

# FEBRUARY

## Calendar

### Events:

- Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> New Year's Day
- Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> National Trivia Day
- Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> World Logic Day
- Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> Martin Luther King Day
- Feb. 31<sup>st</sup> National Croissant Day

### Board Meetings:

- February 10<sup>th</sup>
- February 24<sup>th</sup>

### Pay Dates:

- February 7<sup>th</sup>
- February 21<sup>st</sup>



## Newsletter

### February 2025

### Mark the Dates:

- February 12<sup>th</sup> – First Responder Bible Study 6 pm ST5
- February 24<sup>th</sup> – Full-Time Staff Meeting ST5 7 am
- February 25<sup>th</sup> – Meramec Caverns Walk Through 6 pm
- February 26<sup>th</sup> – SHS Career Fair SHS Commons 8 am
- March 21<sup>st</sup> – Big Hero Breakfast Elementary School 8:15 am
- April 5<sup>th</sup> – Annual Awards Banquet for 2024 Achievements



### Training Division

February 4<sup>th</sup> ST5 – 6 pm – CPR Training

February 25<sup>th</sup> ST5 – 6 pm – Meramec Caverns Walkthrough

**Congratulations!**  
**Jordon Shortt**  
**10 Consecutive years as a Volunteer!**

## Birthdays in February

**Tyler Goodman 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**Ray Enloe 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**Baily Ann Chepely 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**Devan Turner 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**Jeremy Chappius 24<sup>th</sup>**  
**Jordan Tod 26<sup>th</sup>**

## Business Meeting & Officers Meeting:

Meetings held at ST1

**Officers Meeting**  
**Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> – 4:30 p.m.**

**Business Meeting**  
**Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 p.m.**

If you would like to submit information to be published in this monthly newsletter, the deadline is the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month prior. This allows time to format and send by the first of the next month. Please email information to Rachel Tyree at [officeadmin@sullivanfpd.com](mailto:officeadmin@sullivanfpd.com)

## From the Desk of Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal, Corey Rice

Team,

Recently members of SFPD have reached some meaningful milestones:

Jordon Shortt received his award for 10 consecutive years as a volunteer at the business meeting. Jordon has risen through the ranks starting as a junior firefighter.

Cody Carroll reached his on-year mark with the district. At the one-year mark, members are issued their own personal shield with their DSN number on it.

Both men are great assets to our team, and we look forward to many more years. We are proud of you!

**Congratulations!**  
**Cody Carroll**  
Reached his one-year mark with SFPD!

## Chief Weiss Retired

Deputy Fire Chief, Kyle Robertson, honored Fire Chief Weiss with a Proclamation from SFPD upon his Retirement from the Gerald-Rosebud Fire Protection District.



# SFPD Achievements



**Jordon Shortt receiving his 10-year Leather Helmet**



**Cody Carroll receiving his 1-year Personal Helmet Shield**



# ICE RESCUE TRAINING

City Lake 1/28/2025

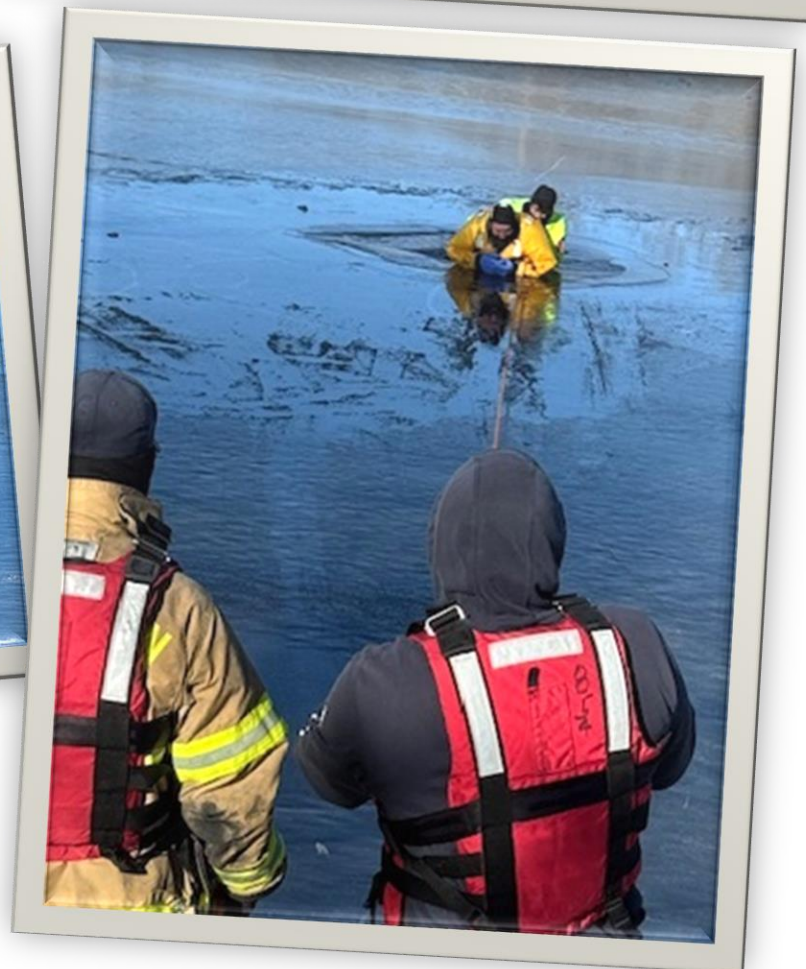
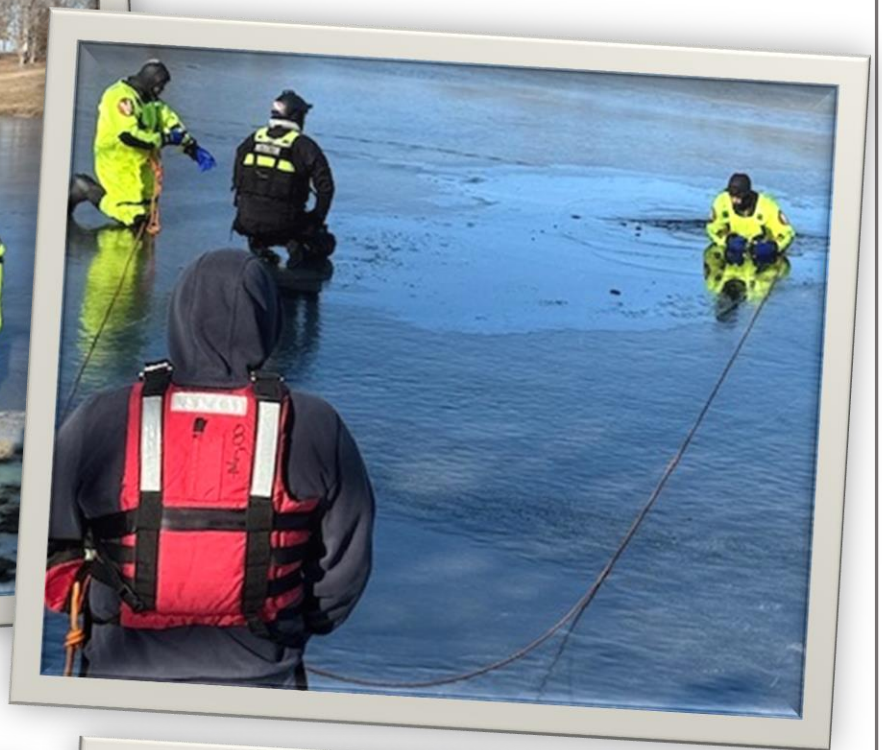
This is just one of the technical disciplines that firefighters must be prepared for. A dozen firefighters participated in the blistering cold temperatures and wind. This made the drill more realistic. We hope to never have to use this training on a real emergency but continue to train for worst case scenarios. As Missouri weather changes from day to day, so do the ice conditions. Warm days thaw and weaken the ice, and colder nights re-freeze the ice. This makes the ice look solid, but it's just the opposite. Freezing and thawing makes the ice weak and more susceptible to breakthroughs or falling into the water. We always remind our community to stay off the ice. - Deputy Chief Fire Marshal, Corey Rice





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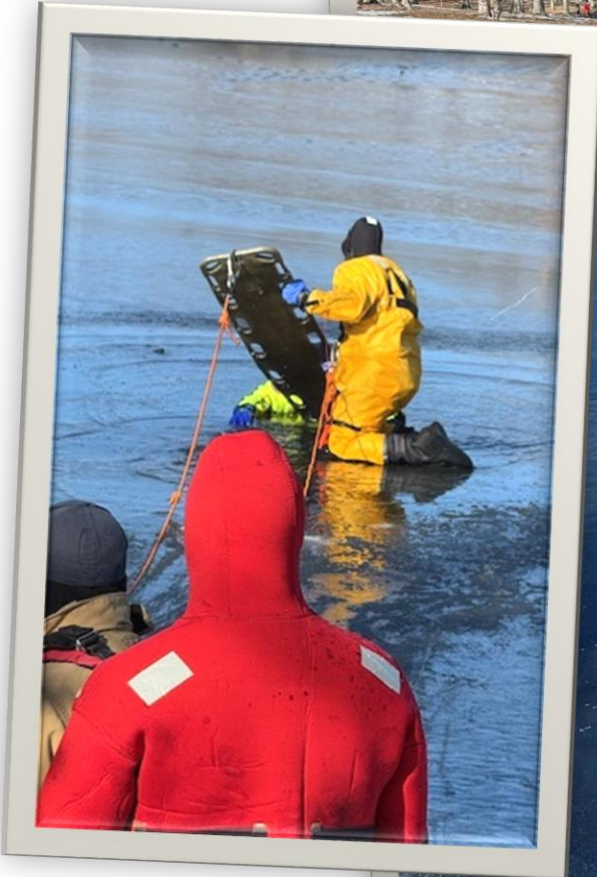
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✓ Mark the Dates

**ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET**  
**Small Eagles Hall**  
**April 5, 2025**