



FIREHOUSE NEWS

WINDHAM TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE CO.

FALL 2023

TRUNK OR TREAT

Windham Township Volunteer Fire Co. held their second Trunk or Treat on October 30th 2022 from 2-4 PM at the station. There were 11 car trunks decorated on a warm and sunny day. Trophies were given for the top 5 decorated vehicles. First place went to Emily Soden and Chester the dinosaur dog. Many visitors enjoyed popcorn and drinks while voting for their favorite trunks. Adults could enter to win door prizes donated from Lowe's. October is fire safety month so children could touch fire trucks and see firemen dressed up in full gear. Smokey the Bear brought fire safety materials for the children.



TRUCK/EQUIPMENT

Dept 19 purchased a 2000 six man enclosed cab Pierce fire truck to replace their oldest vehicle which needed repairs. It has a 750 gallon water tank, generator and more compartments for tools.

The ATV was fitted with a new water tank, pump and hose.

The EMS Squad is now a certified QRS unit by the PA Dept of Health. Volunteers are welcome to come and be trained to help save a life. Contact Kelly Pakes for more information.



E-CYCLING

E-cycling took place on April 13th 9:00 to noon at the station. React from Horseheads, NY brought a large truck that was filled. Those bringing items were asked to give a donation to the fire company. A full list of items accepted can be found online at react-e-cycling.com/accepted-products-2.



GEAR DRYER

PVC pipe was cut and assembled to build a framework to hold the firemen coats, pants, gloves and boots. A fan allows cool air to pass through the pipes and dry the gear quickly without using damaging heat. Lowe's in Sayre, PA supplied the material.



Scan QR Code for a full list of accepted items.

Want event reminders in your inbox?
Send your email address to wtfvc@cableracer.com

FUNDRAISER SCHEDULE FOR 2024

- February 18 – Breakfast, 7-10am
- March 17 – Breakfast, 7-10am
- April 21 – BBQ, 11am-1pm
- May 19 – BBQ, 11am-1pm
- June 16 – Cars & Cones, 5-8pm
- July 28 – Bedrock Cruise-in, 9am-4pm (Rain or Shine)

- August 18 – BBQ, 11am-1pm
- September 22 – BBQ, 11am-1pm
- October 20 – Breakfast, 7-10am
- October 27 – Trunk or Treat, 2-4pm
- November 17 – Breakfast, 7-10am
- E-recycling – The date and time to be announced





CARS AND CONES

There was a good turnout for Cars and Cones held on June 24, 2023 from 5 to 8pm. In addition to ice cream there were hot dogs and sloppy joes. The night was perfect for people to relax, see cars and visit with friends. Join us next year on Father's Day, Sunday, June 16, 2024.

TRAINING

A program on autism was held for first responders on Jan. 18th at the Communications Center in Towanda, PA. The goal was to help responders recognize people who have autism and how to deal with their special issues. It was presented by Gerald Turning Jr .

Vehicle Rescue classes were held at the Windham station and LeRaysville station. Numerous vehicles were supplied by Huckles from Waverly, NY for hands on practice to extricate accident victims. Bradford County sponsored the 40 hour course. Tad Soden, Steve Shave, John English, Nate Simons and David Pakes completed the course.



BEDROCK CRUISE-IN

The 18th Bedrock Cruise-in was held July 30th at the station. A new field setup allowed parking for 166 show vehicles. The Chinese auction was inside the station with plenty of items donated by businesses and individuals. The WTVFC thanks everyone for their support and Lois Goodwin for organizing the Chinese Auction. The Bedrock Diner once again served Chicken BBQ dinners, fresh cut French fries, sloppy joes, funnel cakes and ice cream. Emily's Weiner Wagon had breakfast sandwiches outside for those who wanted breakfast. There was a 50/50 drawing before the awards. 32 awards from local business ad sponsors were presented. Creative Sound (Bette Weaver) played favorite tunes all day.



Interested in becoming a member or helping with fundraisers?

Contact a current member or leave a message at the station: 570-247-1392

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION

Keep this portion for your records.

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RETURN SLIP

Once again it is time for our annual support drive. A large portion of our funding comes from community donations. Please fill out the bottom and return with your donation before January to receive your 2023 tax credit. Thank you.

Check Amount: \$20.00 \$30.00 \$40.00 \$50.00
 Other \$ _____

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