



## MARTEN RIVER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

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### Monthly Report February 2016 Report # 2016-013

#### Training

- Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> Trainer A. Siegner using the Essentials 5 video instructed members on Fire Behavior. Training objectives included fire & combustion, oxygen & oxidizing agents, fire tetrahedron, methods on heat transfer, and stages of fire development and products of combustions.
- Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> Members met early to practice with the pumper truck panel, draft water from the dry hydrant and pump water. The trailer hitch was mounted on Rescue3 and members completed their annual WHIMIs review with trainer A. Siegner

#### Incident

- Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> Fire Department members responded to a reported gas leak at a business on Highway 11. Propane was turned off and soot was detected around the heater vent. (Possibly the vent had been plugged with snow) Two persons went to hospital to be assessed.

#### News

C. McDougal has been promoted to the captain's position left vacant by the passing of Captain Edwards. We are positive that with his enthusiasm and dedication Captain McDougal will succeed in this position. Congratulations Charlie.

Fire Chief Elliott met with N. Bellchamber regarding the municipality's organizational review on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> and attended the Feb 14<sup>th</sup> all staff meeting regarding the KPMG report and covering letter.

Fire Chief Elliott attended the Feb.8<sup>th</sup> Protection to Persons and Property committee meeting.

Check out Winterfest 2016 @ Marten River.ca

