



Alpine Fire Department Quarterly Report

Department Members

OFFICERS:

CHIEF: Andrew Pierce

ASST CHIEF: Charles Worden

FIRST CAPTAIN: Julie Worden

SECRETARIES: Julie Worden, Shelby Green

MEMBERS:

Alpine Fire Department currently has a roster of 15 firefighters



Equipment Updates

- We have updated our portable radios from analog only radios to a newer Motorola digital portables that allow us to communicate more effectively that we are able to program in house to save money.
- We have purchased 5 Panasonic Tough-books from Jessica Scudder to digitize fire department records, provide electronic dispatching, and allow our necessary resources such as hydrant maps to be more readily available. We will be the first in the area to do this.
- Alpine FD had a successful fundraiser on April 23rd put on by the American Legion. We raised over 2000 dollars from both the event and private donations. We plan to use this money to purchase SCBA Masks, Bottles, and other necessary equipment. Due to supply chain shortages, getting these items are delayed.



Fleet Updates

Currently 9 in service apparatus

- 3 Engines, 3 Brush Trucks, 1 Attack Truck, 1 Rescue Truck, 1 Tanker Truck

All brush truck pumps were recently serviced by Daco Fire Equipment out of Lubbock by a certified EVT.

City Yard has serviced several of our vehicles.

Ladder truck still OOS, looking at replacements.



Notable Events



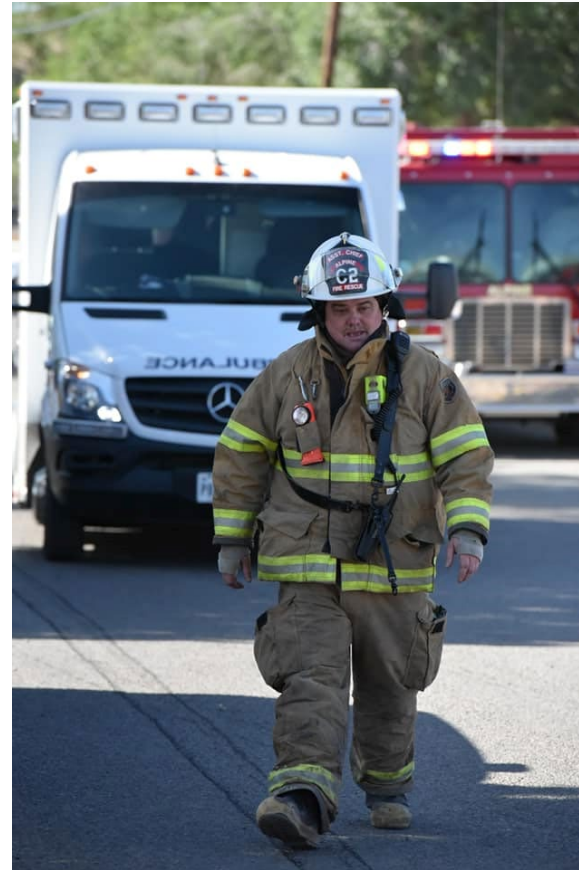
Notable Events

Spaghetti Dinner:



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Shattered Dreams



Photos courtesy Phillip Fierro

Notable Events cont.

Donations:



Porters donations of water pallet



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American Legion presenting check from dinner

Notable Events cont.

Donations:



Holy Angels Cemetery Association



Notable Events cont.

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And multiple other private donations from citizens.
Thank you for all your support!!!



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Railroad Trestle Fire, April 26th



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Alpine Fire along with Marathon and the TFS battled a fire that originated on a train trestle that spread to nearby grass. Unions Pacific cut the tracks and brought down the bridge to allow firefighters to better attack. Fire crews were on site for 12 hours. Approx 35 acres burned.

Thank you to Sonic for providing food for all personnel!!

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Churchill Road Fire



Photo courtesy Ronny Dodson



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Very hot fire that quickly consumed the entire property. Alpine Fire requested the assistance of Marathon Fire and County/City water trucks. Extreme heat made fire suppression efforts difficult. Some equipment sustained damage due to intense heat. 8 apparatus responded to the fire not including Marathon and Alpine EMS Units.

Alpine Police provided traffic control for apparatus to be able to cross to the Holiday Inn parking lot to refill safely.

Additional thank you to the dispatchers for taking the large influx of calls and getting us any resources we requested. Also to Alpine EMS who responded to provide rehabilitation (water, seating and ac) and care to firefighters who were working.



Runs:

	City	County	Total
January	2	5	7
February	3	3	6
March	3	9	12
April	8	10	18
May	5	10	15

Total calls up to May: 57



Future Plans and Goals

The fire department plans to attend several public events coming up including participating in fire prevention week at the schools and national night out.

Free training through TEEX for railroad emergencies.

We are working to upgrade all of our equipment to better serve the citizens.

Tours of the fire station are welcomed, call or email us to schedule one!



In memory of Fire Chief and EMS Director
Michael Scudder.

Friend, Mentor, and Papi

