Hales Corners Fire Department



2009 Annual Report

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Honorable Village President Board of Trustees Members of the Police and Fire Commission Citizens of Hales Corners

It is my pleasure to present the 2009 Hales Corners Fire Department Annual Report. Once again, your fire department has made tremendous strides in the areas of emergency response, training, disaster preparedness, fire and life safety. As you will see in this document, the men and women of the Hales Corners Fire Department have one goal in mind, which is providing the best levels of customer service possible.

The department responded to 942 emergencies during the 2009 calendar year. This is a decrease of 28 emergency responses, which represents a one(1%) decrease in emergency responses from the previous year. The following pages will categorize these responses.

Fire department committees are established for the benefit and safety of department personnel. The committees include EMS, training, sunshine, safety and health, apparatus and equipment, uniform and clothing, and public relations. Personnel have dedicated and volunteered a significant amount of time for the improvement of the department and safety of personnel.

I am most proud of all of our firefighters and I thank them all for the excellent job they do. They contribute many hours of training to enable them to respond to fire and medical emergencies and to perform in an extremely professional manner. Spouses and families of our personnel are commended for the tremendous amount of support and compassion they give to our firefighters. I am also very proud of the community in which we serve. The support and appreciation shown to us by our citizens, business owners and visitors is deeply appreciated.

Sincere thanks to the elected officials and the residents for your continued support in 2009. Without your continued support, our delivery of emergency services would be greatly diminished during these tough economic times. We are very proud of the lifesaving and property preservation services that we provide to the community.

Respectfully Submitted

Michael A. Jankowski Fire Chief

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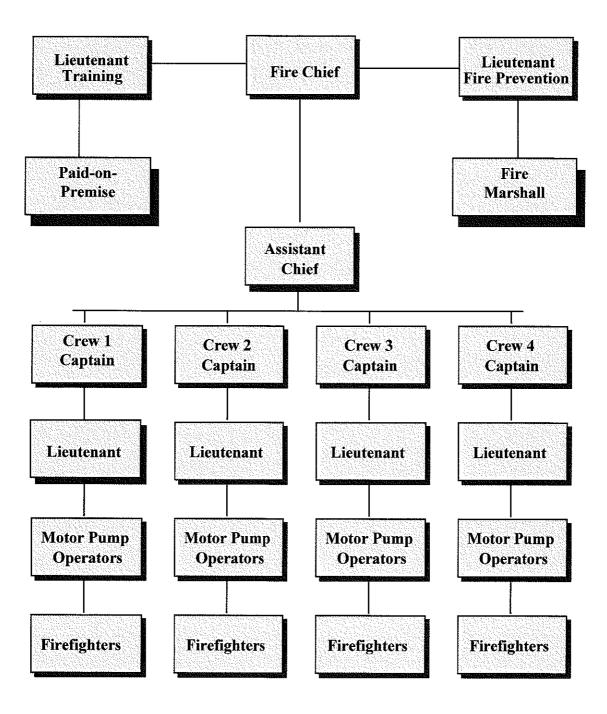
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Hales Corners Fire Department Organizational Chart



Hales Corners Fire Department 2009 Personnel Roster

Name	Rank	Hire Date	Years of Service
Peter R. Jaskulski	Assistant Chief	04/27/81	28
Kenneth G. Buhrandt	Fire Marshall	09/18/72	37
Robert T. Stollenwerk	Captain	07/19/82	27
Roy T. Stollenwerk	Captain	11/01/83	26
David W. Pansch	Captain	04/23/86	23
Phillip F. Pratt	Captain	09/18/00	9
Gary L. Bruski	Lieutenant	02/03/97	12
Roger W. Lohr	Lieutenant	07/13/98	11
Tavis A. Schmid	Lieutenant	02/01/99	10
Patrick H. Chenery	Lieutenant	04/10/06	3
Martin E. Freibergs	Lieutenant	08/03/91	18
Nicholas J. Schreiber	Lieutenant	06/26/06	3
Gerald E. Grzesk	MPO	06/03/70	39
Paul Topczewski	MPO – only	05/04/87	22
Daniel D. Rickert	MPO – only	06/11/88	21
Brian T. Schoenleber	MPO	09/01/87	22
Andrew J. Smith	MPO	10/15/01	8
Paul D. Sporleder	MPO	10/07/02	7
Steven E. Coyne	MPO	07/08/02	7
Luke M. Rozmarynowski	MPO	07/10/06	3
Wes V. Guajardo	MPO	01/30/06	3
David J. Vander Molen	MPO	07/10/06	3
Bryan E. Nash	MPO	09/20/04	5
Patrick Cory Conway	Firefighter	07/28/03	6
Joanne M. Chenery	EMT	11/14/05	4
Lori Coyne	EMT	12/12/05	4
Eric R. Saidler	Firefighter	04/10/06	3
Heather A. Graham	EMT	07/10/06	3
James Hughes	Firefighter – only	01/08/07	3
Eric M. Muehlbauer	Firefighter	08/27/07	2
Douglas R. Clark	Firefighter	05/17/08	1
Sarah M. Constantineau	EMT	05/17/08	1
Thomas E. Kralovetz	Firefighter	05/17/08	1
Jason R. Mitchell	Firefighter	05/17/08	1
Adam J. Kooi	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
Robert A. Sackett	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
Matthew E. Napreilla	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
Jason D. Hagensick	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
Nick D. Larson	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
James J. Spranger	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75
Ian R. Wolfe	Firefighter	05/11/09	.75

Hales Corners Fire Department 2009 Personnel Roster

Paid – On – Premise Staff

Name	Rank	Hire Date	Years of Service
Shawn P. Ganser	Firefighter	01/14/2008	2
Timothy Saidler	Firefighter	01/14/2008	2
Jeremiah Bradley	Firefighter	01/14/2008	2
David Friesema	Firefighter	01/14/2008	2
Melissa Janson	Firefighter	07/01/2008	1
Terry Bell	Firefighter	08/0320/09	.5
Octavio J. Villarreal	Firefighter	08/03/2009	.5

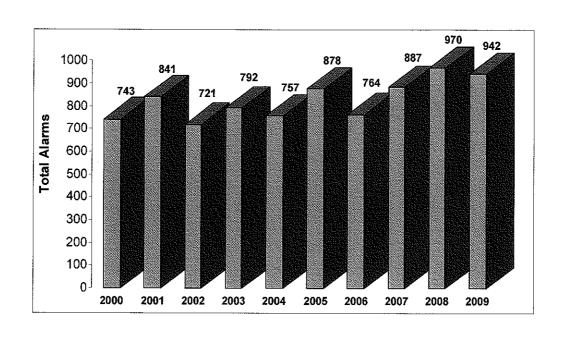
Retirements and Resignations

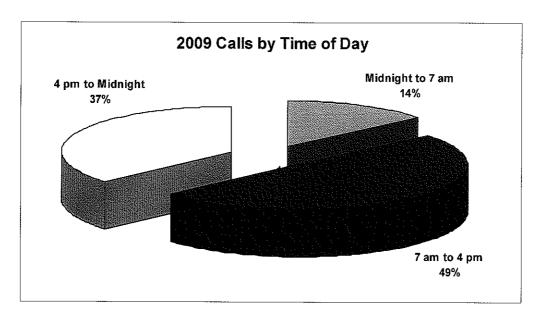
Name	Rank	Hire Date	Resignation- Retirement Date	Years of Service
Kelly D. Condon	Lieutenant	04/01/85	03/01/09	24
Scott A. Miokovich	Lieutenant	09/13/99	01/19/09	10
Jenna V. Ladowski	Firefighter	08/27/07	06/15/09	2
Brandon T. Callow	Firefighter	10/08/07	12/17/09	2
Zachary Clark	Firefighter	01/14/08	04/15/09	2
Adam Remmington	Firefighter	01/14/08	05/12/09	2
Charles H. Schmidt	MPO	03/23/72	07/10/09	37

2009 Budget

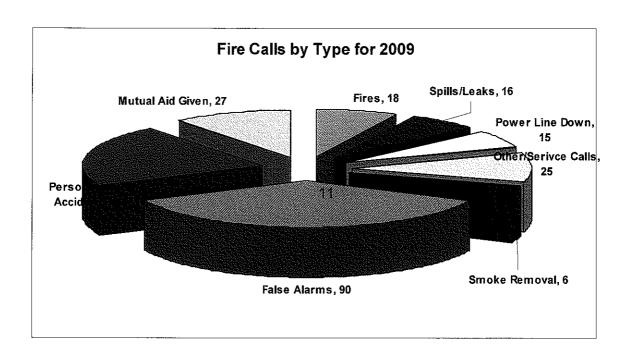
Account	2009 Budget	Expenditures
Postage	\$550	\$548
Office Supplies	\$1900	\$1,243
Fuels/Lubricants	\$9,500	\$7,134
Equipment Repairs	\$17,000	\$18,508
New Equip/Tools	\$4,000	\$3,123
Telephone	\$3,200	\$3,502
Dues/Publications	\$2,200	\$2,338
Conf/Training	\$6,000	\$4,807
Auto Allowance	\$400	\$71
Utilities	\$19,500	\$15,879
Building Maintenance	\$6,000	\$4,752
Radio Comm Repair/Maint.	\$5,000	\$5,218
Contr Serv Programming	\$3,700	\$633
Contr Serv Medical	\$6,000	\$5,927
Contr Serv Amb Billing	\$12,500	\$10,930
Medical Supplies	\$7,000	\$7,550
Fire Equipment Supplies	\$7,000	\$8,316
Photo Copier	\$400	\$32
Computer Maintenance Supply	\$3,250	\$2,243
P&F Comm – Recruitment	\$1,500	\$691
Transfer to Equip Replacement	\$19,000	\$19,000
Hazardous Materials Program	\$3,600	\$3,367
Unclassified	\$500	\$2,146
Salaries - Permanent	\$178,059	\$176,604
Salaries - Temporary	\$220.000	\$250,272
Holiday Pay	\$7,549	\$7,401
Sick Pay	\$0	\$4,848
Vacation Pay	\$11,427	\$11,614
FICA	\$31,597	\$32,888
WRS	\$45,955	\$39,898
Life/STD	\$840	\$822
Health/Dental	\$56,312	\$53,747
Uniform	\$11,000	\$6,608
WRS Equalization	\$16,000	\$15,992
Employee Recognition	\$2,250	\$2,250
Total	\$720,689	\$730,902

Revenue		2009 Budgeted	Amt Received
2% Dues Reimbursement		\$19,995	\$19,921
Highway Response Fees		\$30,000	\$24,900
Inspection Fees		\$18,000	\$18,480
Ambulance Fees		\$160,000	\$175,326
	Total	\$227,995	\$238,627



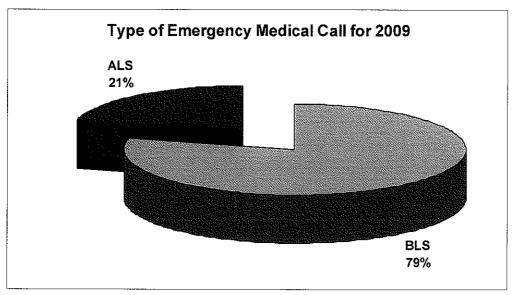


Time of Day	Fire Calls	Rescue Calls	Total
Midnight to 7 am	23	109	132
7 am to 4 pm	86	378	464
4 pm to Midnight	90	256	346
	199	743	942



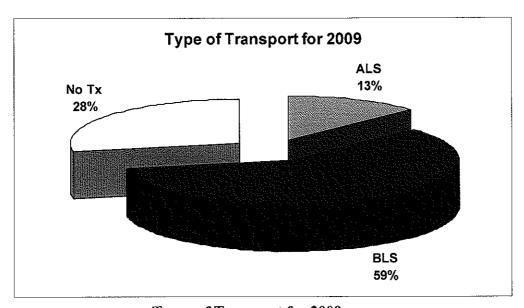
Fire Calls by Type for 2009

Fires	18
Spills/Leaks	16
Power Line Down	15
Other/Service Calls	25
Smoke Removal	6
False Alarms	90
Personal Injury Accidents	53
Mutual Aid Request	27

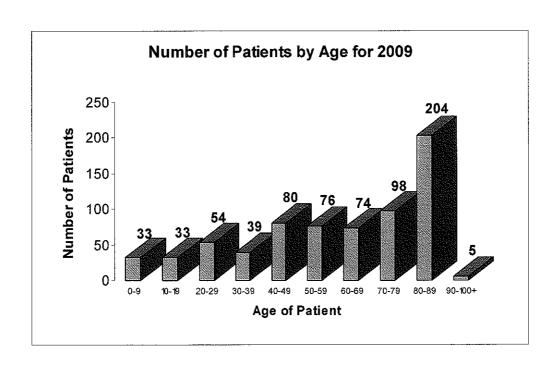


Types of Emergency Medical Calls for 2009

BLS 590 ALS 158 TOTAL 748



Types of Transport for 2009
BLS 441
ALS 98
No Transport 209
TOTAL 748



Fire Inspection and Code Enforcement

The Fire Inspection Bureau is tasked with visiting each and every public building and apartment complex twice per year to ensure that the employees, employers, and the general public that utilize these areas are safe from fire. The fire inspector surveys each building for fire code compliance and any unsafe acts that could lead to a fire or other circumstances which may need to be referred to the building inspector, health department or other village departments. Each building regardless of its type is inspected to see that:

- ✓ Fire extinguishers are mounted properly, easily accessible, in operating condition, and are inspected annually
- ✓ Exit lights operate properly
- ✓ Exit pathways are clear and unobstructed
- ✓ Exit doors open and are not blocked
- ✓ Surge strips and extension cords are used properly
- ✓ Fire alarms are operating properly
- ✓ Smoke detectors are present and working
- ✓ Sprinkler systems are operating properly and inspected annually
- ✓ Proper storage of gasoline and other flammable liquids

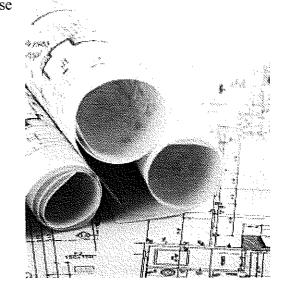
The above is only a small sample of what the fire inspector is looking for to ensure that all applicable state and local fire codes are adhered to. The administrative staff along with the Building Inspector and Fire Chiefs from Greendale and Greenfield have continued working on the proposed fire code, which is anticipated to be adopted mid 2010. With the adoption of this code, current standards used industry wide will be enforced as our current code dates back to the 1970's.

Plan Review

New developments and building construction are outlined below. The Hales Corners Fire Department worked with the developers to ensure that the best fire protection and detection systems were applied to these new public use

buildings.

- Forest Home B.P.
- ❖ Hales Corners Veterinary Clinic
- ❖ Bethesda Thrift Shop
- Confucius House
- ❖ Auto Body Express / Car Star
- Hales Corners Municipal Building
- Forest Ridge Apartments



Fire Prevention and Public Education

History

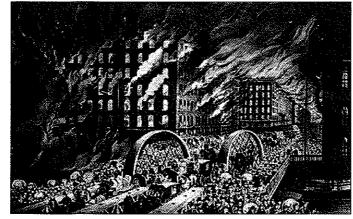
The history of National Fire Prevention Week has it roots in the Great Chicago Fire, which occurred on October 8, 1871. This tragic conflagration killed some 300 people, left 100,000 homeless and destroyed more than 17,000 structures. The origin of the fire has generated speculation since its occurrence, with the fact and fiction becoming blurred over the years. One popular legend has it that Mrs. O'Leary was milking her cow when the animal kicked over a lamp, setting the O'Leary barn on fire and starting the spectacular blaze. However the massive fire began, it swiftly took its toll, burning more than 2000 acres in 27 hours. The city of Chicago quickly rebuilt however, and within a couple of years residents began celebrating their successful restoration and also memorialized the anniversary of the fire with festivities.

Long overshadowed, the City of Peshtigo in northern Wisconsin suffered a greater tragedy that very same day suffering a loss of 2,400 square mile (1.5 million acres) along with an estimated 2,400 people who died compared with only 300 deaths in Chicago.

Intending to observe the fire's anniversary with a more serious commemoration, the Fire Marshals Association of North America (FMANA), the oldest membership section of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), decided that the 40th anniversary of the Great Chicago Fire should be observed not with festivities, but in a way that would keep the public informed about the importance of fire prevention.

When President Calvin Coolidge proclaimed the first National Fire Prevention Week, October 4 - 10 1925, he noted that in the previous year some 15,000 lives were lost to fire in the United States. Calling the loss "startling", President Coolidge's proclamation stated, "This waste results from the conditions which justify a sense of shame and horror; for the greater part of it could and ought to be prevented... It is highly desirable that every effort be made to reform the conditions which have made possible so vast a destruction of the national wealth".

NFPA continues today to make National Fire Prevention Week a priority and counts on the participation and efforts of tens of thousands of fire and safety professionals, emergency volunteers, and other individuals working to reduce the risk of fire and the toll it takes on our society.



Today

Equally important is the role of public education. Each year the Hales Corners Fire Department takes the message of fire prevention and home safety out to the community with various programs designed to educate all age groups.

Traditionally public education is viewed as the fire department visiting schools in October to teach the kids STOP-DROP-ROLL. While this is true, the Hales Corners Fire Department has defined public education programs to focus on various age groups.

October is our busiest time of year. In 2009, members of the fire department brought the message to over 1,100 children and 110 adults from pre-school through fifth grade. Our fire prevention is a tiered approach which builds on the previous year's material presented at each grade level. This ensures that the children get to see something new every year while reinforcing what they've learned in the previous years. Our programs touch on:

- ✓ Seeing a firefighter dressed in his protective gear
- ✓ Seeing a fire truck and handling a fire hose
- ✓ STOP-DROP-ROLL
- ✓ Crawling low in simulated smoke
- ✓ Having an escape plan
- ✓ Having a meeting place
- ✓ Checking smoke detectors
- ✓ Checking the home for fire hazards
- ✓ Survive Alive house for hands on practice

Schools are not our only focus for fire prevention and education. The Hales Corners Fire Department partners with Forest Ridge Apartments to deliver our fire prevention program, fall prevention program, and emergency medical program.

The fire prevention and education program also coordinates the presentation of our material at several outdoor events such as: Culvers Safety Day, Sentry Safety Day, and Fourth of July events, National Night Out, Aurora Health Fair, Baskin Robins Scoop Night, Whitnall Homecoming Parade, Delivering Santa Claus and Delivering Fire Prevention with Rosati's Pizza in addition to fire station tours and birthday parties. The Public Education events outside of the fire prevention program at the schools reach over 2,000 children and adults throughout the year. We strive to expand our interactive public programs in an effort to educate children and adults and to answer any questions they may have.

As the Mission Statement for the Hales Corners Fire Department reads, 'it is through our members that we provide effective fire prevention'.



Training and Education

January:

Safe driving program introduction.

SOG administrative review covering response guidelines.

Introduction of the Stryker power cot and Ferno stair chair units obtained for the new 612 and replacement for 610.

February:

Continued introductory training on the new Ferno stair chair and Stryker power cot with video programs used, followed by numerous hands on drills.

New ambulance 612 was shown and personnel looked through it.

New 612 taken out for driver practice, reviewed driving skills, discussed operation of emergency controls, and operational procedures in the rear patient compartment.

Lt. Schrieber presented an overview power point program on the fire alarm and smoke detector at Plum Tree Apartments.

Zone D fire departments hosted a combined training on ambulance safe driving operations.

The course used materials from the National Safety Council and the course was titled "Coaching the Emergency Vehicle Operator". Training was held at HCFD.

FF's Vander Molen, Kralovetz, and Muehlbauer are enrolled at MATC attending Fire Inspector class every Monday evening from 1730 to 2130 hours.

MPO S. Coyne is enrolled at WCTC attending the Fire Officer 1 class.

FF S Coyne, Kralovetz, Ladowski, Bradley, E. Saidler, and Sporleder attended a seminar at WCTC titled "The Art of Reading Smoke."

Lt Freibergs attended the Certified Public Manager two day course on public management and budgeting by the UW-Madison CPM department.

March:

Coaching the Emergency Vehicle Operator continued in the Zone D fire departments. Utility 620 review of electrical operations for the interior command and resource area. BLS 610 and 612 received new child car seats and staff was trained in the proper installation and use of these seats in the ambulances.

Training on the King LT-D airway which replaces our Combitube airway including the power point and video with additional product overview was provided.

Training provided on the new 612 in regards to radios.

2009 annual gear check was completed and a list made with what new gear is needed when AFG funds are obtained.

EMS protocols were reviewed on patient restraints and trauma updates from Milwaukee County EMS.

The new stair chairs were modified with proper lifting handles and staff was introduced to their use with numerous hands on drills.

FF Graham is enrolled at MATC attending the Haz Mat-operations class every Monday from 1300 to 1600 hours.

FF Kralovetz and Lt Schreiber are enrolled at MATC attending the Fire instructor class every Wednesday from 1800-2200.

EMT Steve Prusinski returned to the department as an EMT only. Training focused on reactivating him and reviewing HCFD policies and procedures.

The Zone D confined space team training took place at Oak Creek WE Energies plant. Staff took a tour of the facility which occupies 3 sq miles.

FF Graham and Callow are enrolled at MATC attending the Firefighter level 2 classes every Wednesday evening from 1800 to 2200 hours.

April:

Utility vehicle 620 review which included: MSA meter calibrations, light tower setup and operation, generator connections to support utilities, and awning setup.

EMS drill relating to blood pressure techniques including: manual, palpation, and NIBP. Introduction to the new arrival of Greendale Truck 4 including operations and overview. HC aerial operators operated a ladder placement drill, placing a red cone tied to the aerial ladder onto 4 roof top locations, done to sharpen accuracy and visual placement.

CEVO course continued.

Review of extrication equipment and operational techniques on the rescue / extrication equipment on engine 605.

Chris Mol of the Medical College of Wisconsin presented the annual blood borne pathogen training.

Driver Operator staff reviewed foam operations for E601 and E605.

Fire and EMS staff worked to sharpen report writing skills through scenarios.

FF Kralovetz attended "Pride and Ownership" in Beloit with FDNY Chief Salka as presenter.

May:

DuoDote Auto-injector program and medical intervention for Fire and EMS staff during a suspected chemical incident (DuoDote injectors replaced the previous Mark 1 injectors). MABAS SOG's were presented and discussed.

AFFF (foam) delivery on Class B fire utilizing the 10 year old stock of product in storage at HCFD.

Engine company hose line advancing operation drill.

Cpt. Bob Stollenwerk, MPO's Coyne, Grzesk, Schmidt, and Guajardo attended the driving simulator at the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office Training Academy under the direction of AC Pete Jaskulski.

E605 had the 5" supply hose tested and staff repacked this in conjunction with water supply operations held at Greenfield FD. Water flow operations took place in the Root River Parkway using Greenfield FD's new aerial platform and trained in maintaining water flows. Staff participated in the demonstration of a new cutting saw blade that HCFD is looking into Eight new staff members joined the department and began recruit class orientation spending Monday evenings in quarters completing paperwork and setting up gear. The class then switched to Wednesday evenings to run the 6 week recruit school.

June:

HCFD staff members trained on MSA facepiece washing/cleaning/maintenance issues that have surfaced from our annual face piece fit testing.

Members were instructed in the operations of the newly acquired metal cutting blades for the extrication engine saw.

Staff trained in the newly acquired foam suppression product called FireAid 2000 which replaced the former AFFF product carried on E601 and E605.

New recruits trained on the Forest Ridge Senior complex.

Sizing for new firefighting gear being ordered based on the FEMA awarded grant; 31 replacement sets are being ordered.

New Recruits (Kooi, Spranger, Napriella, Hagensick, Larson, Carstedt, Sackett, and Wolfe) were in attendance for their recruit class which covered a variety of information every Wednesday evening.

Lt Freibergs, FF's Callow, Kralovetz, Muehlbauer, Nash, and Janson were trained with St. Francis and Cudahy FD staff at an acquired vacant dwelling in the City of St. Francis. Rapid Intervention Team operations were drilled on.

July:

Haz Mat awareness: propane emergency program from the Chemical Safety Board, identifying the explosion at the Little General store in West Virginia that killed EMS and firefighting staff.

Compact fluorescent lighting fire hazard recognition was presented.

Roster updates for WARDS registration.

MABAS run card book updates and review of large scale incidents.

EMS hazard identification when responding to battery / assault calls.

Firefighting tactics when operating off of a ladder truck including handling high-rise 2 ½ hose lines and carrying the "New York" and "Denver" packs.

HEPA mask blood borne pathogen fit testing compliance for 2009.

EMS changes to lancets for diabetic testing kits, new pulse ox meters and new BP kits for the BLS units.

August:

Administrative operations overview presented by Chief Jankowski.

Staff participated in the Forest Ridge Millennium addition final walk through including hose layouts in the hallways, water supply operations and tactics/objectives for fire suppression. Meeting the AFG requirements -new gear safety and product literature awareness, NFPA 1851 and 1971 applications to the new HCFD gear.

Fire suppression hose layout drill and ladder company operations.

September:

Engine company water supply operations, 800 MHz radio rebanding, and new gear distribution.

Haz Mat Operations-presented by MATC-Zone D combined training.

Haz Mat decontamination operations review, decon tent setup, and atmospheric metering equipment review (calibration and operations).

Lt. Freibergs attended Fire Officer 2 classes presented by MATC at WAFD. Class runs every Thursday from 1800 to 2100 hours.

Lt. Chenery attended Fire Officer 1 classes presented by WCTC at New Berlin FD. Class runs every Thursday evening from 1800-2200 hours.

Lt Freibergs attended UW-Madison Certified Public Manager class regarding Budgeting.

Lt. Freibergs attended the UW-Madison Certified Public Manager class regarding Labor and Collective Bargaining Agreements.

Lt. Freibergs participated in the underground/aboveground storage tank continuing education seminar held at Kenosha FD, presented by the Wisconsin Department of Commerce.

October:

Haz Mat Operations-presented by MATC-Zone D combined training.

Truck company operations regarding search and rescue operations in large retail establishments-i.e. SCBA barrel maze.

MATC presented the EMT-Refresher course held at HCFD with Greendale and Greenfield attending.

Lt. Freibergs attended and completed the Trench Rescue Technician class hosted by Oak Creek FD and delivered by the S.T.A.R.T training group and CIVMIC Insurance. Trench rescue training will be provided in 2010 to HCFD staff to meet MABAS 107 operational criteria.

Zone D Confined Space training at the Franklin Pumping Station located at St. Martins Road and Forest Home Avenue. This quarterly drill reviews and performs Confined Space Rescue operations.

Lt. Schreiber attended the annual Wisconsin Fire Inspectors Association conference.

November:

EMT-Refresher - presented by MATC at HCFD with Greendale and Greenfield FD attending.

December:

EMT Refresher – presented by MATC at HCFD with Greendale and Greenfield FD attending.

Haz Mat operations class (concludes the course that started in September). Zone D Confined Space team quarterly meeting and training.



EVERYONE GOES HOME

Recognizing the need to do more to prevent line-of-duty deaths and injuries, the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation has launched a national initiative to bring prevention to the forefront. In March 2004, the Firefighter Life Safety Summit was held in Tampa, Florida to address the need for change within the fire and emergency services.

TRAINING TOPIC	2008	2009
Administrative - new hire orientation	192.0	308.0
Blood borne pathogens	34.0	21.5
Confined Space (awareness/operations/Zone D)	64.5	44.0
Defibrillation / CPR	45.0	78.0
Driver Operator Pumper (601/605/MATC)	416.0	3.0
Driver Training BLS	52.0	172.0
Driver training 620/CP1	0.0	45.0
Driver training Emergency Vehicle Operations	24.0	165.0
Driver Operator Aerial (608/MATC)	283.0	4.5
EMT Class	0.0	0.0
EMT Advance skills (Albuterol, Aspirin-chest pain,		
Combitube, DNR, Epi-Pen, Glucometer)	218.5	197.5
EMT Refresher / misc. skills	207.0	848.50
EMT First Responder	65.0	0.0
Engine Co Hose layout	218.0	159.0
Engine Co Water supply operations	166.0	212.75
Extinguisher	0.0	0.0
Fire Inspector	0.0	151.5
Fire Instructor	0.0	76.0
Fire Officer	230.0	168.75
Firefighter 1	0.0	0.0
Firefighter 2	158.5	40.0
Gear check / HEPA fit test / MSA fit test	15.5	123.50
Haz Mat (awareness/operations/Zone D)	71.0	498.25
National Fire Academy: ISO / Arson Investigation	30.0	14.0
HIPPA	0.0	15.5
MAYDAY	225.0	13.0
Meters 4 gas PID	52.0	0.0
MSDS Material Safety Data Sheets	0.0	0.0
NIMS / MABAS	63.5	11.5
Officer development	193.5	28.0
Physical agility/CPAT/combat challenge	24.0	0.0
Pt. assess, lifting, packaging, transport, restraints	65.5	367.5
PI Accident BLS operations	165.0	0.0
PI Accident Engine Co operations	41.5	20.0
Power saws (K650 K950 Stihl Sawzall)	164.5	29.0
Preplan FDC's sprinklers building sizeup	105.5	71.0
Probationary Exam - EMT	4.0	14.0
Probationary Exam – Fire	28.0	41.0
Report writing	34.0	28.0
Ropes and knots	19.0	0.0
SCBA / SCBA air management	167.5	0.0
SOG Rules and Regulations	85.0	80.5
Tactics and strategy	147.0	72.0
Truck Co. search-rescue/forcible entry/ventilation	172.0	43.0
Truck Co Ladders/Roof ladders/Aerial operations	89.5	115.0
Vacant dwelling: hose/ladders/S&R/vent/live fire	56.5	44.0
Water rescue (open water/ice rescue) TOTAL:	173.0 4565.50	0.0 4323.75

2008 Training hours represents a 8% increase over 2007 training hours 2009 Training hours represents a 5% decrease over 2008 training hours

Hales Corners Fire Department Fleet Inventory

One of the most frequent compliments paid to members of our department is the extremely clean and well kept appearance of both our apparatus and the fire station. Visitors are often impressed at the condition of our apparatus and are impressed to learn the high level of use. The fact is, members of our department take great pride in taking care of both the apparatus and the station and respect the fact that we proudly take on the task of maintaining the equipment that belongs to the citizens of Hales Corners. Below is a list of our current apparatus and their condition:

ID#	Years of Service	Year and Vehicle Type	Model and Manufacture	Condition	Anticipated Replacement Date
601	3	2006 - Pumper	Seagrave Concord	Excellent	2036
604	4	2005 - Utility	Chevy Silverado	Good	2015
605	11	1998 - Pumper	Pierce Saber	Good	2028
			Seagrave		Refurbish
608	19	1990 - Quint	Friendship 75	Fair	2011
609	3	2006 - Car	Chevy Impala	Good	2016
610	7	2002 - Ambulance	Ford / Horton	Good	2014
612	1	2009 - Ambulance	Ford / Medtec	Excellent	2020
620	4	2005 - Command	Chevy Van	Good	TBD
621	8	2001 - Car	Ford Crown Victoria	Fair	2014



2009 Ford Medtec Ambulance

The Fire Fighter's Creed



When I'm called to duty god wherever flames may rage give me strength to save a life whatever be its age

Help me to embrace a little child before it is too late or save an older person from the horror of that fate

Enable me to be alert to hear the weakest shout and quickly and efficiently to put the fire out

I want to fill my calling and to give the best in me to guard my neighbor and protect his property

And if according to your will
I have to lose my life
bless with your protecting hand
my children and my wife

This page is dedicated to the memory of all the fallen firefighters who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty.