



DEPARTMENTAL REPORT

Department: FIRE

Month: October 2024

Inspection Orders Completed:

- 4 - Follow up inspections completed
- 1 - Final inspection completed

Fire Prevention & Education:

- Two fire prevention presentations took place for students grades 1-6 at both Sacred Heart and La Renaissance catholic school locations. For fire prevention week.
- Two fire prevention presentations took place at the English and French Daycares.
- Live fire training took place for Espanola Fire Department and surrounding departments. A live fire trailer was set up by the Ontario Fire College for practice at the ski hill from October 4th – 9th. Over 200 hours of training for the Espanola fire department was put in.

Other: The Fire Chief:

- Attended Killarney Fall Sector Meeting in Providence Bay
- Attended DEMCOM (Disaster and Emergency Management Conference)
- Attended environment and climate change Canada – weather alerts seminar – online
- Attended OACF PAC 8 committee meeting – online
- Reviewed fire safety plans for 60/70 barber St apartments
- Reviewed 2025 training plans
- Final review of Emergency Management and Preparedness Grant was conducted with our E.D.O and submitted for approval
- Reviewing, finalizing, and inputting budge numbers - was completed.
- Completed orientation for two new members
- Inspected, ordered, and reviewed spectrum radios to meet new standard.
- Attended M.L.F.T.U (mobile live fire training unit) on fire days.
- Prep fire hall for fall cleaning
- Attended the community services meeting
- Prepped for and attended advisory board meeting

Fire Permits Issued: 01

Department Calls:

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Assistance, other agency – not required: 1
Medical: 1
Fire:1
Fire Mutual Aid: 1
Gas Leak- Natural gas: 2
Unauthorized Open-Air Burn: 1
Human - perceived emergency: 1
Accident: 1
Vehicle Extraction: 1

Co call – no CO: 2
False Alarm: 3
MVC: 1
Fire: 1
Rekindled Fire: 1
Sauna Fire 1
False Alarm due to Cooking: 1

Total Calls to Date: 81

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Employee Status:

- We are still currently down four members
- Two new members started this month

Visitors: 10

Firefighter Training:

- Fire fighters reviewed auto extrication, scene set up, and stabilization
- Fire fighters took part in internal RIT training and maydays
- Fire fighters attended the mobile life fire training unit

Extra Training:

- Over 200 hours of live Fire Training took place for the Espanola Fire Department. A live fire simulator was set up at the ski hill where Espanola and surrounding volunteer firefighters attended from October 4th – 9th.

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