



Ships Point Volunteer Fire Department

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Fire Chiefs Report to the Board

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Call-outs

- Since last SPID report on 08 Dec 2024 there has been two (2) First Responder (FR) callouts

Practices

- Normal Tuesday training & Wednesday knowledge briefs / exams ongoing with periodic weekend training events scheduled as time/requirements permit

Purchasing

- Non-slip safety mats purchased for use on roof of sea containers
- New batteries purchased for Bullard T3 Thermal Imaging Camera (TIC)
- Minor equipment & supplies

New Items for Info/Discussion

- Association purchased new training equipment for department
 - MacBook Air laptop computer for the training room & FC travel useage
 - Training mannequin to assist with increased scope of training protocols
- Heater (220V) in the truck barn has been acting irregular, periodically surging while cutting in & out
 - Wire contacts found to be heavily corroded, new heater motor recommended
- Training has commenced on upgrading all FRs on the EMA increased scope of practice
 - Increased protocols will allow us to better serve the community on an FR callout
- Association is selling fire safety equipment to increase community safety & as a fund raiser
 - WASP home sprinkler systems, selling price \$200
 - Fire Blankets to, selling price \$18 for small (1.2 x 1.2 M) & \$25 for large (2 x 2 M)