

## Meeting Minutes, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015, 7pm

### Greenfield Fire Department

P.O. Box 146, Greenfield, NH 03047

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 7:15pm by Chief Hall. A great dinner was provided by the Duval's!

2. ATTENDANCE:

Present:	D. Adams	Lt. J. Duval	Warden J. Morris
	Lt. Babb	Jen Duval	Dpty Cf. J. Murphy
	C. Borden	Chief Hall	Cpt. R. Patterson
	Cpt. M. Borden	B. Hesseltine	Lt. J. Rychwa
	J. Boutin	Dpty Cf. J. LaCourse	D. Simmons
	Z. Davis	Cpt. A. Lang	A. Labonte
	D. Decosta-Gallo	M. Maguire	Mascot: Odie

Absent: C. Murray

3. VISITORS: Select Board Member, Karen Day. GFA President, Linda Dodge. Deb Maguire.

NEW APPLICANTS: Dan Andrews with his wife Christina.

- Opened meeting with a video presentation: Firefighters/EMT: service with honor, integrity.

4. SECRETARY'S REPORT: May's minutes were emailed. Minutes were accepted as emailed.

5. APPARATUS REPORTS: Dpty Chf. LaCourse thanked Motto for getting the trucks up and running.

- 13 Rescue 1: In Service: Air horn not working.
- 13 Engine 1: In Service:
- 13 Engine 3: In Service:
- 13 Tanker 1: In Service:
- 13 Brush 1: In Service:
- 13 Utility 1: In Service:
- 13 Boat 1: Will be taking the boat out for a run on Sunday morning.

6. DRILLS, MEETINGS AND TRAININGS:

- Rescue Drill: Tuesday, June 9th, 2015, 7pm. Location: Bennington. Meet at GFD to car pool, 6:30.
- Fire Drill: No drill due to Firefighter class. Trainings will resume in July, when class is done.
- Officer's Meeting & B.O.R.: Wed. June 24th, 7pm Truck Check
- Next Business Meeting: Monday, July 6th, 2015, 7pm, at GFD. (Association Meeting at 6pm)
- Any other upcoming training opportunities: Cpt. Borden announced that the NH Emergency Preparedness has a Statewide training on Wed. June 10<sup>th</sup> in Manchester at the Radison. Email Lt. Rychwa, as he has the link to sign up. It's all day and it's FREE! Good opportunity for training.

7. OLD BUSINESS:

- Sunday Morning Church at GFD 9am-11am: This is open to all members who are willing and able to participate on Sunday Mornings. No fixed agenda. . . we clean, fix, build, repair or train as needed.
- "Books & Ladders" upcoming event at Oak Park, Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> 11am – 3pm. Discussed details. The Event is sponsored by the Library and the Fire Department. Library theme: Every Hero has a story. We will have a live band, Touch-a-Truck Fire Apparatus, including the Ladder Truck from Peterborough, The Seat Belt Convincer, The Fire Prevention Trailer, Smokey & Sparky, opportunity for people to use the hoses to shoot water at a target, food by the Association. All personnel are asked to participate and the Chief will be assigning tasks for the day.

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- Town Forms: Chief Hall needs all the forms filled out that were given at the last meeting. If you have not completed them, please do so A.S.A.P. If you need the forms, please get them from the Chief. Everyone needs to complete the background check form. No exceptions.
- Stipend Opt Out: If you want to opt out on receiving a stipend, you must complete the opt out form, which you can get from the Chief.
- The Calendar: The Chief informed everyone that Jenn Fritz will be the photographer and that Karen Day is looking into pricing on getting the calendar's made. The Calendar sales will be a fundraiser and benefit the Burn Building Fund. More details to follow. Other comments were made but will not be recorded for the sake of our readers!
- Spotted Dog: Lt. Babb will be handling this and will report findings.
- ID Cards: Karen Day would like to re-take the pictures with members in uniforms. This will take place on Tues. June 30<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at the station. Please wear your uniform.
- GPS: Dpty Chf. LaCourse brought in the new GPS unit and it will be in the Rescue. They will hold a training on how to use it.
- Burn Building Committee: Chief Hall will be meeting with the committee in the next month.
- Items tabled until further notice:
  1. GFD Web Page: Chief Hall will provide updates as they become available.
  2. The Towns 225<sup>th</sup> Anniversary: Dorene will provide updates when necessary.
  3. Apparatus Committee: Will update as necessary.

#### 8. NEW BUSINESS:

- Mentors Program: Chief Hall explained the new mentor program. An officer will be assigned to a new applicant along with a pier mentor. This will give new applicants two people who will help them get acquainted with the equipment and procedures within the Dept.
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#### 9. CHIEF'S & OFFICER'S REPORTS:

- No report. The Chief commented on everyone doing a great job and encouraged everyone to keep it up! He thanked Autumn for consoling people on a call they went on and how that is a necessary part of what we do! Thank you!

#### 10. MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:25pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Dorene Adams  
Secretary