

**HOLLY LAKE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT**  
**Regular Training Meeting Minutes**  
**February 18, 2014**

Members: 18

Guests: 4- Dana Turner (2<sup>nd</sup> meeting), Tim Turner (Dana's husband)

1. **Medical calls:** better response.
2. **Brush trucks:** 847, clutch has to be replaced. Unlock the 4 wheel drive when leaving the area that you needed it in.
3. **Golf Tournament:** Al is the Chair person and Greg is the Co-Chair (they switched) We are getting a late start. Check your box for your solicitations and hit them hard. Budget \$6000 was approved.
4. **Vern:** 842 - Pull gear shift up to get the key in the off position so it will come out of the ignition. The fuse holder is what was getting hot.
5. **Bill:** Computers, need to upgrade our system. \$3500 was approved for the upgrade.
6. **Helmet lights:** still working on them.
7. **Critique of the chimney fire:**
  - We had extinguisher training here and at Texas A&M...and we should know how to pull the hose off of the truck by now.
  - Be sure you pull it ALL the way off the truck before you charge it.
  - The fire was put out with minimal damage but a Firefighter was injured and that is not Ok.
  - Everyone needs to think on the scene.
  - If you come to the scene on a truck other than your own be sure you help the driver BEFORE you transfer. Check with the IC before you transfer, you may not need to.
  - Communicate with each other with the radio, that's what we have them for.
  - Watch your mouth on the scene, the public is out there listening.
  - The vent fan will not start unless it is level, then you can tilt it.
  - The bottom line is: We did a great job on the fire but we messed up because someone got hurt.

**Special guest tonight:** Rudy (man that hit a deer and was run over by a car) and his wife. Came by to say a special "Thank You".

**Tonight's Training:**

**Part Three - Rules and definitions**

## Upcoming Events:

<b>February 22</b>	Last Saturday training (Driving test & medical refresher)
<b>February 22</b>	Pleasant Grove Stew Dinner
<b>February 27</b>	Hawkins Chamber Banquet, 6:00 p.m. (Class A's)
<b>March 1</b>	Bingo starts back.....
<b>March 4</b>	Regular Meeting 6:30 p.m. (Earlier for truck check)
<b>March 8</b>	Waffle Breakfast 7:00 a.m – 11:00 a.m. (be there @ 6:00)
<b>March 11</b>	Hook & Ladder 6:30 p.m. (be there @ 6:00)
<b>March 18 &amp; 19</b>	Ogburn Ground Cover class

**BE CAREFUL, STAY SAFE AND AS WARM AS POSSIBLE!!!**

### Members in attendance:

	804	Doug Attaway
X	810	Lee Bidlack
X	812	Bill Bollinger
X	801	Joe Cirasola
X	805	Ron Dinoto
X	834	Corey Ervin
X	813	Greg Hass
X	803	Jerry Hibbs
X	819	Freida Jones
X	802	Don Lippke
X	815	Paul Liuzza
X	818	Dawn Lofgren
X	824	Aaron MacZuga
X	826	Al Murfin
X	827	Travis Rattan
X	828	Charlie Smith
X	832	Tray Smith
X	822	Cheryl Thomas
X	833	Vern Williams
X	825	Don Wolford
X	Chaplain	Don McWhinney
	<b>GUESTS</b>	
X	2 <sup>ND</sup> Meeting	Dana Turner