREFIGHTERS for August (99 alarms):** Jim Miller (71), Bill Dell'Anno (53), Craig Lewis (51), Chuck Fannucci (50) and Ross Byrnes (49).

**HAPPY OCTOBER:** Jason Beach (4), JJ Martuscello (6), Kevin Scherer (15), Gary Coyle Sr. (18), Bob Boss (20), Nick Buonanno (23), Arianna Martuscello (26) and Judy Bayer (28).

### **Firefighter of the Month – September**

**TBA**

### **Halloween Party and Open House Information**

The Halloween Party & Open House is scheduled for Saturday, October 27th. The Open House & Halloween Party starts at 5:00 p.m. at Station #1. Your help is needed. Please contact Bob Boss if you would like to help but have not been contacted about an assignment. If you can only help the night of the event, please plan to come. Any assistance will be appreciated.

### **Annual Physicals, Fit Tests, and Lab Draw**

**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. Effective July 1, 2016. urine drug screening will be done at annual physicals for all members.**

Please call Occupational Medicine (OM) at 518-886-5412 to schedule a physical date that is convenient for you. If you haven't done so already, you will need to have your blood drawn preferably 3 days before your physical. You can go to 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.) Please tell them your information is in the "Medicon" system.

1. 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.
2. Medical History forms are available in the District Office or at time of physicals.
3. Please get your lab work done at least 3 days before your appointment. You should be fasting at least 8 hours.
4. Deadline to receive your Physical Clearance is **November 1, 2017**.

If you are Interior and EMS and have not had a Fit Test this year, please contact Bill Adams.

### **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.

**From the District Office - Commissioner Election**

The Board of Fire Commissioners Annual Election is scheduled for **December 11, 2018**. There is one five-year term position open. If **you** are interested in running for this position and reside in the Jonesville Fire District, you need to submit a petition to place your name on the ballot by **November 21, 2018**. This petition should include the signatures of at least 25 qualified voters who reside in the Jonesville Fire District. Blank petitions are available in the District Office.

**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 6, 2018.

**BOAT STORAGE & End of Season Closing @ Pavilion**

9:00 a.m., Saturday, November 3rd

\$16/per foot

Contact Kaleb Stores at 518-935-5923 with any questions. Your help is needed and appreciated.

**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.

**Interesting Membership Facts – Update**

<i>Active Membership as of Sept. 30, 2018</i>	<b>65</b>
Average Age:	48.1
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:	8
Members age 30-39:	8
Members age 18-29:	13
Members under age 18:	1

**100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Information from Chuck Fannucci**

**Jonesville Fire Dept. Members and Ladies Aux.**

As you hopefully are aware we will be celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the JVFD at our Installation Banquet, on January 26, 2019 at the Hall of Springs in Saratoga. We hope to have our largest attendance ever. This year I will be mailing out the invitations in November. If you want to sit with friends, I need that information on your response card. Tables of 8 and 10 will be available. However, I will need the names and the number of members/guests who will be sitting at your table. Please fill the table completely with 8 or 10. All this information must be put on your response card! If you don't request a table, we will be assigning you to a table. You will pick up your seating card at the entrance. Also, a reminder, we have made arrangements with 3 Hotels in Saratoga which have given us a special rate, if you would like to stay over the night of Jan 26th. More information on the Hotels is available on the Jonesville Web site under the Members section. If you have any questions, contact me at 518-309-3401 or e-mail me at [chuckfannucci@gmail.com](mailto:chuckfannucci@gmail.com)

**100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Installation Banquet**                      **January 26, 2019**                      **Hall of Springs**  
*If you are a former member and would like to receive an invitation, please call the office at 518-877-8100 if you have not done so already.*  
*Special Room Rates (\$124-129) available if you decide to stay in Saratoga the night of the banquet at:*  
*Saratoga Casino Hotel: 1-800-727-2990*  
*Homewood Suites: 518-580-1500*  
*Embassy Suites: 518-290-9090*

**100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Parade, Carnival & Concert**                      **May 18, 2019**                      **Clifton Common**

**100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Golf Tournament**                      **Late Summer or Fall 2019**    **TBD**

**\*\*\*\*\*Planning Ahead\*\*\*\*\***

Oct. 27	Halloween Open House
Nov. 6	Ladies Auxiliary Bake Sale – Station 1
Dec. 2	Ladies Auxiliary Sundaes with Santa
Dec. 11	Annual Commissioner Election
Jan. 26, 2019	100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner/Installation Banquet @ Hall of Springs, Saratoga Springs
May 18, 2019	100 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Parade, Carnival, and Concert

*If you need information posted in the Jottings, please submit the information in writing by Oct. 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](mailto:jbayer@jonesvillefire.org)*