

2015 Chiefs Report



Fire Phone Report

	2015	Milford Call	Mutual Aid	Total
MVA		19	27	46
Debris Fire			2	2
Chimney Fire		2	1	3
Structure Fire		2	22	24
Possible Structure Fire			2	2
Unkown Fire		1	4	5
Grass Fire		1	5	6
Woods/Brush Fire			3	3
Landfill Fire			2	2
Tree on Fire			1	1
Power Pole on Fire			1	1
Possible Vehicle Fire		1	1	2
Vehicle Fire		2	3	5
Smoke Condition			2	2
Medical Emergency		4	39	43
Lift Assist		4	1	5
Fire Alarm		6	7	13
Public Assist		1	1	2
Building Collapse		1		1
Traffic Control			1	1
	Total	44	125	169

Fire Attendance

	# Calls	# Attended	Average	Hours
Barkhouse, David	169	54	32	77
Brown, Tyler	169	31	18	54
Croft, Logan	169	46	27	57.5
Croft, Reg	169	39	23	61.5
Dingle, Charlie	169	34	20	46.5
MacLellan, Kevin	169	60	35	102
MacLellan, Kyle	169	76	45	101.5
MacLeod, Keegan	169	64	38	92
MacLeod, Rod	169	70	41	109
Moxson, Eddie	169	58	34	82
Moxsom, Kenny	169	65	38	93
Munro, Brad	169	84	49	112.5
Naugler, Tony	169	53	31	67
Norman, Ches	169	23	13	33.5
Norman, Nikki	169	39	23	70
Palmer, Ben	169	1	0.01	1
Romkey, Herb	169	7	0.04	11
Urquhart, Dallas	169	79	46	96.5
vanRossum, Matt	169	50	29	80
Wagner, Josh	169	87	51	132
Wardrope, Ralph	169	1	0.01	1

Training Attendance

	# Training	# Attended	Average	Hours
Barkhouse, David	41	17	41	83
Brown, Tyler	41	11	26	33
Croft, Logan	41	37	90	194
Croft, Reg	41	34	83	103.5
Dingle, Charlie	41	23	56	73
MacLellan, Kevin	41	33	80	107.5
MacLellan, Kyle	41	16	39	49
MacLeod, Keegan	41	18	44	63.5
MacLeod, Rod	41	29	70	113
Moxson, Eddie	41	34	83	109
Moxsom, Kenny	41	29	70	94
Munro, Brad	41	41	100	154.5
Naugler, Tony	41	16	39	77
Norman, Ches	41	27	65	122.5
Norman, Nikki	41	29	70	92
Palmer, Ben	41	13	31	39
Romkey, Herb	41	33	80	99
Urquhart, Dallas	41	12	29	36
vanRossum, Matt	41	35	85	121
Wagner, Josh	41	40	97	133.5
Wardrope, Ralph	41	18	44	54

Monthly Meeting Attendance

	# Meetings	# Attended	Average	Hours
Barkhouse, David	10	2	20	6
Brown, Tyler	10	3	30	9
Croft, Logan	10	7	70	21
Croft, Reg	10	9	90	27
Dingle, Charlie	10	8	80	24
MacLellan, Kevin	10	9	90	27
MacLellan, Kyle	10	4	40	12
MacLeod, Keegan	10	4	40	12
MacLeod, Rod	10	10	100	30
Moxson, Eddie	10	9	90	27
Moxsom, Kenny	10	10	100	30
Munro, Brad	10	10	100	30
Naugler, Tony	10	7	70	21
Norman, Ches	10	10	100	30
Norman, Nikki	10	10	100	30
Palmer, Ben	10	1	10	3
Romkey, Herb	10	9	90	27
Urquhart, Dallas	10	3	30	12
vanRossum, Matt	10	8	80	24
Wagner, Josh	10	10	100	30
Wardrope, Ralph	10	9	90	27

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MacLellan, Kyle	169	76	45	101.5
MacLeod, Keegan	169	64	38	92
MacLeod, Rod	169	70	41	109
Moxson, Eddie	169	58	34	82
Moxsom, Kenny	169	65	38	93
Munro, Brad	169	84	49	112.5
Naugler, Tony	169	53	31	67
Norman, Ches	169	23	13	33.5
Norman, Nikki	169	39	23	70
Palmer, Ben	169	1	0.01	1
Romkey, Herb	169	7	0.04	11
Urquhart, Dallas	169	79	46	96.5
vanRossum, Matt	169	50	29	80
Wagner, Josh	169	87	51	132
Wardrobe, Ralph	169	1	0.01	1

Total Firefighter Attendance

	Call Avg.	Training Avg.	Meeting Avg.	Total Avg.
Barkhouse, David	32	41	20	31.0
Brown, Tyler	18	26	30	24.7
Croft, Logan	27	90	70	62.3
Croft, Reg	23	83	90	65.3
Dingle, Charlie	20	56	80	52.0
MacLellan, Kevin	35	80	90	68.3
MacLellan, Kyle	45	39	40	41.3
MacLeod, Keegan	38	44	40	40.7
MacLeod, Rod	41	70	100	70.3
Moxson, Eddie	34	83	90	69.0
Moxsom, Kenny	38	70	100	69.3
Munro, Brad	49	100	100	83.0
Naugler, Tony	31	39	70	46.7
Norman, Ches	13	58	100	57.0
Norman, Nikki	23	65	100	62.7
Palmer, Ben	0.01	31	10	13.7
Romkey, Herb	0.04	80	90	56.7
Urquhart, Dallas	46	29	30	35.0
vanRossum, Matt	29	85	80	64.7
Wagner, Josh	51	97	100	82.7
Wardrope, Ralph	0.01	44	90	44.7

Firefighter Total Hours

	Fire	Meeting	Training	Non Regular Training	Total Hours
Barkhouse, David	77	6	51	32	166
Brown, Tyler	54	9	33	0	96
Croft, Logan	57.5	21	111	83	272.5
Croft, Reg	61.5	27	102	9.5	200
Dingle, Charlie	46.5	24	69	4	143.5
MacLellan, Kevin	102	27	99	8.5	236.5
MacLellan, Kyle	101.5	12	48	1	162.5
MacLeod, Keegan	92	12	54	9.5	167.5
MacLeod, Rod	109	30	87	26	252
Moxson, Eddie	82	27	102	7	218
Moxsom, Kenny	93	30	87	7	217
Munro, Brad	112.5	30	123	31.5	297
Naugler, Tony	67	21	48	29	165
Norman, Ches	33.5	30	81	41.5	186
Norman, Nikki	70	30	87	5	192
Palmer, Ben	1	3	39	0	43
Romkey, Herb	11	27	99	0	137
Urquhart, Dallas	96.5	12	36	0	144.5
vanRossum, Matt	80	24	105	16	225
Wagner, Josh	132	30	120	13.5	295.5
Wardrope, Ralph	1	27	54	0	82
Total Hours	1480.5	459	1635	324	3898.5

Chief's Summary

2015 marked my first year as Fire Chief. I had some big shoes to fill following the 28 exceptional years of service Ralph Wardrobe has provided as Chief. The continuing support of the membership has made this challenging job highly enjoyable.

Calls for service in 2015 were less than 2014 due to a change in our Medical Emergency Protocols. Although even with this change, we still responded to 169 calls for service – 125 of these calls were mutual aid calls. This shows how much we, as a fire service, rely on our neighbors to provide our communities with the best service. 110 of these calls were during weekdays between the hours of 6am and 6pm, and we are still dealing with lower attendance during these daytime calls (avg. 4.8 per call).

We have invested 1,950 hours in training and 1,480 hours in call response. In total, the members have invested 3,900 volunteer hours in trying to make Milford and our surrounding communities a safer place. That is 162 days or five and a half months' worth of time volunteered.

2015 was the first year the physical fitness test became a semiannual requirement. All the members required to take the test this year passed. I am very proud to say I am the Chief of a department which puts an emphasis on physical fitness and performance.

We are always maintaining and training with our equipment to help us perform our jobs safer and faster. We are adding equipment to help us better serve our customers. We have added more rope rescue equipment to allow us to serve a niche in East Hants, to further help Milford and surrounding communities.

A sign that hangs in our station reads "Being a volunteer is no excuse for mediocrity"; I believe the members of the Milford & District Volunteer Fire Department embody this statement completely. The level of dedication these 21 individuals exhibit to make our communities safer is an example of genuine good will and professionalism.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Munro', with a long, horizontal, looping flourish extending to the right.

Chief Brad Munro