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**Annual LPVFD
BBQ Fundraiser Dinner**



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11th

Starting at 5:00 p.m.

at Fire Station Number 2 in Caviness on FM 1499

The meat is being donated by

Dale & Linda Smith/Dickey's Barbecue Pit

BBQ dinner, Door Prizes, Silent & Live Auction

Dinner tickets are \$7 for Adults

\$3 for ages 5-10

Children under 5 eat free

Come enjoy great food, visit with your neighbors, and bid on some great auction items!

Please contact Denise Weissenmayer (903) 609-2687 if you would like to donate items or desserts for the auction and/or desserts for the meal. If you donate a dessert specifically for the auction please put a note on it stating it is for the auction.

All proceeds will go toward equipping firefighters with new structure gear and tools, grants and other needed items. All donations are greatly appreciated.

News since our last newsletter.....

In October

Station 2 held our annual Fall Festival. It was a great time to visit with the many families in our community.

In December new officers were elected:

The officers for 2017 that were elected are:

- President:* **Tim Hudson**
- Fire Chief:* **Rick Pirtle**
- Training Officer:* **Ronnie Bass**
- Safety Officer:* **Magean Pretre**
- Secretary:* **Denise Weissenmayer**
- Treasurer:* **Karl Weissenmayer**
- Parliamentarian:* **Keith Brown**

We appreciate those that are willing to serve!

Junior Fire Fighter News

We are looking for youth between the ages of 14 thru 17 years old to participate in our Junior Fire Fighter program! It's a great way to learn about fire prevention, fire safety, and how to fight fires! Meet new people and give back to your community! If you are interested please contact Magean Pretre @ (903)366-1084.

2017 Reminders:

We always need volunteers! If you are interested, please contact us, we have a place for you!

Want to reach an entire community all in one mailing? Place an ad in our Newsletter! Please call Denise Weissenmayer at (903)609-2687 for more info on how to purchase ad space in our Newsletter!

Need a place to hold an event or just need to rent tables and chairs? Contact us! The cost is \$100 building rental fee plus a \$100 refundable deposit, the fee for table and chair rentals vary. There is a lease contract for both building & equipment rental.

For more information please contact Denise

We appreciate all of your generous support for our organization through your donations!

Meetings:

Want to know what's happening with the fire department? We always have items on the agenda that we would love to have community input on. We encourage you to attend the meetings to know what's coming up and to have a vote! ***Our meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 P.M at Station 2.***

F.Y.I.: You must have paid your membership dues before April 4, 2017 in order to vote in this election.

Would you be interested in attending monthly fire department meetings virtually?

Please read the survey on the following page and return it to us at:

290 C.R. 33590
Sumner, TX 75486

Would you be interested in attending a monthly fire department meeting the first Tuesday of each month? Yes No

Do you have a land line or cellular number that we could use to call you on the night of the meeting? Yes No

Would you commit to being available to be contacted the first Tuesday of each month @ 7:00 pm? Yes No

Most meeting run between 1 to 1 1/2 hours. Would you be able to commit that much time to the meetings? Yes No

In order to vote on motions presented at meetings you must be a member and have paid your membership dues. If you are not currently a member or have not paid your dues would you be willing to do so to participate in the virtual meeting? Yes No

2017 DUES
Make checks payable to LPVFD.
\$5 per Person

Name(s)
Address
Phone ()

I would like to receive newsletters via email in the future instead of a mailed copy.
Email address:

Monies will be distributed as marked by you below

Amount enclosed for membership
for donation
for
(Matching grant, Building, Truck Fund, other)

Your check will be your receipt

Comments:

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fice use only) Received on Cash Check# By

Thank You For Your Support!

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