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City Time Capsule Unearthed

The Historical Society and the City of Murrieta unearthed their 25-year time capsule at Fire Station 1, last Tuesday. Retired Battalion Chief Pat Jennings, Captain Martinez and crew were able to remove the safe from its metal box with ease in front of 80 guests who came to see it's unearthing.

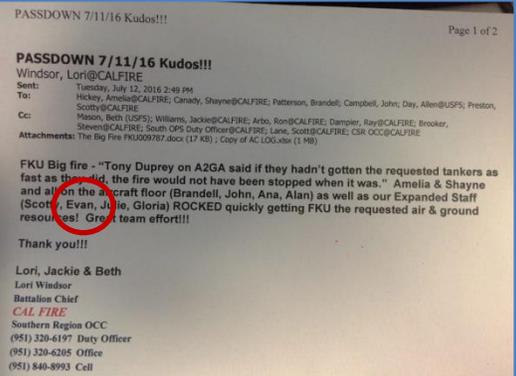
After 25-years underground, a majority of the contents were presented with no water damage and will be on display in the Heritage Room at the City Library for public viewing. Thank you to all who helped to make this event successful. - Dawn



Steve Kean Awarded Chamber Firefighter of the year

In the **QUEUE**

- CAD Visit Riverside: July 20
- CAD Visit Yolo Co: Aug 4
- Riverside Chiefs: July 21
- Entry-level testing: medic skills July 19-20
- HazMat FRO: July 21
- Explores' Academy: Week of July 25
- Lessons learned from the I-Street Fire – Carlsbad: Aug 2
- National Night Out: Aug 2



Captain Tiss - Memo of Appreciation



TRAINING – Captain Sean DeGrave

15 barriers to effective leadership in the fire service

Lack of discipline and mentoring hurt departments, according to surveyed firefighters - *By Kim Alyn - April 23, 2010*



I conducted a survey with a variety of departments and a variety of positions in the fire service. I asked what the respondents thought were some major barriers to effective leadership in the fire service both up and down the chain of command. I got some interesting responses and some of them were consistent from department to department. As you'll see, many of the barriers to effective leadership are prevalent in most fire departments across the United States. I am sure you'll recognize some of these issues in your own department. As you read the responses, think about how some of the issues could be addressed in your department. Think about what you as a leader could do to prevent these barriers or what you could do to remove the barriers that already exist.

Below are the fifteen most common answers the respondents gave (in no particular order):

1. The "us against them" mentality. This is the management against labor mentality that exists in pretty much every fire department. As a leader, this is going to be something that you need to address as you attempt to build the bridge between management and labor, especially in unionized departments.



As our Department continues to grow and develop, it is important to remember how valuable we are as a group. It is important to remember that we are stronger as a group than we are as individuals. I have often pulled this article out to remind myself how easy it can be to focus on the negative aspect of our job or our current task. This article also reminds me of how easy it is to turn the other way, and wait for someone else to get involved and make the change. As we continue to make strides in creating structure for our succession planning and professional development standards, it is incumbent to all of us that we take personal responsibility in the future of this organization. As we face or stumble across these common hurdles or barriers, remember that strong leadership and motivation will carry us through. - Sean



EMS Coordinator – Jennifer Antonucci

REMSA 2016 CQI Indicators Report

Indicator	Definition	Quarter 4 - 2015	Quarter 1 - 2016		
CAR-2	Cardiac arrest with ROSC (ALS First Responders, ALS Transport Providers)	23.3%	26.8%		▲
CAR-3	Cardiac arrests survival to ED discharge (Base Hospitals)	37.6%	34.7%		▼
CAR-4	Cardiac arrests survival to hospital discharge (Base Hospitals)	14.5%	17.6%		▲
CAR-5	Percentage of cardiac arrest patients transported to a hospital (ALS Transport Providers)	57.9%	57.4%		
CAR-6	Cardiac arrests survival to hospital discharge with CPC score of 1 or 2 (Base Hospitals)	7.9%	15.0%		▲
STEMI-1	Missed STEMI (Base Hospitals)	1.6%	2.4%		▲
STEMI-2	Scene time for STEMI patients (ALS Transport Providers)	15:47(m)	14:09(m)		▼
STR-2	Glucose testing for stroke patients (ALS Transport Providers)	82.7%	88.1%		▲
STR-3	Scene time for stroke patients (ALS Transport Providers)	10:07(m)	12:50(m)		▲
STR-5	Direct transport to Stroke Center (ALS Transport Providers)	96.1%	96.9%		▲
STR-6	Cincinnati Stroke scale done on stroke patients (ALS First Responders, ALS Transport Providers)	93.7%	95.7%		▲
EDU-1	Public CPR Classes offered (ALS First Responders, ALS Transport Providers, Base Hospitals, BLS/CCT Providers)	102	76		▼
EDU-2	Number of public trained in CPR (ALS First Responders, ALS Transport Providers, Base Hospitals, BLS/CCT Providers)	902	1727		▲
TF-1	Code 3 notification to REMSA (BLS/CCT Providers)	100%	100%		▲

Image Trend

- Corona Fire is live on Image Trend now
- Riverside City is next to live, anticipated early August
- MFD is continuing to work on the CAD integration
- Train-the-trainer classes will be held by REMSA in August. Dates are TBD
- Anticipated MFD training will be in September
- Goal for Riverside County is to be live with all agencies and providers by January 1, 2017

TXA Trail Study in Riverside County

- 95 incidents of TXA given appropriately in the field
- Study will continue through March 2017, and could possibly be extended 12-18 months

Clinton Norton, Andy Stang and Derrick Dellinger had a full arrest on 7/8; the patient had return of spontaneous circulation (ROSC) with full baseline neurologic functions! Excellent pre-hospital care!!

Compliance with reporting				
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
ALS First Responders	100% (7/7 reported)			
ALS Transport Providers	85.7% (6/7 reported)			
Base Hospitals	100% (6/6 reported)			
BLS/CCT Providers	66.7% (6/9 reported)			

Equipment & Facilities – *BC Steve Kean*

- Station-1: Training room; obtaining additional bids on carpet
- Station-2: Bids being sought for fence completion near courtyard
- Station-3: A/C unit repaired
- Station-4: No activity
- Station-5: Plymovent install scheduled for July 22



SAFETY/HEALTH – *Captain Eric Ackerman*



After the terrible shooting in Dallas, I feel that it is important to emphasize the importance of all of us practicing sound situational awareness. Whether we find ourselves on a large fire or a simple lift assist we must always remember that we have to remain alert and aware for individuals who would try to hurt us. Tragically, one concern we must be mindful of is the fact that when we are in our Class B uniform we can be mistaken for police officers. Our brothers and sisters in law enforcement are unfortunately often the target of this hate and for our members' safety it has been recommended that we wear our "Murrieta Fire Department" T-shirts in public rather than our Class B uniform shirt (other than for events at City Hall). This will hopefully help our members stay out of the attention of the sick individuals who would seek to hurt or kill us.

Knowing this, we must also be very patient and understanding with the law enforcement officials we work with as they are under a great deal of additional stress in these trying times and it is crucial that we support the law enforcement community and our officers in any way we can.

PREVENTION – *Fire Marshal Jason Briley*

Week of July 11 - July 15, 2016

Volunteer Cadet Inspector Program Coming Soon...I'm proud to announce the FPB will be rolling out a cadet program by the end of 2016, please see initial description below of an exciting program that's had much success in multiple jurisdictions throughout Southern California and will assist our growing fire prevention bureau in elevating the high level of customer service to this community. Purpose of Program - The Volunteer Cadet Inspector Program provides on-the-job fire prevention training to fire science students and fire academy graduates. The program prepares participants to serve the community as regularly employed fire inspectors.

Program Description – Volunteer Cadet Inspectors assist the Fire Prevention Bureau with on-site inspections; assist with investigation of complaints relating to fire hazard conditions; assist in computer entry and researching data; and perform other volunteer duties as assigned, depending upon each individual's capabilities. Participants are expected to volunteer eight (8) hours a week on a scheduled basis.

What are the prerequisites? – In order to be considered for the program, applicants must be 18 years of age; be enrolled in Fire Science courses and/or a graduate of a recognized fire academy; be willing to work eight (8) hours a week on a scheduled basis; possess a valid California driver license and have a good driving record. A current ten-year DMV printout will be required with application.

• Final Fire	05
• Pre-wire	01
• B2 Inspection	00
• Overhead Hydro	03
• Rough	04
• Sprinkler	04
• New Submittals	05
• Resubmittals	02
• <u>Plans Check</u>	<u>23</u>
• Total	42



Engineer's Exam was completed last week...Chief's Board – July 21.

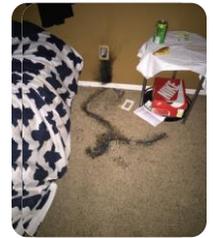


Eagle Scouts (lead: Thomas Hiten) placed pavers and benches in front of Station #1 Sgt. Williams



Wow – guess which future MFD member was voted "Best Dressed" in High School...

Jackson Ave, Building #9 / Cresta del Rio



Battalion Chief 6305 and all Murrieta units were dispatched to a multi-family structure fire with sprinkler activation. As fire units were responding, another call came in for a second structure fire in Station 3's first response area. A decision was made to start CAL FIRE to the second incident. The sprinkler system extinguished the fire in the Jackson incident (a box in a garage).

The Cresta incident damage was limited to what can be seen in the photo (cause: an altered power cord).

Truck 1 Responded to a Rescue – July 9, 2016

Photos courtesy of Joe Fanaselle



Recruiting New Firefighters...Engine 3 Curran, Nelson, Ackerman



FIRE FLEET – Noah “The Mechanic” Praytor

- **T 1 in service**
- **T 2 OOS – engine overhaul**
- **E 2 in service**
- **E 3 OOS on July 19/20 (AC service)**
- **E 4 OOS/Reserve (air conditioning)**
- **E 5 in service**

- **E21 in service Station #4**
- **B 2 in service (OOS July 21 A/C)**
- **B3 OOS**
- **B5 in service (OOC July 25-28; P/M)**
- **OES in service**
- **R5 in service**



Marina Fire
PIO living on the edge! - Corelli

On July 12, 2016, Truck 1 responded to assist with a vehicle fire in the parking lot of Walmart. Upon arrival, they found a single car fully involved with additional vehicles threatened.



They initiated a fire attack and quickly obtained knockdown. The involved vehicle was determined to be a total loss with no additional damage to nearby vehicles.

Murrieta: Fire Crews Return Home after Assisting with the Deer Fire in Kern County



Deer Fire Report
Inland Empire Sports & News

by **THE NUMBERS** – Dawn Morrison

July 4 – July 10, 2016

OPERATIONS

- 61 EMS
- 02 Fires
- 02 Motor Vehicle Accidents
- 05 Hazardous-No Fire
- 06 Public Assistance
- 07 Beeping Smoke Detectors
- 06 Police Assist
- 28 Cancelled Calls
- 02 False Alarms
- 15 Miscellaneous
- 146 Total Calls



EMS CALLS ONLY

- Call Processing Time (Secs): 35
- Turnout Time (Mins): 1:12
- Travel Time (Mins): 3:59
- Total Time to Arrival (Mins): **5:46**

FIRE CALLS ONLY

- Call Processing Time (Secs): 54
- Turnout Time (Mins): 1:02
- Travel Time (Mins): 4:32
- Total Time to Arrival (Mins) **6:28**