

# **CKFR WEEKLY**

CENTRAL KITSAP FIRE & RESCUE

**JANUARY 31, 2020** 



## NEW REHAB UNIT FINAL INSPECTION

The CKFR family is eagerly awaiting the new grantfunded Rehab unit. CKFR members -- AC Jay Christian, VFF Judy Henneman, EVT-Lead Joe Eberle and Captain Sullivan just completed its final inspection and sent pictures of the long awaited Light, Air, Rehab Unit.



#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### February 2

Groundhog Day Will Punxsutawney Phil sees his shadow?

#### February 10

BOC Meeting Admin Building 4:00

#### February 14

Valentine's Day "Will you be my Valentine?"

#### February 17

Presidents Day Office Closed

#### February 24

BOC Meeting Admin Building 4:00





Perhaps the most anticipated upgrade to this rehab is a full bathroom facility for crews to utilize at extended scenes.

Thanks for all the hard work Rehab Committee!!













# Custom Arrow XT Chassis PUC Pumper

Here's the latest photo report on our new fire engine! The cab has been painted its final color and the main body has been welded together.

Our mid-build inspection is scheduled for February 19 & 20, with final inspection expected to be March 24 through 26.

A-Shift Firefighter Brad Shearer was recognized for his work as a student mentor at Woodlands Elementary this week.

Over the years, FF Shearer has worked with numerous kids at this school.

Thank you Brad for your service to the community and these students!



Keri Willis (mother), Justin Jaramillo and Firefighter Shearer











# Nacho Day or is it Station 41 and Students Day?

LT Chris Bigelow, AO Amanda Rohr, FF Brad Shearer, PPM Jesse Graham and FF Jamie Monroe joined 1st, 3rd, and 4th graders during lunch at Esquire Hills Elementary School last week.

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### **Girl Scouts**

Led by CKFR Paramedic/Scout Dad Mark Johnson, and three other volunteer Scout Leaders, CKFR had the privilege of helping teach basic first aid and outdoor wilderness training to five Girl Scout Troops (43 girls!) over the weekend.

The scouts ranged from 2nd grade through 12th. Nice job everyone!

Next... Bring on the CBCKIES!!!

## Safety Commmittee...

Our Safety Committee recently had its first meeting with newly elected members. Your Safety Committee is comprised of AC Christian, Lt Giannobile, AO Tesch, Denton, Atkinson, and Fye. The term for Safety Committee members is one year.

AC Christian - Chair Lt Giannobile - Notes AO Tesch - Data collection and categorization

Aside from reviewing KRMG's and associated documents we discussed some goals that we have collectively come up with for 2020 and beyond.

Goals: Collect data (current and historical) to be put into a database and categorized to recognize trends with the hope to come up with preventative measures and implement new best practices when applicable.

Review Safety Committee SOP's every meeting. Update SOP's when necessary and to stay informed on our responsibilities.

Submit a monthly, relevant message from the committee to the members at the end of every month for the upcoming month. Topics could include seasonal safety reminders, safety committee specific updates, etc.

Inform the members on how to contact the committee and what to expect from the committee.

As the year goes by and these goals are worked on we will keep you informed with our progress.

To contact the safety committee for an issue or idea simply type an email and send it to safetycommittee@ckfr.org. You will get a confirmation that your email was received and once your subject is discussed by the committee the outcome will either be addressed with you personally or globally as it is sent to the entire membership.

If you have any further questions reach out to us via the email address included in this message or find a member to ask directly for informal questions.

-Carl Tesch / Apparatus Operator - Rescue 64 - B Shift



Central Kitsap Fire & Rescue is one of the largest emergency service providers in Kitsap County, responding to over 8,000 emergency calls per year. The District spent two years developing a Capital Facilities Plan that identified station projects to improve community safety and create a healthier work environment for firefighters.

If you are part of a group or organization that would like to receive a presentation, or would like to sit down and learn more about the fire district over a cup of coffee, please contact Serena Prince at (360) 447-3569 or sprince@ckfr.org to schedule a time with Chief John Oliver.

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