

# July 2019 Report of Department Operations

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

## Highlights from the Month

- Training
- Life Safety Inspections
- Birthdays and Anniversaries
- Member Spotlight
- Meetings Attended
- Community Involvement and General Information
- Sad News
- Response Activity
- Incident Activity
- Upcoming Events

## Training for the Month

### **Extinguishers**

July 3 - 5 2019

Members reviewed the different types and applications for fire extinguishers.





## Training for the Month

#### **Shift Specific Training**

**July 2019** 

With the hiring of 8 new Members, each Shift is working to get the new Members their required hours for Kentucky Professional Firefighter Certification. This certification requires 400 hours of training in numerous specific areas.







## 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 <u>550</u> inspections throughout the year.

Month	Completed	Month	Completed	Month	Completed
January	18	May	87	September	
February	58	June	35	October	
March	63	July	44	November	
April	34	August		December	

### <u>Upcoming Birthdays</u>

#### **August Birthdays**

Captain/Paramedic Justin Brinkman - August 05

FF/EMT Mark Otte - August 07

FF/EMT Ray Embry - August 25

### <u>Upcoming Anniversaries</u>

#### **August Anniversaries**

FF/Paramedic Eric McDonald - August 04 (9 Years)

FF/EMT Scott Reusing - August 12 (19 Years)





## Member Spotlight

#### Jay Kelley

Jay started with Erlanger Fire/EMS Full-Time in January 2007 after leaving the Taylor Mill Fire Department. Jay sells real estate for Simple Fee Realty. He is married to Jessa and they have 2 sons, Jayden and Jackson. Jay retired from Erlanger on July 31st.





# **Meetings Attended**

-	Command Staff Meeting	07 01 2019
-	Erlanger Council Meeting	07 02 2019
-	Command Staff Meeting	07 08 2019
-	Command Staff Meeting	07 15 2019
-	Kenton County Radio Committee	07 16 2019
-	Erlanger Council Committee Meeting	07 16 2019
-	Command Staff Meeting	07 22 2019
_	Command Staff Meeting	07 29 2019

### July 4 2019

#### Fort Mitchell - Fourth of July Parade

The City of Fort Mitchell held its annual Fourth of July Parade where Mayor Fette and Engine 53 participated.









#### July 4 2019

### **Fireworks Safety on Channel 12**

Kathryn Robinson of WKRC - Channel 12 News - reported live from Erlanger Station 1 on fireworks safety. The segment featured Captain Ric Bohl speaking about the dangers and proper use of fireworks at 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 am.



#### **July 9 2019**

#### **Lindeman Kindergarten Orientation**

Blue Shift Members assigned to Engine #51 made an appearance at Lindeman Elementary Kindergarten Orientation. The children were shown the fire engine, its equipment, and how the firefighters are there to help when needed.







#### July 15 2019

#### **Full Time Transition on Channel 9**

Paola Suro of WCPO - Channel 9 News - reported from Erlanger Station 1 on our recent transition to a Full-Time Fire Department. The segments featured Members of Blue Shift.









#### July 19 2019

### Centro Cristiano Bethel Church Blessing

Members were invited to a special blessing at the Centro Cristiano Bethel Church (Hillcrest Lane). The congregation sang and offered a special blessing to the Members that attended.

#### July 24 2019

#### **Norfolk - Southern Donation**

Norfolk Southern Railroad presented Chief Whitaker with a check for a \$1000 to purchase smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors for our community.





### Sad News

#### Mike "Meatball" Mulligan Passes

Honorary Member and Uncle of Captain Justin Brinkman, James Michael Mulligan, passed away on July 2, 2019. Mike Mulligan was a volunteer of the Erlanger Fire Department for over 20 years and specialized in operating the fire trucks. Members attended his memorial service on July 10, 2019, and our Honor Guard presented a final salute.







### Sad News

#### **Darrell Rich Passes**

Former Part-Time Member, Darrell Rich, passed away on July 16, 2019. Darrell served as a paramedic for a great many years with Erlanger and worked full time as a paramedic throughout the Northern Kentucky area. His wife, Karen, also worked as a paramedic throughout Northern Kentucky and taught paramedic class. Members attended his memorial service on July 20, 2019.







# Response Activity July 2019

Unit	Station	July 2019	Year to Date
Engine 51	Central	100	698
Medic 64	Central	151	1159
Engine 53	East	32	259
Medic 63	East	92	586
All Units	Citywide	375	2702

# Incident Activity July 2019

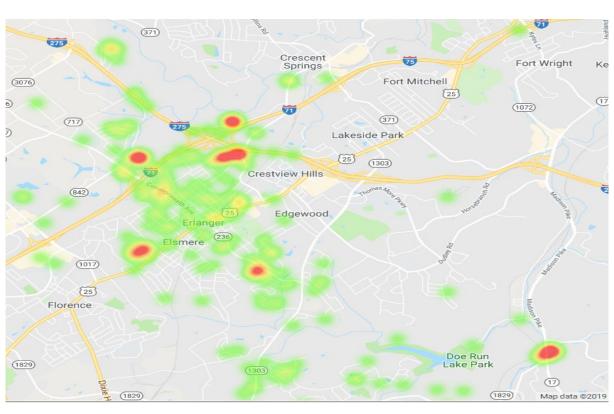
Division	July 2019	Year to Date	
Fire and EMS Total	290	2050	

## Response "Heat Map"

The darker the area ~

The higher the response rate.





### **Upcoming Events**

08 06 2019 - Erlanger City Council Meeting

08 20 2019 - Erlanger City Council Committee Meeting