

Foster Center Volunteer Fire Company

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The December 8, 2014 monthly meeting of the Foster Center Volunteer Fire Company was called to order at 7:05 PM by President Christine Hanson. There were 15 members present.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted. The monthly statistical reports are posted on the kitchen bulletin board. There were a total of 24 calls for the month of November.

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted showing a grand total cash amount of \$27,730.08.

Committee Reports

Ways & Means : Balance in the checking account is \$571.83. The total profit for the Turkey Bingo was \$3,095.51 after all the bills for the Turkey Bingo were paid.

Building : The hot water furnace has been fixed.

Fire Alarm & Communications : Everything is fine.

Rescue Captain : Engine 3 ALS is getting there. We are waiting for medications still. Moosup Valley Fire Department is holding an EMT class in January. Let Bill Paul know if you would be interested. There is a \$100.00 deposit required up front for each student.

Training : Going well.

Leagues : Nothing to report.

Engineering Board : Effective immediately only the Fire Chiefs will be issuing burning permits. The police station will no longer be handling these permits.

Equipment : We now have new lapel mikes on radios on the trucks. We have received 3 so far.

Chief Engineer : Nothing to report.

List of Candidates : Congratulations to Kyle Ryan Joyce who is now a probationary member of the Foster Center Volunteer Fire Company.

New Business : The Christmas Party will be held on January 31. Location will be discussed at the January meeting. Chief Marsland would like to purchase sweatshirts for the active crew. We will need a minimum of 12. Sue will look into it in January.

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Sue suggested a fundraiser with the 1 month calendar system. Would like to start in March and we need to start getting donations. We will discuss this more at the January meeting.

Sue and Sal Sr. talked about doing events to get the community involved. One idea was the trunk or treat.

Bills & Communications : A motion was made, seconded, and passed to pay the bills which totaled \$3,083.69.

Remarks for the good of the Department : Great job on the Turkey Bingo and thanks to everyone for working so well together.

Adjournment : A motion was made, seconded, and passed to adjourn the December 8, 2014 meeting at 7:52 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara Canuel
Recording Secretary