

# JONESVILLE JOTTINGS

## September 2024

Sept. 4	JVFC Board of Director's Meeting	6:00 pm	Station 1
Sept. 4	<b>FULL</b> Apparatus and Equipment Checks –Station Officers <b>EQUIPMENT DRILL:</b> Subject: New Fold-A Tank in -Service Instructor: A/C Craver <i>OSHA: Water Supply</i> <b>COMPANY MEETING</b> <i>Drill Uniforms: NO</i>	6:30 pm 7:30 pm  8:00 pm	Both Stations Station 1  Pavilion
Sept. 10	Board of Fire Commissioners Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1
Sept. 11	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers <b>SPECIAL OPS DRILL</b> Subject: Drafting and Hose Line Management Instructor: A/C Craver <i>OSHA: Water Supply</i> <i>Drill Uniform:</i> <b>FIRE POLICE DRILL:</b> Subject: Incident Setup Instructor: Capt. Liddy OSHA: Fire Scene Safety	6:30 pm 7:15 pm    7:15 pm	Both Stations TBD    Station 1
Sept. 14	Weekend Special Ops Drill Subject: FF Survival Instructor:	12:00 pm	Station 1
Sept. 18	Fit Testing by Gibby's Fit Testing <i>SCBA and N95 masks – no appointment necessary</i>	5:30 pm	Station 1
Sept. 18	Apparatus and Equipment Checks – Station Officers <b>EMS DRILL:</b> Subject: EMS Game Show Instructor: REBUS <i>OSHA: n/a CME: TBD</i> <i>Drill Uniform: YES</i>	6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Both Stations Station 1
Sept. 24	JVFC Officers' Meeting	7:00 pm	Station 1

Sept. 25      Apparatus and Equipment Checks: Station Officers      6:30 pm      Both Stations  
                 FIRE SUPPRESSION DRILL:      7:15 pm      Station 2  
                 Subject: Chimney Fire Simulation  
                 Instructor: TBD  
                 OSHA: Tools and Equipment

Sept. 26      Explorer Post Drill      6:00 pm      Station 2

On the first Wednesday of Each month, apparatus and equipment checks are to be completed using the full truck check sheets. The “Weekly Truck Check” sheets are to be used the remaining weeks of the month

All members attending truck checks are required to actively participate in checking apparatus and equipment unless otherwise instructed by an officer. Those attending but not actively participating will not be given attendance credit.

### 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, 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: MED 364/374: M. Castelli, M367: E. Murray

**TOP FIVE FIREFIGHTERS – JULY (67):** J. Miller (54), K. Graves (40), Zach Zerebynsky (40), AJ Baker (33), and R. Byrnes (31)

**HAPPY SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS:** Dave Higgins (6), Kaleb Stores (11), Sarah Buck (13), David Stores (19), and Simon Gorby (23)

### Firefighters of the Month – August 2024

TBD

### Company President’s Corner

Company Members,

I wanted to reach out and thank everyone for participating in the various social events throughout the year. My primary objective as President is to try and foster opportunities for members and their families to come together and get to know each other a little better. Obviously as in any organization there are lots of personalities to balance and it can be very difficult. I hope that creating opportunities to come together outside of fire calls will eventually bring us closer together even when we have different ideologies or frustrations. I want to reiterate to all members new and senior, if you have any odea, no matter how grand it may be, to let me know.

Thank you for all you do for the District, Company, and Community

Mike O’B 391

**Ladies Aux. Corner**

**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.

If any firefighter is need of EAP services, please contact [www.providents.com/frap](http://www.providents.com/frap) or 1-855-207-1747  
Don't suffer in silence

**Total Runs – 2024**

<b>January</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>July</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>February</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>August</b>	
<b>March</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>September</b>	
<b>April</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>October</b>	
<b>May</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>November</b>	
<b>June</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>December</b>	

**Grand Total as of 8/25/2024 – 639**

**Interesting Membership Facts – Update**

<b><i>Active Membership as of August 31, 2024</i></b>	<b>64</b>
Average Age:	44.20
Members age 90	0
Members age 80-89:	1
Members age 70-79:	3
Members age 60-69	14
Members age 50-59:	12
Members age 40-49:	12
Members age 30-39:	8
Members age 18-29	14
Members under age 18:	3

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

**Fire Prevention Week Oct 6-12, 2024**

**Open House October 13, 2024 Recruit Activity Donuts and Coffee**

***If you need information posted in the Jottings, please submit the information in writing by Sept. 28, 2024.  
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