

**Bethel Volunteer Fire Dept.**

**April Meeting**

**April 5, 2012**

**Roll Call**

**Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Moment of silence for departed members**

**January Mins.** Read and accepted

**Treasures Report:** Read and accepted

**Officers Report:** Car 1,2,3,6, Lt. Ryan and 2<sup>nd</sup> Chief Schaad attended

Please remember to follow the proper channels for events

Do not do radio checks during a call

Please keep signing up

Change for the duty officers - there will be one assigned every night

Eng. 5 specs have been submitted to the town hall for funding

EMS specs have gone out to bid for the contract

New schedule for the upcoming drills is being worked on and will be posted

Good Luck to Jon Pileggi and Dan Bishop who are testing tonight for their fire certification

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**EMS Report:** Congrats to Patrick McCann passed his EMT test

Thank you again to all who have continued to sign up for coverage

Make sure that you list the medic on the reports

Help is needed for the EMT practical on May 17

Asking for help May 3<sup>rd</sup> for the Olympics

**LOSAP:** No report

**Entertainment Report:** Picnic in July

**Fund Drive Report:** The printer has the final draft

**House Committee:** Work was done by everyone on the rotation

**Museum Committee:** No report

**Parade Committee:** Receiving invitations to attend

**Room Committee:** No report

**Sickness & Accident:** 2 reports are being reviewed

**Christmas Trees:** No report

**Truck Committee :** Engine 5 the specs have been submitted to Town Hall

**CT Fireman's Association:** No report

**Uniform Committee:** Ed Bruey wants the uniforms back to make any changes get ready for May

**Public Relations/Fire Prevention :** No report

**Board of Directors :** Mins. were read and accepted Normal Course

**New Members Voting:**

Michael Allegretto 19 yes 2 no

Christopher Berry 16 yes 5 no

**New Readings**

**Syed Haider - take normal course**

**Maread McDonald- take normal course**

**Bills against the Co.** Pay them

**Unfinished Business:** Phil Valenti changes to the by-laws By-laws have been amended- report accepted. Lay over for 1 month

**Correspondence:** Letter from Link Hurgin request to retire effective May 4 he is moving out of state

**Parade Committee:** List of parade invitations were read and the company voted to do the following parades: Bethel, Brewster, Bridgewater and Katonia Motion was made to post these parades Motion accepted

Chris McCollum wants a band to march with the company in the Bethel Parade

Marshall Sanford suggested the Germantown Ancient Band

**New Business :**

**Good and Welfare :** Brendan Ryan organized a boot drive to raise money for a 4 year old with cancer \$6000.00 was raised and the monies were taken right over to the family that evening.

Thank you to everyone who helped

**Housekeeping:** April - Bruce Cornwall, Mike Delosantos, Ben Gerstenmier and Eunice Kennedy