



Professionally staffed by volunteers serving the north-eastern San Jose and Milpitas foothills since 1978

Spring 2019



Celebrating 40 Years of Service 1978 - 2018

SVVFD group photo March 29, 2018



Message from the President

Greetings everyone. The recent rains promote tall weeds and fuel on our hills which will dry out as weather heats up. **Prepare DEFENSIBLE SPACE around your home and structures**, and prepare for longer dry Wild Fire seasons. Don't hesitate to call upon the Department for any guidance in getting ready.

I'm pleased with the "state of our department" as we enter the new year. SVVFD has :

- **strong experienced command staff** (chief, asst chiefs, captains)
- **solid team of volunteer firefighters** who act professionally
- **training center and training staff** (closely aligned with Cal Fire) who conduct a complete curricula
- **Protective equipment** in good shape
- **Apparatus** (fire engines) are well maintained and **ready for service**

Through their professionalism, training, and preparedness, our firefighters have earned the respect from Cal Fire to the extent that Cal Fire calls SVVFD as a back up to staff their fire stations and provide mutual aid when necessary.

We look forward to seeing all hillside residents at our upcoming Pancake Breakfast, March 24, at the Spring Valley Golf Course.

Thanks again, for all of your support both verbally and monetarily, and in just a few more short words

... Please Continue To DONATE!

Donations are tax-deductible.

Bring check to the Pancake Breakfast, or mail to:

SVVFD

P.O. Box 360211

Milpitas, CA 95036



Thank you all for your continuing support.

Rick Smith



Communication

Protective Gear

Training

Procedures

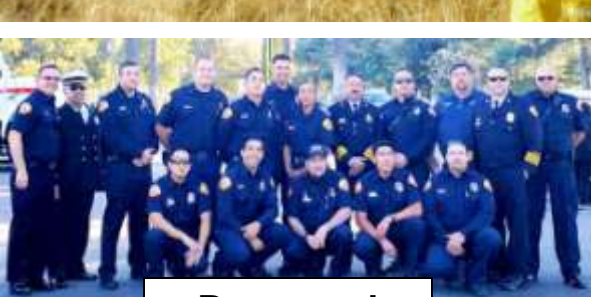
Fire Fighting & Prevention



Medical Emergencies



Accidents



Personnel



Recognition



SVVFD Fire Station



Community Service



Animal Rescue planning

FOCUS AREAS



Upgrade Equipment



Training Center – served as command center during the Country Fire - July 2018



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11 th Annual SVVFD Fundraiser
at Spring Valley Golf Course



Sunday, March 24 2019

Breakfast served 8am – 11 am

Pancake Breakfast buffet

- Pancakes
- Scrambled Eggs
- Sausage or Bacon
- Potatoes

Hot Chocolate or Coffee

Additional food / beverage items sold separately

The Spring Valley Golf Course Restaurant continues to offer hillside residents a 10% discount in 2019 on food items from the grill. Please enjoy their high quality food and service.

Come socialize with your neighbors and volunteers

Enjoy the great service at the Spring Valley Golf Course Restaurant

\$15 Adult
\$10 Child
 Minimum Donation

