

SHREWSBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT

NEWS & NOTES



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DEPARTMENTAL NEWS:	GENERAL NOTES:
<p style="text-align: center;">Announcements</p> <p>New Fire Chief, James (Jim) M. Vuona</p> <p>New Fire Captain, Bruce (Chuck) Card.</p> <p>New Engine 3 - KME Rescue Pumper has arrived. Training and familiarization is ongoing. Special thanks to Byron Brooks at Bulldog Fire Apparatus for recent training.</p> <p>New air masks and storage bags have been purchased and should be in service soon.</p> <p>Engine 2 is being retrofitted for a Hurst “Jaws of Life” combination cutter/spreader tool. All three (3) stations will now have immediate extrication/rescue capability.</p> <p>We are in the process of standardizing all attack hoselines and nozzles on front line Engines and the Tower 1. Crosslays and Attack Lines will be 1 ¾” and 2 ½” with 75 PSI Orange “Chief” nozzles. E4 excluded.</p> <p>New complete sets of nozzles on order for Tower 1 and Rescue 1.</p> <p>Engine 1 – Out of Service for paint and body work repairs until late July.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Thank You!</p> <p>All personnel who participated in the Memorial Day Parade and Services. Especially the Fire Dept. Honor Guard & our U.S. Military Veterans.</p> <p>Also, thanks to Home Depot and Mgr. Paul D’Agostino for donating sod and supplies to spruce up the Fire & Police Relief Association Memorial at Fire HQ.</p> <p>Thanks to FD Group 2 for supplying the labor and meticulous grounds work!</p> <p>Congratulations to Captain James Colonies who has earned a Bachelors Degree in Fire Science from Anna Maria College.</p> <p>Best Wishes to Ranjit LoboPrabhu who recently decided to step down as a member ‘On-Call’ FF’s Group. We thank you for your years of dedicated service to the Fire Department and the community.</p> <p>Deepest condolences to the Quirion family on their recent loss of a family member.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thanks & Be SAFE – C31 and Denise</p> <p>Note: This is bi-monthly news letter. Please contact us with news and announcements.</p>