



February 2019 Report of Department Operations

"Performing Collectively to Provide Exemplary Services for Our Community with Integrity and Pride"

Highlights from the Month

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Training for the Month

Cold Weather Emergencies

February 6 - 8 2019

Deputy Chief Stewart reviewed emergencies relating to cold weather and ice rescue.

Members then reviewed the ice rescue equipment carried on the apparatus.



Training for the Month

LEPC Orientation

February 06 2019

Captain Bohl serves on the Northern Kentucky Emergency Planning Committee (NKEPC). The NKEPC is a Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) incorporating the counties of Northern Kentucky. Recently, Captain Bohl attended an orientation which reviewed the duties of the committee, including communicating with businesses that use or store hazardous materials in large quantities and completing records for the state. The Meeting was held at the Campbell County Fire Training Center.



Boone

Kenton

Gallatin

Campbell

Pendleton



Training for the Month

SWAT Training - Self Defense and Tactical Operations

February 6 2019

Our SWAT Medics (McMullen and McDonald) completed self defense and tactical operations training with the Kenton County SWAT Team.



Training for the Month

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

February 11 - 12 - 13 2019

Personal Protective Equipment, or PPE, is fire gear utilized within the fire service. Each Shift reviewed the type of PPE Erlanger Fire/EMS uses, as well as its proper cleaning and maintenance. The International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) sets standards for proper donning of the gear, and in order for a firefighter to become certified, they must be able to dress in fire gear and breathing apparatus within 1 minute and 30 seconds.



Training for the Month

Technical Rescue Team - Apparatus Review

February 12 2019

Members from our Department attended a technical rescue apparatus review. When the Technical Rescue Team (TRT) is dispatched, Members from participating Departments respond and bring various apparatus. Erlanger featured Rescue 74 which contains equipment for rope rescue, trench rescue, confined space rescue, search and collapse. Alexandria reviewed Heavy Rescue 120, and Point Pleasant displayed Rescue 1374. The training was hosted by the Alexandria Fire Department.



Training for the Month

Paramedic Refresher

February 7 - 14 - 21 2019

Hebron Fire Protection District hosts a six-week training course that encompasses various instructors in the medical field, teaching paramedics different topics. These topics are necessary for recertification, and our On-Duty Crews are able to attend using the “Gotomeeting” application at our Stations.



Paramedic Refresher

Training for the Month



Child Abuse Awareness

February 20 - 21 - 22 2019

The Family Nurturing Center provided Child Abuse and Neglect Training for all three Shifts. They reviewed the signs of abuse and how to properly report if encountered.



Life Safety Inspections

The department performs Life Safety Inspections for all public buildings in the City of Erlanger. During a Life Safety Inspection, members meet with business representatives and check the buildings to ensure that all codes are met, proper inspections (fire alarm, sprinkler, hood suppression systems and boiler) are maintained, fire extinguishers are current and general fire hazards are recognized. If discrepancies are located, a re-inspection can be performed after the corrections are made. The department is responsible for over 600 inspections throughout the year.

Month	Completed	Month	Completed	Month	Completed
January	18	May		September	
February	58	June		October	
March		July		November	
April		August		December	

Upcoming Birthdays



March Birthdays

FF/Medic Ken Harney - March 04

FF/Medic Brian Brownfield - March 15

FF/Medic Josh Corry - March 20

FF/Medic Jeremiah Johnson - March 22

FF/Medic Jake Silvati - March 29

Upcoming Anniversaries

March Anniversaries

Deputy Chief Craig Stewart - March 1 (20 years)

Deputy Chief Rhonda Wolfe - March 6 (24 years)

FF/Medic Jake Silvati - March 6 (13 years)

FF/EMT Conner East - March 27 (2 year)

Upcoming Anniversaries

March Anniversaries

FF/Medic Brad Harden - March 27 (2 years)

FF/EMT Greg Holian - March 27 (2 years)

FF/Medic Jeremiah Johnson - March 27 (2 years)

FF/Medic Brian Brownfield - March 27 (2 years)



Member Spotlight

Randy McMullen

Randy started with Erlanger Fire/EMS as an Explorer in 1996. His dad, Mac, was a volunteer for many years and is now an Honorary Member.

Randy currently serves as a Full-Time Lieutenant on Blue Shift, Commander of the Honor Guard, Member of the Northern Kentucky Technical Rescue Team, and is a SWAT Medic for the Northern Kentucky Regional SWAT Team. He is married to Anna and they have 2 children, Aiden and Ava.



Station Work

Training Room Remodel

January/February 2019



The training room at Erlanger Station 1 has been long overdue for an update. Training Deputy Chief Stewart led the remodel which included: new tables, chairs, and an upgraded audio video system. This update will facilitate greater learning and allow Members from both Stations to communicate without being at the same Station.

Meetings Attended

- Command Staff Meeting 02 04 2019
- Recruitment/Retention Meeting 02 05 2019
- Erlanger City Council Meeting 02 05 2019
- Command Staff Meeting 02 11 2019
- Command Staff Meeting 02 18 2019
- Erlanger Council Committee Meeting 02 19 2019
- Command Staff Meeting 02 25 2019

Community Involvement and Public Education

February 9 2019



on Valentine's Day
and all year long!

Used correctly, child safety seats reduce the risk of fatal injury by 71% for infants, 54% for toddlers, and 45% for children ages 4-8.*

*from NHTSA and Safe Kids Worldwide

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KIDS**

Contact the Erlanger Fire/EMS Department to have your child's car seat evaluated for proper installation. 859 727-2488

Deputy Chief Wolfe and Firefighter Chase Autry are certified child safety seat installers. They volunteered their time at the Cincinnati Auto Expo at the Duke Energy Center to promote safety for child safety seats.



Community Involvement and Public Education

February 14 2019

We hosted Erlanger Police and their Citizens Police Academy for the class on traffic stops. Students learned what it is like to stop a car for a traffic violation.



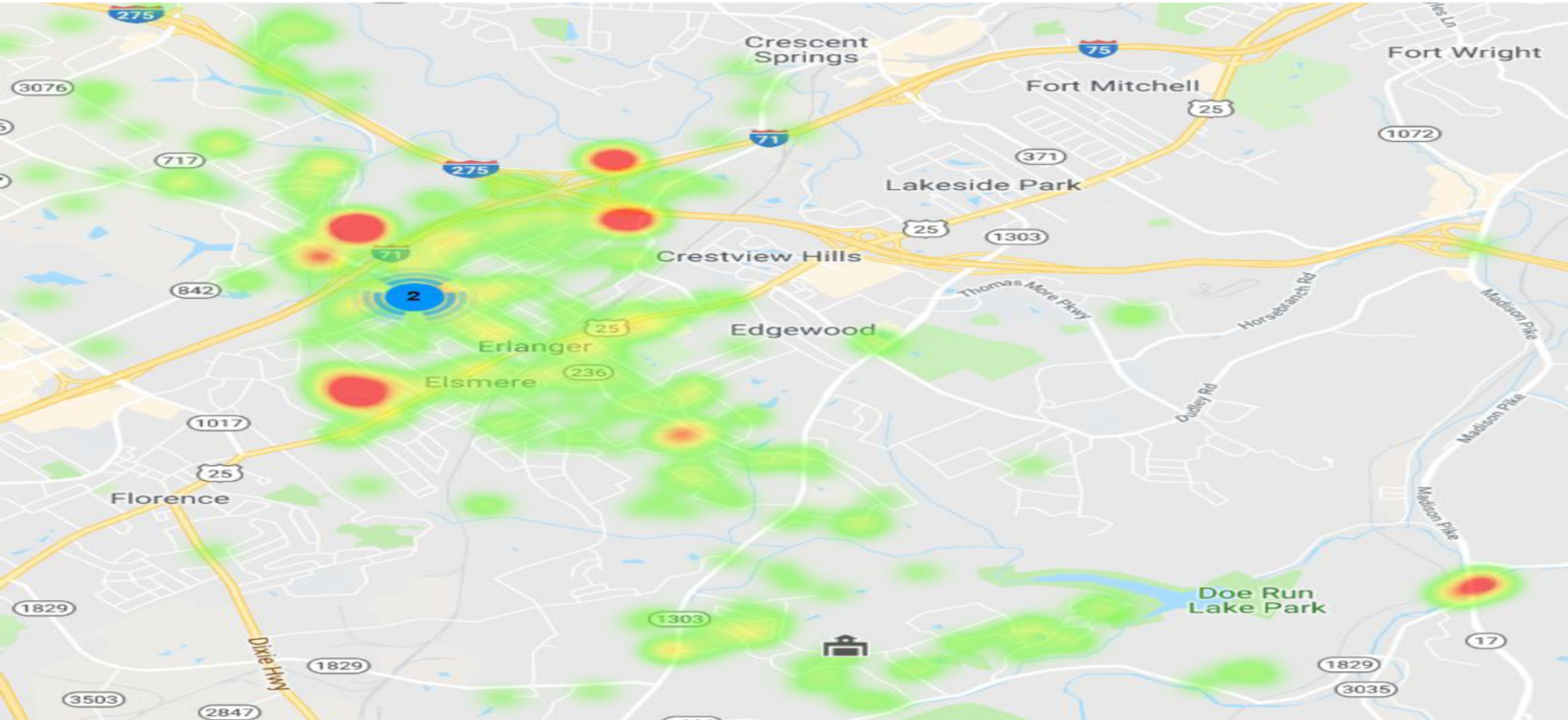
Response Activity February 2019

Unit	Station	February 2019	Year to Date
Engine 51	Central	84	178
Medic 64	Central	152	328
Engine 52	East	32	61
Medic 63	East	73	148
All Units	Citywide	341	715

Incident Activity February 2019

Division	February 2019	Year to Date
Fire and EMS	294	594

Incident Activity Heat Map ~ Location of Incidents



Upcoming Events

03 05 2019 - Erlanger City Council Meeting

Promotional Swearing In for Scott Lewis (Lieutenant) and Richard Bohl (Captain)

03 19 2019 - Erlanger City Council Committee Meeting