

AYER FIRE DEPARTMENT

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MONTHLY REPORT SELECTMEN FIRE DEPARTMENT NOVEMBER 2019

- November 9th the department conducted a multi-agency disaster drill at Apple Valley. The drill simulated a fire in the laundry room with a chemical spill. Several area Towns supplied ambulances to transport victims to Nashoba Valley Medical Center. The departments decontamination tents were set up in the hospital parking lot to simulate the decontamination of victims before entering the emergency room. Both Apple Valley and the Nashoba Valley Medical center require a drill of this size to test their emergency capacity. The CERT Team and the Fire Explorer Post helped with this drill working as victims.
- November 20th the 74th Annual Turkey Party was held at the Fire Station. The event was well attended by the public.
- Thanksgiving morning the department hosted the 15th annual road race. This has become a large community event. This year had 1,033 registered runners. Many volunteers are needed to run an event of this size. Many people from the community volunteer along with ASRD students who volunteer and earn community service hours needed to graduate High School.
- Ambulance calls November - 123
- Fire calls November - 55
- Ambulance receipts November - \$36,221.28
- Permit receipts November \$835

Respectfully submitted;

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