



Huntingtown Volunteer Fire Department And Rescue Squad, Inc.



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Hello to our NEIGHBORS and FRIENDS of Huntingtown Volunteer Fire Department (HVFD):

As everyone is well aware, we are in unique and unprecedented times. Our Country has not been faced with such a challenge since the second world war. We know that everyone may be facing challenging circumstances and uncertain times ahead, and hope everyone is healthy and safe. We pray for the sick and offer condolences to those families that have lost loved ones.

For the first time in many years HVFD has decided against taking the Corvette Campaign on the road as well as canceling Bingo for the rest of the year. Both of these programs play a significant role in subsidizing our yearly budgetary needs and assist in paying down our building expansion that was completed in 2006. While the County does provide us with funding, which is primarily for operational activities, we need to hold fundraising events to help offset any shortfall in our budget.

Unfortunately, the business of firefighting and emergency care goes on...each one does not care about pandemics. *They will always be with us.* Since the pandemic began, HVFD has taken additional steps in our EMS and firefighting procedures and protocols to ensure the safety of our members and those that call upon us. Like most businesses, we have fixed costs and while we remain diligent in our expense management, we can only do so much to adjust our spending. Equipment, medical supplies and vehicles must be maintained, replenished or replaced, so when called upon we have the necessary tools to assist. It is mandatory of our members to continually update their knowledge with books and hands on training to provide you with the highest care possible. Our members take pride in sharing fire prevention measures to children by visiting schools and day care centers and distributing hand-outs. We also provide information to our seniors and assist them with installation of smoke detectors. As always, our primary mission is to protect the citizens and property of Huntingtown as well as our mutual aid neighbors.

If, during these trying times, you are able to help us help you, it would be greatly appreciated. Your donation may be made by using the enclosures or simply by going to our website at www.hvfd6.org If not, we will always appreciate your good thoughts and wishes. We look forward to seeing you soon at one of our future fundraising events or Open House. If you are interested in becoming an EMT or Firefighting volunteer, come talk to us or complete the application by clicking on "Join The Department" on our website. We would love to have you join the HVFD family. To stay up to date with our news and events, check us out on our website at www.hvfd6.org or follow us on our Facebook page.

Stay safe and healthy.

Respectfully yours,


Timothy Clark
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All Volunteer - All The Time !