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United Communities Fire Department

7987 Highway 331 Cherry Hill
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January 2022

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Good day to all of you in our United Communities. We are welcoming a New Year and we hope your holiday season brought you comfort and joy.

United Communities fared very well in 2021 due to your untiring support and generosity. With our tax funding, donations from community members and friends of the UCFD, the MODL

Covid 19 Fund, the Emergency Services Provider Fund, bottle drives and the Fire Fighter 50/50 lottery, we were able to purchase a new chassis for our emergency vehicle, a new metal roof for the fire hall and are in the process of getting a compressor so we can fill our own breathing apparatus (BA) and cascade system. ***Thank you to all of you for your support!*** It means a great deal to us as we work to keep our communities safe.

Burning restrictions were lifted on the 15th of October, <http://novascotia.ca/burnsafe>. Please have proper extinguishing materials on hand while burning. Thank you all for following the guidelines and keeping our communities safe.

Our Fire Department is pleased to welcome all the folks who have recently joined our brigade this year and we will welcome additional people who want to become volunteer firefighters. If you would like to find out more, please drop into our meetings, practices or maintenance nights on the first 4 Mondays of each month for a firsthand understanding of what we do. There is an overview of recruiting material on our website at UCFD.CA. Masking is mandatory.

As you know, the United Communities Fire Department has joined a Fire Fighter lotto. Your participation is very much appreciated as a portion of your ticket sales is automatically redirected to the UCFD. Good luck to you all. For more information, please check the following websites. www.rafflebox.ca/raffle/nsfd or <http://firefighter5050.com/190>

We have contacted the MFR (medical first responder) Coordinator who will make arrangements for trained members of the United Communities Fire Department to return to doing medical calls. We are required to get N95 mask fitted and tested. Hopefully this service will be up and running again early in January.

You can also find this newsletter at UCFD.CA.

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Fire Chief
United Communities Fire Department