



October

3-We swore in Steve Zielinski as a new member of our fire company
7-At 3:17 a.m. we responded to a working fire at 23 Manko Lane at the Liberty Park Senior Apartments

November

30-We took home awards for the Best Chief's Vehicle and for Chairman's Choice for Engine 3 at the Lancaster Christmas Parade

December

9-At 2:33 a.m. Squad No. 2 responded mutual aid to U-Crest for a working fire at 336 Beach Road
10-Long time member Leonard Szymanski passed away

2024 Run Total: 1,066



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Doyle Hose Company No. 2



2024 Year in Review



January

- 22**-Dan Nash was elected as a Director to the Erie County Fire Chief's Mutual Aid Association
- 28**-Past member Paul Wojcik passed away

February

- 16**-The iconic Oscar Mayer Wiener Mobile stopped by our firehouse
- 17**-We raised \$3,537.29 during our annual Fill the Boot campaign despite having to cut it short to respond to a working fire for mutual aid with Union Fire Company at 218 French Road
- 24**-Joe Rydzinski celebrated his 50th Anniversary with Doyle No. 2

March

- 14**-At 3:53 p.m. we responded to a working fire at 97 Girard Avenue

April

- 6**-Tom Krawczyk received the Lifetime Achievement Award and Kaya Watson received the Junior Firefighter of the Year at the Erie County Fire Chiefs Award dinner held at the Millgrove Fire Department
- 8**-We celebrated the rare occasion of a total solar eclipse by having a watch party and standby at our firehouse
- 16**-We responded to a rollover MVA involving a stolen car at William & Harlem where we treated ten patients and six people got arrested
- 19-20**-We celebrated our 100th Anniversary with a weekend long party at the Marriott LECOM Harbor Center in downtown Buffalo



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May

- 12**-Some of our firefighters responded to a mutual aid fire with South Line at 1149 Losson Road on Doyle No. 1 Engine 1
- 14**-We responded to a working fire at building 23 at the Famous Williamstowne Apartments. The fire was contained to a single bedroom
- 14**-Resident Joseph Berizzie came to the Board of Fire Commissioners meeting with his family to say thanks to all involved in saving his life after he suffered a cardiac arrest at his Dennis Lane home in February

June

- 4**-Dan Nash was appointed as a Director to the Erie County Fire Advisory Board
- 16**-We responded to a working basement fire at 63 Willowlawn Parkway
- 21**-Member Allen Beltz got married to his lovely wife Cindy Ann
- 28**-Past Chief and Life Member Jim Koral passed away

July

- 11**-Our joint softball team with U-Crest Fire Company came in 3rd Place in the Cheektowaga Volunteer Firefighter Softball League
- 12**-For the second time, our First Assistant Chief Craig Maconaghy had an article published in Fire Engineering Magazine

August

- 23**-We held our first ever Family Drill on the fire district property at 2600 William Street. Numerous activities were held including water ball. The festivities concluded with a cookout back at the firehouse
- 26**-Tom Janowski celebrated his 50th Anniversary with Doyle No. 2

September

- 16**-Some of our firefighters responded to a mutual aid fire with Bellevue at 49 Hutchens Drive on Doyle No. 1 Engine 1
- 18**-Waterball returned to Doyle No. 2 as we hosted numerous other fire companies from the town for waterball, food, and refreshments
- 28**-Nineteen of our members received their new Lion V-Force bunker gear
- 28**-We responded to an unresponsive male call which turned out to be an attempted suicide by carbon monoxide poisoning on Raymond Avenue
- 28**-Dave DeFields celebrated his 25th Anniversary with Doyle No. 2