



The Hydrant

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OUR MISSION

The mission of the Millington Fire Department is the protection of life and property from the adverse effects of fires, medical emergencies or exposure to dangerous conditions through fire suppression, rescue, disaster preparedness, fire prevention and community education.

The members of this department, working together, will provide a professional and caring environment that is fair, honest, and ethical and that treats all individuals with respect and dignity.

DEPARTMENT UPDATES

The department provided an EMS tent at the Flag Freedom Fireworks display.

Chief Graves attended the TN Fire Chief Association Conference.

Ambulance and dispatch agreements with Shelby County have been updated.

BC Starnes conducted boat training on the Mississippi River.

Chief Graves met with Millington School Administration on traffic routes for the new school year.

CALLS OF SERVICE

TRAINING

Incident Type		Training type	Hours
Fire	14	EMS	0
Overpressure Rupture	0	Driver/pump operations	0
Rescue/EMS	192	Extrication	.5
Hazardous Conditions	2	Fire Suppression	23.5
Service Calls	14	Haz-mat	5.5
Good Intent	18	Safety	2.5
False Alarm/Call	13	Special Operations	14
Severe Weather/Disaster	0	Other	0
Special	0	Supervisory	0
Totals:	253	Totals:	46

Community Involvement

- Thank you to the chamber for recognizing the first responders and providing lunch.
- The Department installed 2 smoke detectors this month.
- Upon Request the Department is willing to give tours and provide fire prevention materials to individuals within the city limits of Millington. Please contact our administration office to schedule an appointment.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

The Admin Office will be closed the following dates
9/1 Labor Day
11/11 Veterans Day
11/27 & 11/28
Thanksgiving

Quiz

- 1.What is the difference between forward and reverse lay?
- 2.What is the difference between shuttling and relaying?
- 3.What class/type hydrant is illegal to pump off?

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UPCOMING AUGUST EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES

Michael Ward 3yrs
Kate Wilke 8yrs

UPCOMING AUGUST EMPLOYEE BIRTHDAYS

Matt Rogers 8/3
Todd Stafford 8/17
Chad Swysgood 8/3
Alec Webber 8/28

Answers to Quiz questions:

1. Forward lay- You are laying the hose from the hydrant to the pumper
Reverse lay- place the pumper at the hydrant way from operations
2. Shuttling- carries the water to the pumper supplying the water
Relaying- places a pumper at the hydrant pushing water through a supply hose to the other pumper supplying water
3. Class C or red top hydrants