YOUR VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION





A REMINDER FROM THE CHIEF

Please remember to check your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors expiration dates according to the manufacturer's specifications. Doing so helps reduce the number of false alarms we respond to and enhances your safety in an emergency. Our members are dedicated to assisting the residents of Smithtown whenever you need us. We take great pride in our role within this community and appreciate any contribution you can make to assist us. We thank the Smithtown community for their continued support!

Chief Timothy J. Duckham

FIRE SAFETY TIPS

DON'T FORGET ABOUT YOUR

SMOKE DETECTORS

When the time comes to Spring Forward or Fall Back don't forget to change the batteries in all of your smoke detectors.

BEWARE OF CARBON MONOXIDE

Carbon Monoxide is an odorless, colorless and potentially lethal gas. Protect your family with carbon monoxide detectors.

ADOPT A FIRE HYDRANT

Remember to keep your nearest hydrant clear of cars, snow, vegetation & debris. This will allow firefighters to easily access the hydrant in times of emergency.

REMEMBER TO POST YOUR ADDRESS CLEARLY

Precious minutes can be lost when we can't locate the address of an emergency. Post your house number clearly on your mailbox or home.



VISIT OUR WEBSITE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT US WWW.SMITHTOWNFD.ORG

FOR NON-EMERGENCIES

631-265-1503

FOR FIRE OR AMBULANCE

911 OR 631-265-1500



JUST LAST YEAR...

In 2023, our volunteers responded to 4,474 alarms. Maybe you saw us while we were responding to a motor vehicle accident, extinguished a fire or crossed paths with us at the local restaurant resetting an alarm. Perhaps our medical personnel were in your area assisting the needs of your neighbor. We are your volunteers. We are always there answering the call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Take a look at 2023 by some of our response numbers:

3070 MEDICAL EMERGENCIES
215 MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS
570 SMOKE DETECTOR ALARMS
102 OVERNIGHT FIRE EMERGENCIES
75 ALARMS ON HOLIDAYS
114 REPORTED STRUCTURE FIRES
1189 TOTAL FIRE RESPONSES

HOW TO HELP...

Return the enclosed envelope with your tax deductible donation or visit **smithtownfd.org/funddrive** to donate by credit card. For less than 9 cents a day you can donate our suggested \$30 a year.





2024 SERVICE MILESTONES



FRED FRIEDMAN

50 YEARS
OF SERVICE

45 YEARS
MICHAEL FELICE

40 YEARS
WILLIAM SNAK
HELENA SONNENBERG
FREDERICK HAUSLE

35 YEARS
NICHOLAS KEFALOS
JOHN L. HARFORD
RICHARD TORRE, JR.
RICHARD KONDENAR







CHRISTMAS PARADE

LITHIUM ION BATTERY SAFETY TIPS

- DO NOT KEEP CHARGING THE DEVICE BATTERY AFTER IT IS FULLY CHARGED.
- STOP USING BATTERY IF YOU NOTICE THESE PROBLEMS: ODOR, CHANGE IN COLOR, TOO MUCH HEAT, CHANGE IN SHAPE, LEAKING OR ODD NOISES.
- DO NOT PUT LITHIUM ION BATTERIES IN THE TRASH OR DISCARD IN PILES.
- STORE BATTERIES AWAY FROM ANYTHING THAT CAN CATCH FIRE.

HELP OUR FAMILY HELP YOURS, FOR PENNIES A DAY