

UPPER DARBY TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE HEADQUARTERS

7216 WEST CHESTER PIKE – UPPER DARBY, PA 19082
610.734.7673 FAX 610.734.7658

Chief of Department
BRIAN BOYCE



Deputy Chiefs

WILLIAM NORRIS
MARK MORRISSEY
DENNIS GALLAGHER
JOHN CALAMIA

UPPER DARBY TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

December 2024

Alarms for the Month: 289

Alarms for the Year: 3218

Types of Alarms for the Month:

Fires – 27
Overpressure rupture/explosion
overheat – 0
Rescue/EMS – 85
Hazardous condition – 28
Service call – 19
Good intent – 31
Alarm activation – 83
Weather related emergency – 0
Special incident – 16

Types of Alarms for the Year:

Fires - 294
Overpressure rupture/explosion
overheat – 6
Rescue/EMS - 824
Hazardous condition - 350
Service call - 323
Good intent - 319
Alarm activation – 944
Weather related emergency - 1
Special incident – 157

Average Response Times for the Month

Average First Apparatus Turnout Time
Station 20 – 1-minute 25 seconds
Station 26 – 1-minute 15 seconds
Station 36 – 1-minute 16 seconds
Station 37 – 1-minute 07 seconds
Station 74 – 1-minute 18 seconds

Average First Apparatus Travel Time
Station 20 – 4-minutes 56 seconds
Station 26 – 2-minutes 50 seconds
Station 36 – 4-minutes 01 seconds
Station 37 – 2-minutes 49 seconds
Station 74 – 4-minutes 05 seconds

Total Calls by Station

Month

Station 20 – 58
Station 26 – 54
Station 36 – 58
Station 37 – 66
Station 74 – 53

Year

Station 20 - 719
Station 26 - 557
Station 36 - 782
Station 37 - 656
Station 74 - 504

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Total Calls by Platoon

Month

A Platoon – 61
B Platoon – 76
C Platoon – 66
Saturday – 38
Sunday – 48

Year

A Platoon - 778
B Platoon - 792
C Platoon - 739
Saturday - 462
Sunday - 447

Incidents by Day of Week

Month

Sunday – 47
Monday – 52
Tuesday – 42
Wednesday – 34
Thursday – 30
Friday – 47
Saturday – 37

Year

Sunday - 451
Monday - 453
Tuesday - 451
Wednesday - 456
Thursday - 470
Friday - 467
Saturday – 470

DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING

Month

- Community Risk Assessment.
- Youth Firesetting Prevention and Intervention
- Rescue Guidelines Review

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UPPER DARBY TOWNSHIP FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT

DECEMBER 2024

The Fire Marshal's Office of Upper Darby Township provides the following report to the Chief of Department for the Month of December 2024

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS

The Fire Marshal's Office including the certified fire investigators (IAAI-FIT, and NAFI-CFEI) conducted the following investigations into the Origin and Cause of fires.

Month: 8

Year: 49

Area of Origin: (2) Undetermined, (2) Engine area, running gear, wheel area, (1) Ceiling and floor assembly, crawl space, (1) Heating room or area, water heater area, (1) Back room, (1) Chute/container – trash, rubbish, waste

Heat Source: (7) Undetermined, (1) Heat from powered equipment, other

Item First Ignited: (7) Undetermined, (1) Storage, supplies, other

Incident Classification: (7) Undetermined, (1) Heat source too close to combustibles

SMOKE ALARM PROGRAM

Upper Darby Township Fire Department can successfully run the free smoke alarm program thanks to the generous donations from the Red Cross. The smoke alarms are available for residents who are in need. Please go to our website at [Upper Darby, Pennsylvania - Smoke Alarm Program](#) or call 610.734.7674

Smoke Alarms Installed in the Month: 15

Year: 342

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CAR SEAT INSTALLATION

Upper Darby Township Fire Department invites you to have your car seat inspected by a certified Passenger Safety Technician. Upper Darby Township Fire Department certified technicians can inspect your car seat by appointment only. Please email CPSTechs@udfd.org to schedule your appointment.

Installations Completed: 0

COMMERCIAL BUILDING INSPECTION PROGRAM

Initial Inspections: 3 Follow-Up Inspections: 3 Total Inspections: 6

Inspections Passed: 5 Inspections Forwarded for Citation: 1

Inspections Completed

Month

Initial Insp. – 3
Follow-up – 3
Passed Insp. – 5
Forward to L&I – 1

Year

Initial Insp. - 300
Follow-up - 289
Passed Insp. - 289
Forward to L&I - 22

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FIRE PREVENTION EDUCATION / COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION

- Station 20
 - Santa Detail
 - 12/21/2024
- Station 74
 - Santa Detail at Secane District Court
 - 12/7/2024