



Diamond Springs/El Dorado Firefighters' Association

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ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

The Diamond Springs/El Dorado Firefighters' Association would like to thank you for your continuing support. The ongoing collaboration between our community and the Association is the foundation for the successful achievement of our goals. Once again, we come to you asking for your support and donations to fund our endeavors. The following are just a few examples of how your generous financial donations assist us in continuing to provide the highest level of service possible.



Supporting the Community

With your support, the Firefighters' Association is able to provide the highest quality training to our volunteer and career firefighters, as well as surrounding fire departments. Our Headquarters, located at Station 49 in Diamond Springs, was constructed in part by community members, volunteers, and career staff, at a substantial savings for the tax payer. Your contributions go directly to such projects. We have also been able to assist the Diamond Springs/ El Dorado Fire Protection District in purchasing new state of the art fire apparatus and associated equipment—all with the help of your donations.

Every 15 Minutes

Many of our volunteer and career staff participate annually in the Every 15 Minutes program at one of our local high schools. This year our Fire District will be hosting the program at Union Mine High School. This program involves a mock vehicle accident and the sobering reality that every 15 minutes a teen dies in an alcohol related accident. The program also involves taking the students on an over night counseling trip to interact with members of the California Highway Patrol, Emergency Room Nurses, Firefighters, Paramedics, Life Flight Nurses, and other emergency services personnel. This program has proven effective in reducing the number of alcohol related vehicle accidents!

Honor Guard

Established in 2009, the Diamond Springs/El Dorado Fire Department Honor Guard consists of six members who volunteer their time to be part of the team. The Honor Guard attended a week-long Honor Guard Camp held at El Dorado Hills Fire Department in April of the same year. Our Firefighters' Association sponsored all six members at the camp presented by DFL Training. The Honor Guard attends monthly trainings and has participated in several events throughout the County; including the El Dorado County Volunteer Firefighter Recruit Academy Graduation.



Recruitment

Prepare yourself for a future fire service career. Consider being a Volunteer Firefighter! As a Volunteer Firefighter you will protect life and property, experience camaraderie and be a role model for your community and family. For more information, please visit our website, www.diamondfire.org to learn how you can get started!



Firefighter's Memorial Hall



Rent the Hall for your next event!



Web Site

Our web page, has up-to-date information regarding the Fire Department and the Firefighters' Association, including rental of the **Firefighters' Memorial Hall**.

www.diamondfire.org

Annual Labor Day Bazaar

Monday, September 2, 2013

7 am to 3 pm in downtown Diamond Springs

Enter to win this:

2012 John Deere XUV550 Gator



Explorer Post 95

The Diamond Springs/El Dorado Explorer Post 95 is an outreach program through the Boy Scouts of America. Boys and girls ages 14 through 18 are introduced to the fire service through training and community service. Preparing the youth of our community for adulthood is achieved by teaching them team work and a strong work ethic. Each year Explorer Post 95 sponsors Explorer Cadets to a week long fire academy that teaches them these valuable skills.

Without donations from our community this program would not be possible. Visit our website at www.diamondfire.org to learn more.

With your support our firefighters are making a safer community for us all. We responded to 1,985 emergency calls last year. We need your support to maintain our volunteer recruiting and training efforts. Community involvement is needed in order to continue our high quality, life saving programs that are utilized over six times each day, by our neighbors and friends. Please take the time to fill out the ticket stubs and return them with your donation in the envelope provided.

Any donation amount is appreciated! Your donations are tax deductible. The drawing will be held on Labor Day, and you need not be present to win. All donations go directly to the Diamond Springs/El Dorado Firefighters' Association.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Additional tickets are available from the Diamond Springs Fire Station #49
Located at 501 Main Street in Diamond Springs and select local retailers
For further information feel free to call (530) 626-3190

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