

EKFA
Minutes of Regular Meeting
7-18-07
Louisa VFD

Attendance

Officers: President Mark Hammond, Sec/Treas Duane Suttles

Directors: Paul Jobe

Members: Louisa- Ron Pope, Randy Hall, Billy Hall, Josh Greene, Mack Wilhite, Steven Wilburn.

Fallsburg- Paul Jobe, Rachel Jobe, Sandy Jobe, Mollie Jobe. Grayson- Duane Suttles.

Cannonsburg-Mark Hammond, Blake Hammond. Catlettsburg- Rusty Armstrong. Wurtland- Jack

Steele. Webbville- Jeremy Marcum, James E. Slone, James B. Slone. Lowmansville- Tom Dancy, Richard Lowe.

Guests: None

1900: Meeting called to order by President Hammond.

Pledge of Allegiance

Devotional prayer

Meeting in recess for meal/fellowship

1940: Meeting resumed

Roll Call: 2 officers, 8 departments and 20 members.

Secretary Report:

Secretary Suttles read the minutes of the previous meeting held at Grayson VFD, May 16th. Motion and second to approve minutes as read. Carried w/o opposition.

Treasurer Report:

Treasurer Duane Suttles presented the financial statement and current financial status of the association. Motion and second to approve treasurer report as read. Carried w/o opposition.

Old Business

Duane Suttles gave an update on the EKFA website and reminded everyone of the sites address www.eastkyfirefighters.com

Suttles entertained discussion concerning the status of the BBQ grill. Grill is in need of some repairs to make it burn propane better. Alan Hood of Cannonsburg has made several improvements to the grill, including converting 1 side to charcoal. The charcoal side was tried out at the last EKFA meeting and at the Daniel Boone fire school and it worked well. Propane burners are in need of overhaul. Motion and second to spend finances to repair problems with the BBQ trailer. Passed w/o opposition.

In the absence of VP Ison, discussion held concerning the Safer Grant committee. Member Paul Jobe advised no one has contacted him to have a meeting. President Hammond said he would contact Dave Ison to move along with the safer grant application.

New Business

President Hammond discussed new regulation set by the fire commission requiring new firefighters after July 1, 2007 to obtain 24 hrs Hazardous Materials training prior to certification.

Training was discussed in lieu of a fall fire school. Hammond advised he would set up a weekend training schedule for this fall, spread out around the region. Some subjects would include Haz Mat Ops and Technician, Vehicle Rescue, survival/rescue and Flashover.

Good and welfare

Jack Steele reported that the Greenup Fire Assn will be having its county fire school in September.

Membership thanked the hosts for a meal of chicken.

Blake Hammond was the recipient of a Miniature desk helmet given away as attendance prize.

2045: Meeting adjourned by chair.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Duane Suttles", written over a horizontal line.

Duane Suttles, Secretary