## **SEPTEMBER**

Calendar

#### **Events:**

- September 2<sup>nd</sup> VJ Day
- September 6<sup>th</sup> Labor Day
- September 11<sup>th</sup>
   Patriot Day
   (8:46am) 20<sup>th</sup>
   Anniversary of 9-11
- September 12<sup>th</sup>
   Grandparents Day
- September 17<sup>th</sup>
   Constitution Day
- September 19<sup>th</sup>
   Talk Like a Pirate
   Day
- September 22<sup>nd</sup>
   Fall Equinox Day
- September 29<sup>th</sup> National Coffee Day

## **Board Meetings:**

September 13<sup>th</sup>

September 27th

**Pay Dates:** 

September 10<sup>th</sup>

September 24th



## **Newsletter**

## September 2021

## **New Promotions**

Join us in welcoming Sullivan Fire Protection District's newest volunteer officers. Recently George Bonney Sr, Nick White, and Stetson Zelch were promoted to the rank of Lieutenant within the district. The district now boasts a total of four Lieutenants who are the front-line officers and supervisors over the volunteer stations. Each Lieutenant's assignment is as follows: Jordon Shortt is over Station 1; Stetson Zelch is over Station 2; Nick White is over Station 3; and George Bonney Sr is over Station 4.

CONGRATULATIONS GUYS!!! Thank you for your dedication and hard work. (a) (see page 2 for pic)



## **Special Recognition**

Tyler Goodman, our newest FT firefighter just finished his certification for EMT.

GREAT JOB TYLER!!! WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU ☺

## **Training Tuesdays:**

#### **Training Opportunities**

Lab/printing fees \$50/class listed below

Lake of the Ozarks west

Officer 2

Sep 27-Oct 1 at

**Sunrise Beach** 

Dep Chief John Scheper

573-374-4442

training@gravoisfire.org or Asst Chief Jamie Karl 573-374-

4411 jkarl@sbfpd.org

Lake of the Ozarks west

Live Fire Instructor

n: Nov 1-5

Dep Chief John Scheper

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4411 jkarl@sbfpd.org

## **Looking Ahead:**

**Lowes Safety Days has been** added to the calendar. This event will take place in the Lowes parking lot and the plans are still evolving. We are looking for volunteers to help make this a success. Times for this event will be posted as the event draws near. Please see Trevor Woods if you would like to volunteer.



## **Training Division**



The upcoming training for September will consist of Boat Operations and one other topic.

September training is on the first and third **Tuesdays** 

#### **September Awareness issues:**

If you do any sort of training, please fill out the training roster in Aladtec.

ADVANCE SIGN UP: On October 1st and 2nd SFPD will be co-hosting a Sonar class with Bourbon fire. This class will be taught by an outside company that specializes in teaching Sonar throughout the U.S. Friday evening will be classroom instruction and the practicals will be on Saturday. Captain Konys needs a headcount of the Sullivan personnel that want to attend by September 15<sup>th</sup>. Remaining seats will be offered to outside Districts. Contact Captain Konys by September 15<sup>th</sup> if you want to attend this training.

←To the left you will see some exciting training opportunities listed (also check your email, or see postings at ST1)

## **Birthdays**

September

Bob Hohman 6th

Chelsea Noack 9<sup>th</sup>

Joe Kincaid 10<sup>th</sup>

Kaitlynn Grimm 16<sup>th</sup>

Quinton Hildebrandt 20<sup>th</sup>

# Business Meeting & Officers Meeting:

Meetings held at STI

September 16<sup>th</sup> Officers Meeting 5pm September 28<sup>th</sup> Busines

If you would like to submit information to be published in this monthly newsletter, the deadline is the 25th of the month prior. This allows time to format and send by the first of the next month. Please email information to the SFPD Office Administrator, Monica Boyer at

secsfpd@fidmail.com

## Fire Marshal Update Corey Rice SFPD

#### **Ongoing projects:**

2005 N Service Rd Laura Auto Group

Missouri Baptist remodel of pharmacy, new therapy bldg, and addition to MOB

Grace City Church Bldg permit for addition 11891 Mine Rd. Lil Something 4 Everyone

Hwy JJ (Stanton) Hope Ranch

2115 E Springfield 7 Cedars Supply (Stanton)
Acid Mine Rd Muddy Water Brewery

#### New Projects:

**Occupancy Permits** 

900 Elmont First State Community Bank Remodel

213 N. Clark St Sullivan Boxing Club

**Building Permits** 

#### Pre-Plans Completed

#### **Knox Boxes**

825 N Loop
1483 Hwy AF
121 N Clark St
33 N Clark St
111 N Clark St
202 N Clark St
11 N Clark St
45 N Clark St
601 N Service Rd
771 N Service Rd

2085 W Springfield 2-6 Main St

100-104 Main St280 E Springfield3135 N Service Rd4087 N Service Rd10887 N Service Rd350 Park Ridge Rd

123 Progress 131 Progress 105-111 Progress 113 Progress

1617 S Service Rd 1411 S Service Rd

891 S Service Rd

## **Truck Committee**

The Truck Committee has elected to go with Rosenbauer for the two new trucks. Captain Enloe reported that they received B.O.D. approval and have sent the signed proposal off which is the first step in placing the order. Both trucks will have commercial cabs and in addition, they were able to order new Holmotro rescue tools to go on the pumper truck. They are on target to stay within the budget allotted. The new trucks should be available to the district in approximately one year.

If you have any questions, please contact Captain Ray Enloe.



## 9-11

## **Memorial Ceremony**

#### Station 5

Everyone is invited to the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 9-11 Memorial Ceremony at Station 5 at 8 am on Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. The ceremony will take place in the lower parking lot at the memorial. It is expected to be less than an hour in length. See Captain Ray Enloe for details.

## **Meal Planning**

## **Appreciation BBQ for First Responders**

Sullivan Family Worship at 1388 S Service Rd W will be serving BBQ to the first responders of Sullivan, Bourbon, Crawford County, and Franklin County from 11am-2pm. The menu includes: Burgers, Hot Dogs, and Pork Steaks with choice of toppings; Sides will be Baked Beans, Potato Salad, and a dessert.

#### Sullivan VFW

The VFW will be hosting a free Spaghetti Dinner for all Emergency Services Personnel in honor of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of 9-11. The details are: Sat. 9/11/21 from 12-6 pm at the VFW Hall so mark your calendars.

## 9-11 Ride for America

On Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, a group of eleven bicyclists along with their support group came through Sullivan on an epic journey which originated in Santa Monica, CA on August 1<sup>st</sup>. These men are part of Fire Velo, a "Fire Service" based 501(c)3 organization cycling club. All funds raised through Fire Velo help provide financial assistance to fire service-based groups and causes. Their journey will take 40 days, over 3,300 miles, and go through 14 states. It is scheduled to culminate in NYC on August 9<sup>th</sup>, just in time for the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of 9-11. The group, comprised primarily of firefighters, was staggered with the faster riders out front by miles, and the slower paced riders along with their support vehicles bringing up the rear. Crew C, as well as Chief Lewis and myself in the Chief's truck, gave them an escort thru Sullivan to the Stanton exit on the south Service Rd. Once there, that part of the team rendezvoused with the support crew for a water and lunch break. Many fire departments along their route come out to meet and provide an escort for them as a show of support for their efforts. These men have been enduring extreme temperatures on their route which took them through sections of Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas as well as very long days. I was told their daily mileage varied. On Wednesday it was a 110.5-mile day ending in St. Louis for the night with 5,155 feet of climbing. They were on day 6 of 8 consecutive before getting a rest day at the point we met them on Wednesday.

I captured a picture of the group we escorted along with the on duty crew. (see page 5 for pic)

For additional information on their organization along with their route and more pictures, check out their website at **firevelo.com**.



Part of the team from the Fire Velo cycling club on their "Ride for America"

## Halloween Spooktacular

The Chamber of Commerce has a road closure request for the following streets during the annual Halloween Spooktacular. The event will be held on Friday, October 29 from 3:30-5pm due to Halloween being on a Sunday.

The following streets are included in the request:

Hughes Ford & W. Main

N. Clark & Maple (both sides)

Taylor & W. Main

N. Clark & Elm St. (both sides)

S. Clark & W. Main

N. Clark & Springfield

S. Church & W. Main

N. Clark & Meredith

N. Clark & W. Euclid (both sides)