# Colts Neck First Aid Squad Monthly Business Meeting 5/9, 2023

#### Call to order:

The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm by President Martha Leonhardt.

### Flag Salute/Invocation:

The pledge of allegiance was recited, followed by a prayer by Mario Santoro at 7:31pm.

## **Proposal/Election of New Members:**

Alexandra Messo was brought forward as a new member. She is looking to start in June. She is not CPR or EMT Certified, but she is eager to start. Her number will be #367 and Denise Horneck will be her mentor.

### **Reading of the Minutes:**

The minutes for the April 2023 meeting were read and accepted as is. There was a motion to approve the minutes by Jon 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dan carried by an all-in favor motion.

## **Report of the Treasurer:**

The treasurer's report was read. The ending book balance as of April, 2023 was \$42,670.58. Please see treasurer's report for details. There was a motion to approve the treasurer's report by Alex, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Vicki carried by an all-in favor motion.

# **Correspondence:**

Correspondence was read.

# Officer's Report:

There were 80 call in April.

Chuck Fredda 50
Will Sharpe 44
Denise Horneck 24
Jim Leber 24
Joseph Santoro 22
Mario Santoro 20

- 1) National Night Out will be moving to 5pm-8pm.
- 2)Ipads are charging in the back of the rig for use with Imagetrend and have cases now. They do not print reports, so we are looking into printing solutions. They can be used for GPS.
- 3)Memorial Day Parade is on May 29<sup>th</sup>. We will be having our Ambulance Bay cleanup on May 27<sup>th</sup> at 9am. Tracy is detailing the rigs.
- 4)Building should be ours in 2 months. We still need to do renovations to the building, so it will hopefully be ready by winter. The Building Committee is doing a walkthrough to see what needs to be done.
- 5)Please use E-Dispatch to respond to calls. If we can't get a rig out please radio dispatch to get mutual aid rolling. We are currently at 50% mutual aid during the day.
- 6)To keep the organization volunteer, we are starting a marketing campaign. People in town do not know what we do and we cannot continue at our current pace. We need new members and to get our squad back to what it used to be. We need a positive attitude back.
- 7) The Manalapan Englishtown Chief passed away. He was only 29 and passed away from Covid. Details will be emailed out.
- 8) When the Rig is in service, please put out on the local channel that the Rig is in service so cadets can join us on scene.

# **Chief Engineer's Report:**

• Chief Engineer read the Rig Duty assignments for the month. They were:

8460- Matt

8461- No one

8462- Steven

8464- Greg

Frank is meeting with us to see if we can find any issues with 61, and if there is nothing we are putting it into service.

# **Training Officer's Report:**

This month's drill is Fundamentals of assessments for CEU's. EMT Refresher Part A is on Saturday at the building.

## **Cadet Advisor's Report:**

1 new Cadet was sworn in. The Keyport Cadet Competition is in June.

## Trustee's Report:

Nothing

### **Township Liaison Report:**

Nothing

## **Reports of the Standing Committees:**

## Membership:

Nope

## Fund Drive/Ways & Means:

There were \$6,945 in donations this past April, for a total of \$66,918 for 78.73% of our budget for the year.

## **Publicity:**

None

#### **Memorial/Sunshine:**

Happy Birthday Dan Petrillo and Jim Leber.

#### **Blood Drive:**

None

## **State & County First Aid Council:**

Nothing

#### **Dinner Committee:**

Picnic is Scheduled for September

# **Budget:**

None

None	
LOSAP: None Bylaws: None	

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## Website:

None

#### **Fair Committee:**

None

# **Nominating Committee:**

None

#### **Old Business:**

Thank you all for coming to the High School First Aid Program. Fireworks are on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Please put zip codes on call sheets.

Has anyone seen our Squad Bible? Please let us know if you see it.

#### **New Business:**

Source Brewery is releasing a First Aid Squad and Team Life beer. Please come and volunteer and assist at the event May 12<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 7pm. Please come to the building at 4:45pm if you can. Please wear your polo shirts and refrain from drinking while we represent the squad.

## **Adjournment:**

There was a motion for adjournment at 8:17 pm by Dan 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alex, carried by an all-in favor motion.