

West Deptford Township
Station 6-2

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### Junior Firefighter Program

Rules and Regulations

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#### **Junior Firefighter Program Rules and Regulations**

Purpose: To promote and interest in the Fire Department and Community for young people, develop safety and fire prevention habits, and to provide fire and rescue training.

### It is the responsibility of each Junior Member to read and understand each of the following rules and regulations:

- 1. The Junior Firefighter program is open to anyone between the ages of 14 to 17 years of age.
- 2. Each person applying must complete an application with appropriate signatures. In addition, each of the following forms must be completed, signed by the appropriate parties, and returned with the application:
  - a. School Permission Form
  - b. Parental/Guardian Release Forms
  - c. Release Forms to Aide Apparatus
- 3. All Junior Firefighters are REQUIRED to maintain a "C" average in school and to complete High School in order to maintain Fire Department Membership. Suspension from school will result in a suspension from the Fire Department. Expulsion from school will result in expulsion from the Fire Department. We will notify each member's school Principal of their enrollment in our Junior Firefighter Program and will keep in contact with the school concerning grades and disciplinary problems.
- 4. All members will conduct themselves in a professional manner while at the Fire Department as well as on any calls.
- 5. Each Junior Firefighter will be issued the necessary equipment and is expected take care of it at all times. This equipment is the responsibility of the Junior Member and at no time is it to be loaned or used by a non-member.
- 6. Junior Firefighters are expected to attend all scheduled trainings and meetings. However exceptions will be made for sickness, excused school absences, work schedule, etc. A fire officer must be notified in the event of a training or meeting that the member cannot attend.
- 7. No Junior Firefighter will respond on any calls until approved by the Chief.
- 8. At no time will a Junior Firefighter use a radio unless authorized to do so by an Officer.
- 9. No Junior Firefighter will be allowed at the Fire Department after 10pm unless approved by the Chief.

- 10. No Junior Firefighter is to respond to any emergency call in their personal vehicle and must obey all traffic laws. All moving violations received by Junior Members are their responsibility and may result in disciplinary actions.
- 11. A Junior Firefighter may ride in the apparatus on routine emergency calls but must be properly seated with seatbelts on.
- 12. Junior Firefighters are required to report all injuries to any Officer.
- 13. Overnight stays at the Fire Department are permitted ONLY when the Junior Firefighter Program is having a special overnight standby. Each Junior Firefighter staying must have a permission by the Chief and by their Parents/Legal Guardian for each stay, No Exceptions!
- 14. Upon arriving at the scene of a call, the Junior Firefighter must report to the Officer in charge to receive their instructions.
- 15. At no time will use of alcohol or drugs be tolerated. If a Junior Firefighter is guilty of using such substances, that member will be permanently expelled from the Program.
- 16. Each Junior Firefighter that responds on a call is expected to return to the station and help get all equipment and the apparatus back in service for the next call.
- 17. All Junior Firefighters will be required to maintain a min of 36 hours of fire/rescue training per year.
- 18. No Junior Firefighter will participate in Fire Department functions during school hours.
- 19. Any Junior Firefighter may be dismissed at anytime by the Fire Chief or President when performance does not meet the guidelines.
- 20. Junior Firefighters are to respond to Station 6-2 calls in West Deptford Township ONLY. At no time is a Junior Firefighter to respond to any industry fires or on any other fire department calls!!

### Junior Firefighter Program Application for Membership

		Todays Date:	_/
Name:			
Last	First	Mide	dle
Address:			
Birth Date://	Age:	Sex:	
Home Telephone:		Work Telephone: _	
Parent's/ Legal Guardian's Name: 1		2	
Social Security Number:	Drivers Lice	nse Number:	State:
Employers Name and Address:			
Name of School Attending:  Grade:  Grade A  Have you ever been convicted of any t approximate date(s), and explain the ci	verage: raffic offense(s); ircumstances:	? If yes, please list	t offense(s), give
Please provide two personal references			
Name:Address:			
Telephone:	Telepho	ne:	
Convenient time to contact:	Conven	ient time to contact:	
Printed Name of Proposed Member: Signature of Proposed Member:			
Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardi Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian:			

### Junior Firefighter Program Parental/Legal Guardian Release Form to Ride Apparatus

I,	Relationship
Hereby give my permission for my child,apparatus of Verga Fire Department, while rescalls.	to ride the ponding on both emergency and non emergency
I am signing this document with the understand Emergency Vehicle.	ding of the risks involved while riding on an
• • • •	d Junior Member and his/her parent/legal guardian fore the Junior Firefighter will be allowed to ride
Signature of Junior Firefighter	/
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian	/



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#### Junior Firefighter Program Evaluation Acknowledgement

Junior Firefighter Probationary Requirements, Explanation, and Acknowledgement

Having successfully completed the selection process, you are now on Probationary Junior Firefighter. The following items listed below are an explanation of probationary requirements and expectations. By initialing each one, you are acknowledging you understanding of each requirement. These items will be reviewed with you during your orientation meeting conducted by one of the Administrators.

<u>Initials</u>	Requirements		
	I have been given the Junior Firefighter Rules and Regulations and I understand that I'm responsible for reading and understanding it.		
	_ To maintain organizational harmony and exercise personal discipline, I will conduct myself in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Fire Department at all times.		
	_ It is my responsibility to follow all oral and written directions given to me by the Department, its Officers, and Administrators.		
	_ I will strive to successfully complete and comply with all coarse rules and requirements in order to obtain the necessary skills and knowledge needed to serve in the Fire and Emergency Medical Services provided to this community.		

During my probationary pe month until my probationary	riod, my performance will be regularly evaluated each ry period is completed.
As a probationary Junior Fi	irefighter, I will perform all duties to which I am ability.
-	d respond promptly to all posted information regarding gs, rules and regulations, policies and procedures, and
to maintain preparedness by	re of the Fire Department activity, I shall do my share y becoming knowledgeable in the care, use, and s, apparatus, equipment, and items of personal issue for
	regular and special training sessions during my specifically excused by the proper authority.
attend and participate in sp	of activities in which the department is involved, I will becial events such as public fire safety education, ouse, or any other special events.
<u> </u>	es for my own actions and performance in everything I exceed the minimum requirements for the
I have received a copy of the	ne West Deptford Township Junior Fighter SOG'S
· · ·	eduction is not clear to you, mow is the time to ask the concerning those areas in which your information is
I,Firefighter Probationary Requirements.	have read and understand the Junior
Requires Signatures:	
Member	// Date
Chief	// Date

### Computer Data Sheet

Name:	
Address:	
City:Sta	ate: Zip:
Badge/Cert Number:	
SS#:	DOB:
Primary Physician:	
Religion:	
Medical History:	
Medications:	
Allergies:	
Blood Type:	
Notes:	
Department: Verga Fire Department	
Department Address: 1415 Crown Point Road, Wes	st Deptford, NJ 08093
Parent Contact:	Relationship:
Address:	City:
Phone 1:	Work Phone 2:
Emergency Contact:	Relationship:
Address:	City:
Phone 1:	Work Phone 2:



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**Official Use Only** Application Received: Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_By:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Elected to Department: Previous Experience: Transfer To/From: Bad Standing: Inactive: Suspended: Membership Terminated: Miscellaneous:



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### <u>Issued Equipment for Firefighters</u>

Officer Initial FF Initial	<u>Equipment</u>	Serial Number	Type and Size
	Key Fob		
	Pager / Charger		
	Turn out Coat		
	Turn out Pants		
	Helmet		
	Gloves		
	Boots		
	Air Mask		
	Air Mask Bag		
	Flash Light		
	Rope		
	Safety Glass		
	Leather Gloves		
	Accountability Tags		
	Gentor Belt		

By initialing this form you are stating that you received the Verga Fire Company Equipment. All equipment must be returned prior to leaving the Verga Fire Company. Any other equipment will be considered personal.

Members Name	Date Issued
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