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PVFD Open Practice – January 15

The Parksville Volunteer Fire Department's regular practice night will be open to the public on Monday, January 15 from 7 pm to 9 pm. This is an opportunity to see firsthand what's involved in training to be a firefighter; to observe a practice, ask questions and speak with the fire chief and assistant chief.

If someone has an interest in finding out what being a volunteer on-call firefighter is all about, the department encourages those interested to arrive at 6:45 pm. The practice will be held at the firehall at 160 Jensen Avenue West.

The training session will start with a brief department meeting with updates from the fire chief, assistant chiefs and the department's members association. Members are typically broken into five training crews and have preassigned training sessions. These crews can either be at the station or offsite with the company officers providing the training.

To learn more about being a firefighter, we encourage those interested to stop by the firehall during business hours (Monday to Friday, 8 am to 4 pm) to speak with one of our chief officers. Interested individuals, who are enthusiastic, physically fit, self-motivated and a team player may obtain an application form at the firehall (160 Jensen Avenue West) or from the website www.pvfd.ca. Closing date for applications is Friday, March 2 at 4 pm.

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For more information:

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