

A Message from the Fire Chief

Since the fire rescue department's organization in 1972, the Town of Davie has grown into the geographical center of Broward County, with more than 99,000 residents, spanning nearly forty square miles and is the educational epicenter of South Florida. The Town of Davie strives to be the preeminent community in South Florida to live, work, learn and play while treasuring our preserved natural settings.

Today, with the support of the Town Council, we are meeting this challenge by our highly-trained professionals and state-of-the-art equipment with our community's safety being our number one priority.

As a team, we must all work together to accomplish our goals. We have to prove to ourselves, and the community we serve, why we are the best. Talk is cheap! We MUST do it through our actions. Together we will be successful.

It is my distinct pleasure to acknowledge and welcome our newest firefighters and their families into the Town of Davie family. Congratulations to all, on behalf of the Town's elected officials, employees and residents.



The Davie Fire Rescue Department wishes to recognize the continued support of our Town Council and Town Administrator.



Judy Paul
Mayor



Bryan Caletka
District 1



Caryl Casey-Hattan
District 2



Susan Starkey
District 3



Marlon Luis
Vice Mayor-District 4



Richard J. Lemack
Town Administrator

DAVIE FIRE RESCUE

RECRUIT GRADUATION

Class #16-02



Serving with Pride and Professionalism

Pine Island Multipurpose Center
Tuesday, August 23, 2016

2:00 pm to 3:30 pm

Firefighter Prayer

When I am called to duty, God,
wherever flames may rage,
give me strength to save a life,
whatever be its age.
Help me embrace a little child
before it is too late,
or save an older person from
the horror of that fate.
Enable me to be alert,
and hear the weakest shout,
quickly and efficiently
to put the fire out.
I want to fill my calling,
to give the best in me,
to guard my friend and neighbor,
and protect his property.
And if according to Your will
I must answer death's call,
bless with your protecting hand,
my family one and all.

Amen

Mission Statement

The Davie Fire Rescue Department
Is dedicated to the preservation of life, property and Homeland Security
as well as the prevention of fire and other hazards to the community.
We accomplish this through our highly trained professionals
and state-of-the-art equipment with our citizen's
safety being our number one priority.

Program

Welcome.....Vincent Martinez, Battalion Chief
Pledge of Allegiance Michael Schuberth, Firefighter Recruit
InvocationPastor Mark Coleman
Special GreetingJudy Paul, Mayor
Fire Chief's Message.....Julie Downey, Fire Chief
Recruit Training Program.....Vincent Martinez, Battalion Chief
Video Presentation.....Brandon Dunlop, Firefighter Recruit

Awards:

.....Class Leader
.....Top Rung

Student Response..... Romeo Casco, Firefighter Recruit
Pinning Ceremony Class 16-02..... Julie Downey, Fire Chief
Swearing in Ceremony..... Judy Paul, Mayor
Firefighter PrayerCesar Prada, Firefighter Recruit

Closing Remarks

Refreshments following Graduation

Training Division

Vincent Martinez, Battalion Chief
Mark Hopwood, Battalion Chief

Robert Belizaire, Battalion Chief
Richard Hudson, Fire Captain

Special Appreciation to:

The dedicated men and woman of Davie Fire Rescue
that helped in the training of Recruit Class 16-02.

Recruits

Stephanie Call
Romeo Casco
James Chinnici
Kyle DeNunzio
Daniel Diaz

Brandon Dunlop
Page Fortier
Shawn Gibson
Cesar Prada

Kevin Rando
Orville Satahoo
Michael Schuberth
Clinton Whitman