



January, 2010

Monthly Newsletter

Happy New Year! This is the first issue of the new Manor Volunteer Fire Department member newsletter. The purpose of this newsletter is to keep its members up to date and informed of important news, events, and happenings of the Manor VFD. Anyone wishing to add anything to this newsletter is encouraged to do so. Please contact Brian Woy to submit something (724-244-6053 or woyb@live.com). Deadline for the next newsletter will always be the end of the current month.

The Votes Are In!

2010 Executive Officers

President – Mike Radakovich
Vice President – Al Markijohn
Recording Secretary – William S. Fink
Asst. Recording Secretary – Dawn Lynn
Treasurer – Cliff Depp
Financial Secretary – Steve Loughner
Chaplain – Vicki Mahl
Trustees – Todd Morris, Scott Cox & Tim Yost

2010 Relief Association Officers

President – Mike Radakovich
Vice President – Cliff Depp
Recording Secretary – William S. Fink
Treasurer – Al Markijohn
Financial Secretary – Steve Loughner

2010 Line Officers

Chief – Greg Stutz
1st Asst. Chief – Jeff Shoaf
2nd Asst. Chief – Henry Yost
Captain – Jeremy Dixon
1st Lieut. – Steve Gongaware
2nd Lieut. – Bob Kwiatkowski
Safety Officer – William H. Fink

Fundraising Notes

We will be having a \$1,200 Get Go gas ticket on sale this month. The price of this ticket is \$2.00. It is based on the PA lottery Daily Number drawing on Sunday, February 14, 2010. All members are encouraged to sell these tickets as the proceeds directly benefit the department. Money and ticket stubs should be turned into Al Markijohn by the due date. Anyone interested in selling the tickets should contact Al. He can be reached at 724-864-2645 or amarkijohn1@hotmail.com.

Fish Fry

The holidays have just passed, but Easter is not too far away. A reminder that our famous fish fry will start on Ash Wednesday, February 17 and continue on Fridays thru lent. All members are encouraged to help out during these events doing the various tasks involved. This event rose over \$14,000 for the department last year thanks to you.

Around the Station....

Chief Greg Stutz reports that there was a good turn out for work night on Monday, January 4th. A lot of work was able to be done. Greg also reports that a golf bash is being planned for March in conjunction with North Irwin VFD. More details to follow.

Captain Jeremy Dixon reports the new cab radios were installed in Engine 2. These radios will allow the crew to communicate to each other over the noise. The driver will also be able to talk to county 911 and move around outside the engine as the front radios are wireless.

President's Notes....

Department President Michael Radačovich reports that work is continuing on the new fire station. Design plans are being completed. Demolition of the old hall is expected to begin in April following Easter. He is also working on creating new committees for 2010.

The department has a new member. Adam Penska was voted in at the January 7th meeting. Adam has many training classes completed and should be a great addition to the department. Welcome Adam!

Important Dates

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| Monday, January 11 | 6:30pm, Safety Training, Manor Hall |
| Monday, February 1 | 6:30pm Work Night, Manor Hall |
| Thursday, February 4 | 7:00pm Monthly Meeting, Manor Hall |
| Monday, February 8 | 6:30pm, Safety Training, Manor Hall |
| Tuesday, February 9 | 7:00pm Westmoreland County Firemen's Association meeting, Greensburg #7 |
| Sunday, February 14 | \$1200 Gas Card Goes Off, Daily Number |
| Wednesday, February 17 | Fish Fry, Manor Community Room |
| Friday, February 19 | Fish Fry, Manor Community Room |

That's it for this month. Feel free to email me with your comments, suggestions, or additions.

Brian Woy