

## WHY WE NEED YOUR HELP

The new tanker is finally coming early this summer. Total cost is over \$600,000. This will be paid for before it goes in service. Salisbury Township is providing half of this amount and the rest is covered by your donations, fundraisers, grants, and the sale of the 1997 tanker.

In another year we will need to replace the 12-year-old air packs. Total cost could be over \$100,000.

### 2024 FUNDRAISERS

#### APRIL 6 – CHICKEN POT PIE DINNER

11:00 – 5:30 pm

Take out by the quart starting at 8:00 am.

#### MULCH SALE – NOW UNTIL SOLD OUT

Double-ground wood chips — by donation. Thursdays 6–7 pm, Saturdays 8–10 am, other times by appointment.

**Salisbury Twp. Municipal Building:**

5581 Old Philadelphia Pike, Gap.

717-201-8114

**Delivery is available!**

#### MAY 11 – CHICKEN BBQ

Drive through service starting at 10:00 am until sold out – chicken only and chicken dinners available.

**MAY 25 – 5K & 10K** - Activities for the entire family. Watch for ads or call for details.

#### SEPTEMBER 21 – SUB SALE

Available at the station from 7:30 am until 1:00 pm.

#### OCTOBER 12 – ROAST BEEF SUPPER

Dining room and drive through take out service starting at 11:00 am until 5:30 pm.

#### NOVEMBER 9 – CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

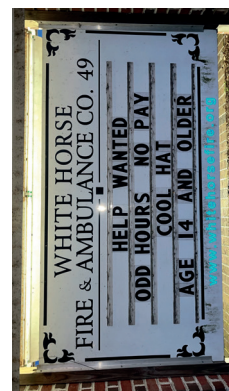
9:00 am until 2:00 pm – Vendors, baked goods, and food – chicken pot pie takeouts by the quart - Please bring your own container.

Contact us if you can help with any of the above fundraisers. Help from the community is greatly appreciated.

White Horse Fire Company  
111 White Horse Road  
Gap, PA 17527

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# White Horse Fire Company



## Annual Fund Drive Newsletter

**“Neighbors Helping Neighbors” since 1914**



## 2024 Fund Drive Newsletter

### Greeting to our community!

The members of the White Horse Fire Company would like to thank the community for the continued support that has been shown to the Fire Company in the past year through financial contributions and helping with and supporting our fundraisers.

The White Horse Fire Company consists of 2 engines, 1 tanker, 1 Squad, and 2 ambulances. The Fire Company responded to 165 reportable calls in 2023.

The average response time for all apparatus was 2:36 minutes.

Total man hours on calls were about 2138. Total training was 1203 hours.

There are many things we take for granted in this world: personal health, general happiness, a supportive family and long-lasting friendships to name a few. Let's not take for granted the devotion and dedication of time freely given, by our "all volunteer" fire department.

Back in 1913 when the first five engines were bought for Salisbury Township #1 the company started a precedence that no new equipment would be bought without the money in hand or promised. Over 110 years later that is still being done.

**This will be only be possible because of the generous donations that we receive from the community.**

The largest item on the budget this year is the new tanker. It will go in service after the members have completed training and become familiar with it. This will be a 2023 Pierce elliptical tanker with a three-man cab and will include: 3000 gallon water tank, 3500 gallon port-a-tank, 2-1¼" crosslays, a 2½" hose, 600 ft. of supply hose, an extension ladder, a roof ladder, On Spots chains, 12 volt emergency and scene lights.

The third ambulance is ordered and expected to arrive later this year. At this time there is no room to store it inside. We are making plans to expand the existing fire station. Construction could start sometime in 2025.

The plan is to build an addition to the south of the existing station. All fire apparatus would be in the new 4 bay station. With over 6000 sq. ft. that will be almost double the space we currently have. The current kitchen and dining room would be totally remodeled. The dining room would have 3000 sq. ft. and would have the potential to be rented out for meetings and banquets.

The current station will be remodeled for the EMS division. This will allow them to store all three ambulances inside. Sleeping quarters would be added for a crew or two stay overnight.



**The White Horse Fire Company is 100% volunteer. Donations and fundraisers are our primary source of income. As a resident and or a land owner in our first due area we ask for your continued support through a donation.**

**Checks Payable to: White Horse Fire Company. Your cancelled check is your receipt.**

**Coming Soon! Donate online. This can be done unanimously or you can print a receipt. Check out the website for more details. [www.whitefirehorse.org](http://www.whitefirehorse.org)**

Feel free to stop at the station on any Monday evening. The monthly meeting is held on second Monday and training on most of the other Mondays.

Any questions you may leave a message at the station at 717-768-3454.

Or email at [fdsecretary@whitehorsefire.org](mailto:fdsecretary@whitehorsefire.org).