

NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**RYEDALE AREA COMMITTEE****15 NOVEMBER 2017****North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service Community Safety Update for Ryedale****Report of Group Manager Marc Warren****1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 To advise members of the Area Committee of Community Safety Activities involving North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service (NYFRS) that have occurred between the 1st August – 31st October 2017 and to provide an update regarding other issues from within the Ryedale District.

2.0 INTRODUCTION

- 2.1 The following report covers the period 1st August – 31st October 2017.

3.0 SERVICE DELIVERY

- 3.1 The following activity list provides an overview of the Community Safety initiatives conducted in the Ryedale area in 3 months.

Community Fire Safety	1 August – 31 October 2017 Total
Number of Smoke Alarms fitted	54
Number of Home Fire Risk Assessments completed	17
Road Safety	24
Schools	4

3.2 District Update

- 3.2.1 North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Community Safety Officers have completed 17 safe and well visits. The visits now cover advice on health issues such as stopping smoking, slips trips and falls, loneliness and welfare as well as the fire safety message.

- 3.2.2 The Community Safety Officers have also attended the following locations to promote key safety messages:

- Malton Agricultural Show.
- Thornton Le Dale School Summer Faire.
- Family fun day at Sherburn.
- Emergency Services open day Pickering with Police and Youth Justice.
- Youth Justice Centre Pickering for attendees aged between 10 and 17.
- Women's Institute meetings at Welburn and Rievaulx.
- Ryedale Older Persons Forum at Malton Rugby Club.

- 3.2.3 CSOs have delivered the following Road Safety events in the last three months:

- A Drive Alive event at Malton School for students aged 16 years and above.
- Speeding and enforcement events at Pickering and Malton.
- Dalby Forrest Cycle Safety

- 3.2.4 Community Safety Officers have delivered a talk at Malton Maternity Unit on general fire safety in the home. Following the talk the Maternity unit staff have agreed to place Fire safety literature and home fire risk check leaflets in maternity packs.

3.3 Response Activity

- 3.3.1 Yorkshire Ambulance Service have now withdrawn from the First Responder Scheme agreement in which North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Staff were responding to some categories of medical emergencies at Pickering, Helmsley and Lythe.

3.3.2 Operational crew at Malton fire station have led the Service for the last two years as Large Animal Rescue specialists. Over the last three months the crews at Malton have been training crews from Ripon and Tadcaster fire stations to attain the same level of skill in large animal rescue.

4.0 INCIDENTS OF NOTE

Date: 10/08/2017
Location: The Lane Gate, Helmsley
RTC: Two vehicle RTC. The driver and occupant of one vehicle were both trapped and crews used cutters, spreaders, chocks, blocks and small gear to release casualties and provided first aid to prior to them being transported to hospital. The driver of the other vehicle fled the scene.

Date: 01/09/2017
Location: Fosters Wold Plantation, Malton
RTC: Two vehicle RTC, with one person trapped. Crews extricated casualty using hydraulic cutting gear to remove the front door and the roof of the vehicle.

Date: 14/09/2017
Location: The Old Corn Mill, Malton
Animal Rescue: Incident involved an elderly dog falling into the river, and believed to be washed down stream. Crews split into two teams and searched river bank using L2 and L3 water rescue gear, torches and radios, but unfortunately the search was unsuccessful and eventually called off.

Date: 19/09/2017
Location: West Haddlesey, Malton
Animal Rescue: Crews rescued a horse that was stuck in the mud in a river. Dry suits and crew power used.

Date: 08/10/2017
Location: Hotel, Market Place Pickering
Fire: Fire to residential hotel caused by spread of fire from chimney to wooden joists. Damage limited to ground and first floor. Crews used hand tools and hose reels to extinguish fire.

Date: 13/10/2017
Location: Market Place Kirkbymoorside
RTC: Incident involved two vehicle RTC, no persons were trapped or were injured.

Date: 17/10/2017
Location: Hillcrest Malton
Fire: Incident involved fire to outbuildings fire extinguished using 2 hose reels and 2 ground monitors. Cause believed to be accidental spread of fire from controlled burning out of control.

Date: 17/10/2017
Location: Farm House, Daleside Road Kirkbymoorside
Fire: Incident involved smoke logging a roof space caused by a build up of tar in chimney from burning logs, causing smoke to rise through a hole in the flu lining and into the roof. No fire had spread. Crews damped down using hose reel.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That Members note the activities that have taken place.

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