

CK Weekly

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CENTRAL KITSAP FIRE & RESCUE

The Shop is currently working on Ladder 51, which is having transmission issues. It was temporarily stranded on Silverdale Way on Monday and needed a special tow truck to get it back to the Shop.



In Loving Memory
James (Jimmy) Hendryx
Bremerton Fire Department Firefighter/
Paramedic

Memorial Information
Sunday, January 29, 2017
1:00 p.m.
Kitsap Sun Pavilion
Kitsap County Fairgrounds
1200 NW Fairgrounds Road
Bremerton, WA 98311

***It is requested that fire apparatus not be brought to the memorial.*



In solidarity, Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue will recognize the dedicated service and passing of Firefighter/Paramedic Jimmy Hendryx.

Action:

As of 1000 hours on 1/17/17, all uniformed personnel will affix a ½" mourning band perpendicular across their Class A/B duty badge. This band will be worn on all Class A/B badges until notified by the Ops Chief.

As of 1000 hours on 1/17/17, all department flags will be lowered to half-staff until notified by the Ops Chief.

These two actions signify only the beginning of our support and condolences that we will provide to Bremerton Fire as they progress through this difficult time.

Volunteers are needed for the Memorial Service

Please be at the Kitsap Pavilion at 7:00 AM to help with set up, clean up, food service, ushering, and other functions for the service.

Contact: cbecker@local2819.org

Local 2819,

Brothers and Sisters

Thank You for your support during our time of hardship and for your donations to brother Jim Hendryx.

Fraternally

Local 437

Thank You



BREMERTON FIRE FIGHTERS

Pictured: Brandin posing with Ladder 51's transmission.



CKFR was asked to be part of the flag display at Paramedic Hendryx's memorial this coming weekend. Very unfortunately, prior to this engagement, Ladder 51's transmission decided to self-destruct in the middle of Silverdale Way. Realizing the pride and symbolism of such a high honor, the maintenance crew jumped into action. In an attempt to get the unit back in service, the entire maintenance staff came together to diagnose the problem and look for a solution. It was finally determined that the transmission needed to be sent out for repair and as a result, our very dedicated mechanics stayed late into the evening to remove the 2000-lb transmission.

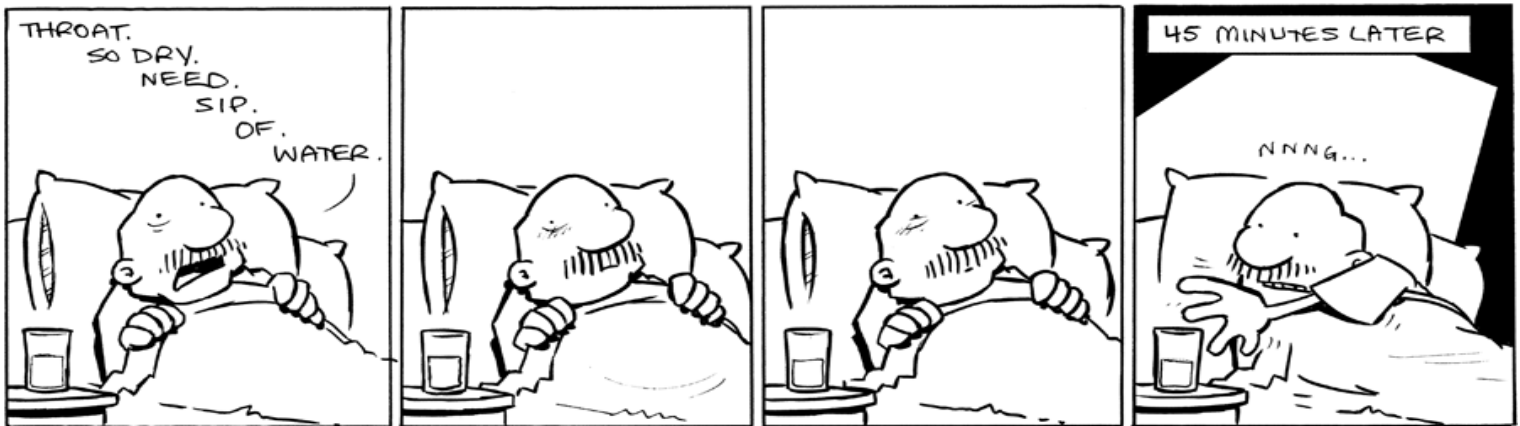
Our maintenance crew's display of determination and dedication to such a calling was truly heartfelt. Though they were able to get the transmission out and off to Seattle, the prognosis was grave and the transmission was determined to be irreparable. Despite not meeting our obligation to Bremerton Fire, this display of work ethic and pride demonstrated by Joe, Jeff and Brandin was heartwarming. Their actions are why Central Kitsap is truly the best fire department in Washington.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- Fri. Jan 27** Bremerton Fire Chief Al Duke's Retirement Party, Kitsap Conference Center (5 PM—RSVP Required)
- Sat. Jan 28** Hockey Night hosted by Kitsap FF Benevolent Fund, Bremerton Ice Arena (7:30 PM tickets sold at the door)
- Sun. Jan 29** Memorial Service for Bremerton FF/PM James Hendryx, Kitsap Sun Pavilion (1 PM)
- Mon. Feb 13** BOC Regular Meeting, Admin Building (4 PM)
- Thu. Feb 16** Monika Carberry's Retirement Celebration, Admin Building (3 PM)
- Mon. Feb 20** President's Day Holiday

IF YOU HAVE THE FLU, **NEVER** TIME HOW LONG IT TAKES YOU TO COMPLETE A TASK. THE RESULTS WILL DEPRESS YOU.



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The flu season is in full swing. Hospitals are operating at capacity. Schools are very empty. Among our line staff, we've had 24 SL's in the last two weeks. A trip into any work space reveals a pile of tissue and a coughing co-worker. **WE ARE ALL SICK...**

Here's a link to an article on this flu season:

<http://www.nbcnews.com/health/health-news/flu-season-getting-worse-cdc-says-n704061>

Here's a very practical approach to disinfecting our lives:

<http://symptoms.webmd.com/cold-flu-map/slideshow-things-to-disinfect>

Please take the time to disinfect your work space/ station/ apparatus. Each work space should be equipped with the necessary cleaning supplies.

Remember, washing your hands for 30 seconds with soap and hot water is the absolute best prevention tool.

Jeff Sorenson

Division Chief, Medical Officer

“Car Versus H&R Block”

January 25, 2017

At approximately 11:20 this morning, Central Kitsap Fire & Rescue received a call for a vehicle into a building.

On arrival firefighters observed the vehicle approximately halfway through the front of the H&R Block located at Silverdale Way and NW Myhre Road.

The driver had been alone in the car and was not injured. There were also no injuries to the people inside H&R Block at the time. Firefighters removed the broken glass and assisted with moving the vehicle back into the parking lot.

The Kitsap County Sheriff’s Office was also called to the scene.



Legislative Day 2017

Chief Weninger, Chief Oliver, and Commissioner Muhleman went to the State Capitol on Thursday to attend this year’s WFC/WFCA State Legislative Day. This event provides an opportunity for members to discuss issues with State Legislators that directly impact the fire service.

Pictured Left: Governor Jay Inslee in attendance at the event!

CKFR Commissioner Vacancy

Central Kitsap Fire and Rescue (CKFR) is seeking a well-qualified and motivated candidate to be appointed by the Board of Commissioners (BOC) to a temporary position as Fire Commissioner, serving approximately April 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017.

For the full announcement and requirements for appointment, visit:

www.ckfr.org/boc-vacancy/

Part-Time Admin Support Position

KITSAP COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND TRAUMA CARE COUNCIL is preparing to post a Part-Time (20 hours per week) job vacancy for an Administrative Support Specialist. This position will be an hourly employee at \$20.00 per hour w/o benefits.

For the full announcement and job posting, visit:

www.ckfr.org/join-ckfr/employment-opportunities/

New SOPs

All Personnel – (from: Eileen McSherry, 1/25/17)

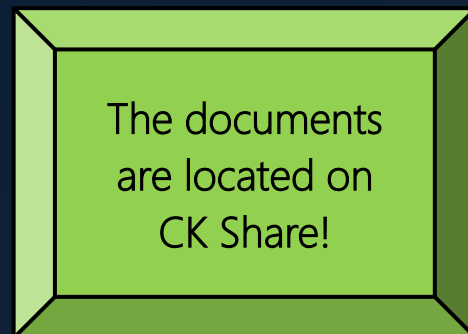
Labor and Management have been working very hard to finalize a number of SOP revisions and NEW SOP's. The links are below. Please remember you are expected to read and be aware of all of these policies and procedures.

CKFR:

- [Peer Support SOP 8-03.docx](#) - NEW

Operations / Administration:

- [Personnel Shift Station Preference Request.pdf](#)
- [Daily Activities Calendar SOP 2-30.docx](#) - NEW
- [Daily Shift Staffing.docx](#)
- [Shift Coverage Overtime Call Back.docx](#)
- [Incident After Action Reviews SOP 6-20.docx](#) - NEW
- [Emergency Callback SOP 6-11.docx](#)



Updated Forms:

- [Station-Shift Preference.docx](#)
- [Annual Physical Exam Forms](#)
 - Only Form 2409 Physical Examination Confirmation has been revised. All the forms that you need to take to your doctor each year are now in this sub-folder for your convenience.

Promotional Lists

Posted January 26, 2017

Effective upon Board adoption

(These lists are maintained for 24 months from the effective date)

2017 Battalion Chief Eligibility List

The order in which the candidates stand in the examination process is as follows:

1. Greg Platz
2. Rick O'Rourke
3. Dave Tucker
4. Kevin Goodwin
5. Darren Foust

2017 Captain Eligibility List

The order in which the candidates stand in the examination process is as follows:

1. Jason Christian
2. Tom Sullivan
3. Matt Porter
4. JD Tollefson
5. Mark Giannobile
6. Scott Deschryver

Congratulations to everyone who tested and to the Training Division for running a successful test!



SAVE THE DATE

*Central Kitsap Fire & Rescue invites you
to join us as we honor and thank*

MONIKA CARBERRY

*for her countless contributions and over 34 years
of dedication to the Central Kitsap Community.*

Thursday, February 16, 2017

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

at the Administrative Building

5300 NW Newberry Hill Rd

Silverdale, WA 98383

Refreshments will be served after presentations.



**3 BATTALION
JERSEY
AUCTION**
SUPPORT OUR FIREFIGHTERS



FIRE & ICE NIGHT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2017 • 7:30 P.M.



WEST SOUND WARRIORS
VS. SEATTLE RAVENS



WEST SOUND WARRIORS VS SEATTLE RAVENS

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5 Volunteers were sworn in!

Pictured Above: Chief Weninger led the volunteers James Thigpen, Brianna Lopez, Christina Bigelow, Lucas Wilde, and Aurelia Buhler-Flores in their Oath of Offices on Wednesday last week.





Pictured:
New offices at Admin are closer to completion!

**OUT OF
ORDER**

WEEKLY QUOTE

The elevator to success is out of order. You'll have to use the stairs...one step at a time.

Joe Girard



Pictured:
New Probies Jeff Wright and Mike Smith
"becoming intimately familiar" with their
bunker gear and SCBAs.

Patterns of firefighter fireground injuries

Report: NFPA's "[Patterns of Firefighter Fireground Injuries](#)"

Author: Richard Campbell

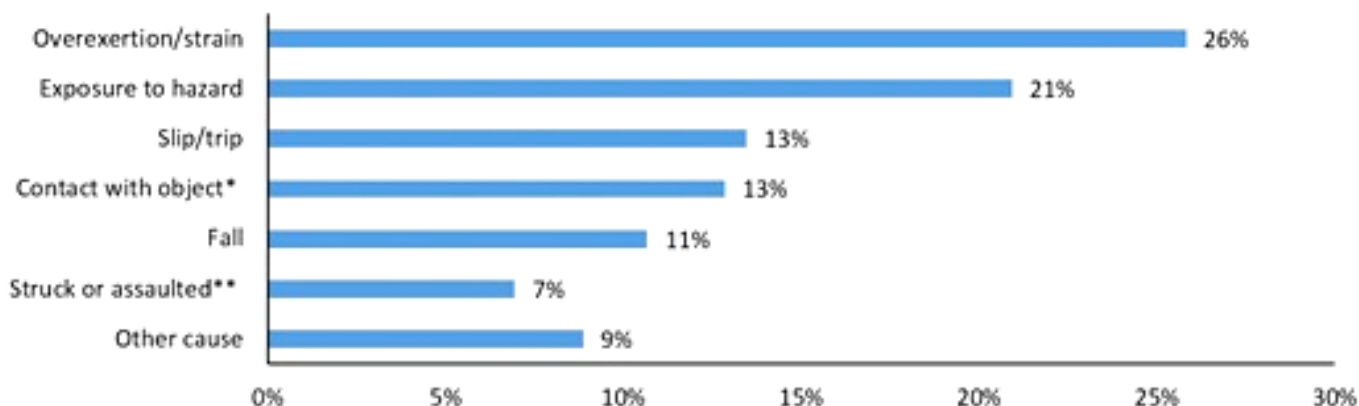
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The annual number of firefighter injuries occurring on the fireground has fallen substantially over the last 10 years, with the lowest total in 2014, the most recent reporting year. The vast majority of injuries occurred while fighting structure fires, most of which were building fires. Fires at residential properties were associated with the largest share of firefighter injuries, with nearly three-quarters of the total. One-third of the injuries resulted in lost work time and were classified as either moderately severe or severe injuries, with most injuries classified as minor.

Report highlights

- In 2010-2014, there were an estimated average of 30,289 fireground injuries experienced each year by U.S. firefighters.
- The majority of firefighter injuries were sustained by career firefighters (79% of the total), with volunteer firefighters experiencing 21 percent of injuries.
- Overexertion/strain was the leading injury cause (26% of injuries), followed by exposure to hazard (21%). Other leading causes of injury were slip/trip (13%), contact with object (13%), fall (11%), and struck or assaulted by person, animal, object (7%).
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**Firefighter Fireground Injuries by Cause of Injury,
2010-2014 Annual Averages**



*Contact with object (firefighter moved into, onto)

**Struck or assaulted by person, animal, object



NFA's Managing Officer Program

Captain Dave Stebor is currently attending the National Fire Academy's *Managing Officer Program* in Emmitsburg, Maryland. This program is a multiyear curriculum that introduces emerging emergency services leaders to personal and professional skills in change management, risk reduction and adaptive leadership.



The Managing Officer Program helps students, as a first- or mid-level officer/supervisor, jump-start professional development early on in their career or volunteer service. The students will build on foundational management and technical competencies, learning to address issues of interpersonal and cultural sensitivity, professional ethics, and outcome-based performance. On completion of the program, the students will:

- Be better prepared to grow professionally, improve their skills, and meet emerging professional challenges.
- Be able to embrace professional growth and development in their careers.
- Enjoy a national perspective on professional development.
- Understand and appreciate the importance of professional development.
- Have a network of fire service professionals who support career development.





Captain Stebor is taking *Transitional Safety Leadership and Applications of Community Risk Reduction* this year.

Lieutenant Alex Magallon of Bremerton Fire Department is also in this program. He was in attendance at the end of October.

