



South Kingstown Veterans Firefighter's Association

THE ABERDEEN UPDATE

ANNUAL MEETING

We had a fantastic annual meeting in June. 61 members attended and We collected \$600 in donations. It was great having Jack and Arnold from the TW Lane in Mystic as our guest speakers. A good time was had by all!

TRAILER UPDATE

Thanks to a couple of private donations, we have raised enough money to purchase the trailer. The paperwork is being processed at this moment, and it should be registered in our name soon.

Golf Fundraiser

A fundraising committee was established to host a golf tournament. The Aberdeen Open will be held on October 4th at Rose Hill Golf Course. This event sold out fast. However, we will still be looking for members to volunteer to help run the event that day. Mark this date on your calendar and we will have more information to follow.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We are excited to hear that once again, the SK Firefighters Relief Association will be hosting a Firefighter's Memorial Parade. During the weekend of the memorial, the SKVFA will also be paying tribute to Lieutenant Byron Love of the Peace Dale Fire Department by taking a trip to his gravesite in Worcester Mass. We will travel up to Lt. Love's grave on Saturday, September 27th. We will leave the Peace Dale Fire Department at 9 o'clock and go up as a group. There will be more information to follow.

On Sunday, September 28, we will escort the Aberdeen in all its glory through the parade route. We will sport our red Aberdeen T-shirts and we will walk or make accommodations for you to ride if needed. We are hoping you will join us! If you do not have a red Aberdeen T-shirt, please reach out to me. Foreman Ballou will be setting up some work details with the Aberdeen so that we can get it parade ready.

T-SHIRTS

We have new Aberdeen T-shirts on order. These are similar to the traditional red shirts that our members wear, however, they will be white with red lettering. We will be keeping our red tees for our membership to wear at events and selling the white shirts to the general public at the parade and golf tournament.

Website

Our new website is up and online. Please visit www.southkingstownvfa.com for more information.



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