

Fire Department

As reported by Greg Schreck, Fire Chief

Routine Activities for the month:

The Department responded to eight calls for service and held three training sessions in January.

Firefighters began the annual task of testing fire hose. This is always a big undertaking as all of the Department's fire hose is unloaded from the trucks, stretched out and pressure tested to more than 200 psi.

Four of our newer members, Andy Goetzinger, Jake Hannasch, Tyler Schultes and Michael Strautman are currently participating in Fire Fighter 1 Training. This training is presented by the Iowa Fire Service Training Bureau. It consists of approximately 120 hours of classroom and hands-on experience. At the conclusion of instructional portion of the training, a written test is administered with a minimum passing score of 70% required for certification. In addition, firefighters must also demonstrate proficiency in various hands-on skills learned during training. Our Department requires members to certify to Fire Fighter 1 level within two years of joining the Department.

Chief Schreck, Captain Dan Hannasch and Firefighter Mike Bach attended the Carroll County Firefighters Association meeting held in Templeton on January 21st.

Run Report for January:

Alarm Date	Alarm Location	Incident Type
01/05/2019	1124 Skyline Dr	Kitchen fire
01/07/2019	1018 Mockingbird Dr	False alarm
01/14/2019	1214 S Grant Rd	False alarm
01/17/2018	512 E 18 th Apt. J3	Smoke smell no fire
01/23/2019	502 N Court	Alarm malfunction
01/26/2019	17256 Ivy Ave	Vehicle rollover
01/30/2019	1321 Salinger Ave	Alarm malfunction
01/31/2019	521 E 7 th St	Carbon monoxide alarm