

October - December 2018 Quarterly Park Ridge Fire Chief's Report

PRFD Calls for Service:

10/18/18

Shed / agricultural building on fire

5690 Dewey Dr – Mutual Aid to Dewey FD

4 Firefighters responded

Provided assistance with: fire extinguishment, over-haul, and hydration.

Times: Paged: 11:54, Truck En-route ?, On Scene 12:30, Cleared ? (? Means comm center didn't log time)

11/2/18

Home on fire

6957 Esker Rd. – Mutual Aid to Stockton FD

7 Firefighters Responded

Provided assistance with: firefighter accountability, extinguishment, over-haul.

Times: Paged 07:55, Truck En-route 8:25, On Scene 8:33, Cleared 10:55

11/11/18

Multiple Vehicle Crash

I-39 near mile marker 157, south bound – Mutual Aid to Stevens Point FD

5 Firefighters Responded

Provided assistance with traffic control and crash victim sheltering

Times: Paged 18:44, Truck En-route 18:44, On Scene 18:48, Cleared 19:38

PRFD Meetings:

10-8-18

Attendance: 7 & 2 excused

Business:

- 5k/Kids fitness recap
- Ladder Testing scheduled 10/18 @ 11 am
- Help Plover FD Open house – 10/10

Training:

- SCBA training – Pre-don, don, doff, return to service

10-22-18

Attendance: 13 & 2 excused

Business:

- Shirt order being worked on
- Trick or Treating up coming
- Equipment needing to be properly returned to trucks

Training:

- 2 minute drills
- SCBA / bottle filling

11-5-18

Attendance: 7 & 4 excused, 2 in class

Business:

- Critique of recent Stockton call
- Salvation Army, Public Safety Red Kettle Challenge
- ODC Extinguisher training

Training:

- Trained on portable equipment & changed all batteries

11-19-18

Attendance: 13 & 3 excused, 2 in class

Business:

- Overview of tonight's village board meeting
- Annual dinner discussion
- Santa visit discussion
- Review of department SOP's responding to calls, focus on POV's
- Critique I-39 call

Training:

- Engine 1 pump operations
- TIM (Traffic Incident Management) review/training

12-3-18

Attendance: 15 & 1 excused

Business:

- Discussion on Santa visit
- Discussion on annual dinner – schedule 1/5/19
- Group Photo

Training:

- Bloodborne pathogens

- Administrative policies: Harassment, Fraternalization, Red Lights & Siren, Confidentiality, Social Media, Alcohol & Drug Use, Attendance

12-17-18

Attendance: 13 attended & 3 excused

Business:

- Santa Visits
- Cancel 12-31-18 meeting
- Auto-aid with Stockton to be paging 1/1/19

Training:

- Review of SPS rule changes
- Truck Checks

“Other” Activities/Meetings

10/6/18: Tame the Flame 5k/Kids Fitness Challenge

10/17/18: Fire Extinguisher Training for staff at ODC

10/18/18: All ladders tested and passed

10/25/18: Attend Portage County Fire Chief’s Association meeting

11/8/18: Fire Extinguisher Training for staff at ODC

11/11/18: Stevens Point Holiday Parade

12/20/18: Village Santa Visits

Roster:

Finished Q4 with 19 on roster

Equipment:

Alternator in Engine 1 failed, was down for about a week. Incorrect replacement part sent.

Starter in the Squad failed, was down for about a week. Incorrect replacement part sent.

A used breathing air compressor is in process of being purchased. Of the roughly \$4,700.00, \$2,000 is being paid for with WPS Grant, \$2,000 from firefighter fundraising and donations, and just under \$700.00 from 2019 operating budget.