



Saint Leonard Volunteer Fire and Rescue, Company 7

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Hello Neighbors and Friends,

The Officers and Members of the St. Leonard Volunteer Fire & Rescue Co. 7 Inc. (SLVFD) hope this letter finds you and your family healthy and safe. This spring and summer have been busy for the 100% volunteer membership at SLVFD. Since January 1st SLVFD has been dispatched on over 1900 calls for service and we are PROUD to report we continue to have a 100% response rate.

During the spring and summer of 2022 at SLVFD:

- we placed in service a 27' Boston Whaler Rescue Boat after hours of training by the membership.
- we had a successful return of our Junior Fire Camp, the camp gave incoming 5th - 8th graders experience as a fire and rescue professional. The campers were provided with knowledge in fire safety, fire suppression, taught life lessons in teamwork and perseverance and every camper was certified in CPR.
- we continued to work with our apparatus vendors to prepare for the delivery of the new apparatus that will be coming this fall and early next year.
- we continued to support the community by participating in fire prevention and other community outreach programs such as supporting Camp Sheriff.

These accomplishments are just a snapshot of our busy spring and summer.

The St. Leonard Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad is one of the last **TWO** 100% volunteer Fire, Rescue and EMS departments remaining in Calvert County and remain dedicated to serving the community. We are always recruiting new active and administrative members; membership applications are available online or at the station. All training is provided free of cost with many additional benefits for being a volunteer. The success of our department is made possible by both our active membership and the amazing generosity and support of our community and for that support we want to say a huge thank you. Below are upcoming fundraising and community events to mark on your calendars:

- St. Leonard Vol. Fire and Rescue Open House October 1st 12 pm - 4 pm.
- Texas Hold 'em October 8th, November 12th and December 10th.
- 3rd annual Boo Thru October 29th, trunk or treat and movie in the field.
- Kids Bingo November 5th.

We know that with your generous support, these events will be a huge success.

Finally, as always, we want to give thanks for your kind donations. These contributions allow us to purchase much needed equipment to further upgrade our Fire, Rescue and EMS capabilities to help ensure the best emergency response and patient care possible. Donations also help us obtain specialized training, host community events, and support the cost of running an efficient, effective, and well-equipped 100% Volunteer Fire, Rescue, and EMS Department. The contributions from this past fund drive helped update and equip our rescue boat with new navigation equipment, a FLIR thermal camera and updated emergency and scene light package. Donations from this fund drive will directly go towards purchasing of the most up-to-date equipment for our new apparatus and cardio/fitness equipment. Donations can be sent via Venmo (@stleonardvfd) or by using the QR code below. You can also visit our website and click on the Green "Donate Today" button. As always, any donation amount is greatly appreciated. Most importantly, we are PROUD to serve the citizens of Southern Calvert County and the surrounding communities.

Respectfully yours,

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