



## NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If you're ready to make a commitment to your friends, neighbors and community, we invite you to contact:

**Jack Mellott**  
434.975.2202  
chief61@spvfc.org

To pick up an application, request more information or schedule a visit.

*Your community is counting on you.  
Will you answer the call?*

**STONY POINT**  
VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

## WHY VOLUNTEER?

What if someone dialed 911 for help and no one came? Your community depends on volunteer firefighters and EMTs to respond in emergencies. Selflessly donating your time to protect others is one of the most rewarding things you can do. Will you answer the call?

## VOLUNTEER INFORMATION GUIDE



## VOLUNTEER BENEFITS

- Uniform and protective gear provided
- Free fire and emergency medical training
  - Free laundry facilities
- Computers with high-speed Internet
  - On-duty meal reimbursement
- Leave-time allowed for vacations
- Exercise and fitness equipment
- Federal and State Tax deductions
- Personal Property Tax discount
  - Preferred Pricing Program
  - Free county vehicle decal
- Free Parks & Recreation passes
- Free Influenza and Hepatitis-B vaccines

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## WHO WE ARE

The Stony Point Volunteer Fire Company has provided fire, rescue and emergency medical service to our community since 1974.

Known as Station 6 in Albemarle County, we are located about 8 miles north of Charlottesville. We protect approximately 60 square miles, from the Pantops area of Route 250 north to the Orange County line along Route 20, and from Route 29 to Route 231 in the east.

Our station runs approximately 400 calls each year, ranging from fires and vehicle collisions to emergency medical service and rescue calls.

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

We are always looking for new volunteers. We have volunteer positions open for firefighters, EMTs and administrative support staff.

Our small station will allow you to be able to make an immediate contribution, regardless of your training or experience. You do not need to have fire or EMS knowledge, be a bodybuilder, or have loads of extra time. There is a place for everyone in the fire department.

Your help is vital to protecting our community, and the experience you gain here will help you excel in all endeavors in your life.

## YOUR TIME IS VALUABLE

Our volunteers are important to us. That's why we don't place excessive burdens on you. With an average of a little more than one call each day, there is usually plenty of time to do school work, career work or responsibilities beyond the fire company. We even have high-speed Internet, fitness equipment and free laundry facilities. You'll also build strong friendships that you can take with you for the rest of your life. Helping your community doesn't mean you have to put your own life on hold.



## YOUR DUTIES:

- Be on duty at the station for 6 shifts per month.
- Respond to emergency calls when on duty. Participate at emergency scenes to the extent of your training.
- Attend training sessions.



## APPLY TODAY!

You must be at least 18 years of age, and have an interest in fire, rescue or emergency medical services. No previous training is required! If you meet these criteria, then:

- Complete a volunteer service application
- Submit the application to Jack Mellot, our Assistant Chief
- Attend the next Brigade meeting.  
Meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm
- Participate in a ride-along program to see how our volunteers operate
- Attend a second Brigade meeting to be voted in as a member
- Pick up your uniform and personal protective equipment from the Quartermaster
- Start staffing with your crew and begin your training

## YES, IT'S REALLY THAT EASY!

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