

# Central Saanich Volunteer Fire Department



## Summary of Activities Status Report

**First Third 2007**

**January 1 to April 30, 2007**

### Fire Department – Emergency and Non-Emergency Responses Jan 1 to April 30, 2007

Jan..... 81 calls for service  
Feb ..... 59 calls for service  
Mar ..... 76 calls for service  
Apr..... 74 calls for service

Total Calls for First Third.....290 calls for Service.

Total Fire Loss to Date \$56,000 for 2007

### Fire Department Training – In-House and Justice Institute of B.C. (Fire Academy) Assistant Chief John Robertson Jan 1 to April 30, 2007

In house ..... 1154 hours  
Justice Institute.....747.5 hours

- 4 firefighters licensed to level of Emergency Medical Responder.
- 8 firefighters completed Fire Service Instructor Training.
- 11 firefighters completed Hazardous Materials Training.
- 2 firefighters completed Fire Investigation level 2
- Joint training with Sidney Fire Department on pumping operations

Total training hours 1901.5

**Fire Prevention Division**

**Assistant Chief Forrest Owens**

**Inspector Rob Syverson**

**Jan 1 to April 30, 2007**

**Inspections and Permits**

*Routine Fire Safety Requests (New Business Licenses Public Buildings).....25*

*Total Number of Commercial Inspections (4-month period).....362*

*Commercial Re-inspections ..... 1*

*Oil Tank and Appliances Inspections..... 11*

***Total Inspections.....399***

*Commercial Development Plan Review.... 14*

*Open burning permits..... 20*

*Incinerator permits..... 1*

***Total permits issues.....21***

**EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS:**

- *Brentwood Bay Power Squadron fire extinguisher training.....22 persons*
- *Khrista Rolleston Daycare firehall tour.....7 children 2 adults.*
- *Sidney Preschool firehall tour..... 10 children 10 adults*
- *Seafirst Insurance fire extinguisher training..... 17 persons*

*Total Number of Persons for Educational Programs.....51 persons*

**Special Projects in 2007**

**Fire Chief, Ron French**

**Jan 1 to April 30, 2007**

- *Tsunami map and information package completed for distribution.*
- *Redraft of District Fireworks By-law for presentation to Council in 2<sup>nd</sup> third*
- *Mutual Aid agreement between VAA and CSVFD completed for Council approval 2<sup>nd</sup> third*
- *Participating on Fire Chiefs Subcommittee for Regional Haz-Mat Requirements (ongoing)*
- *All Hazard Risk Assessment for the District in progress (ongoing)*
- *Participating on Subcommittee for CRD response plan for regional EOC plan (ongoing)*
- *NFPA 1001 Haz-Mat operations training weekend for volunteers completed*
- *Emergency Plan with First Nations Emergency Services grant application completed and submitted to UBCM*
- *Delivery of New CAFS unit, truck to placed into service ASAP*
- *New volunteer firefighter recruitment process completed with new members to start in 2<sup>nd</sup> third of 2007*
- *Procedure developed for Fire Department to provide wood stove inspections for the District and First Nations*