



December 12, 2017

Weekly Incident Summary

December 4-10, 2017

HALTON HILLS, ON –

Monday, December 4, 2017

10:36 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Tenth Line. On scene fire staff confirmed this was a false alarm. The alarm was caused due to renovations taking place. No further concerns.

15:58 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Guelph St. On scene fire staff investigated throughout the entire store and found that one of the ovens pilot lights was not burning all the gas being produced. After shutting off the gas supply to the oven, CO readings dissipated and readings were no longer detected. The store manager was advised to not use this particular oven until it was inspected and repaired by a certified technician.

17:11 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a two-vehicle motor vehicle collision in the area of Regional Road 25 , north of 5 Sideroad. Halton Regional Police and Halton Regional Paramedics were on scene upon arrival. Fire staff stabilized the vehicles and cleared the scene.

18:29 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a possible structure fire in the area of 5 Sideroad and Fourth Line. On scene fire staff spoke with the homeowner who was burning wooden posts without a burn permit. The homeowner was advised of the burn permit process for any future burns.

20:32 Hours – Fire fighters responded to a carbon monoxide (CO) activation on Dayfoot Dr. On scene fire staff entered the home and using detectors found zero readings. The homeowner was advised to clean the existing detector and replace if it continues to sound.

Tuesday, December 5, 2017

12:15 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a two-vehicle motor vehicle collision in the area of Regional Road 25 and 25 Sideroad. Halton Regional Police and Halton Regional Paramedics were on scene upon arrival and advised fire was not required.

16:01 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of smoke in the area of Maple Ave & River Dr. Upon arrival on scene a large amount of pink smoke was visible. Fire staff unlocked the gate, entered the property and went directly toward the area where previous incidents have taken place. Upon arriving in this area fire staff discovered four youth that were using coloured smoke grenades and taking pictures for a school project. The youths were escorted off the property with no further concerns.

18:10 Hours – Fire fighters responded to a public assist on Kingham Rd in Acton. On scene fire staff met with the homeowner who advised they could smell something similar to rotten eggs. Fire staff entered the home and using detectors found zero readings of gas or CO. The washing machine just finished a dump cycle which may have caused the smell. The homeowner was advised to pour some bleach down the floor drain as there was no longer any odour.

20:29 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Halton Hills Drive. On scene fire staff met with building personnel who confirmed this was a false alarm. Building staff were being trained on fire maintenance procedures and failed to notify the alarm company when doing testing.

Wednesday, December 6, 2017

20:59 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a gasoline spill on Logan Crt. On scene fire staff applied absorbant to leaking fluids and Public Works was contacted for clean-up.

Thursday, December 7, 2017

01:26 Hours - Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Newman Place. On scene fire staff entered the home and using detectors found zero readings. A faulty detector was suspected.

06:10 Hours – Fire fighters responded to a carbon monoxide (CO) activation on John St S in Acton. On scene fire staff entered the home and using detectors found zero readings. A faulty detector was suspected.

09:52 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an alarm activation on Miller Dr. On scene fire staff met with the homeowner who was unaware of the alarm activating. Fire staff conducted a quick inspection of the residence and the alarm panel prior to leaving and no issues were found. The resident will investigate further with their alarm company.

19:24 Hours – Fire fighters responded to a carbon monoxide (CO) activation on Storey Drive in Acton. On scene fire staff entered the home and using detectors found a small reading of 2-4 ppm around the gas stove, which was on prior to arrival. An investigation of the CO alarm indicated the unit was in fault and no other issues found. The unit was reset.

Friday, December 8, 2017

1:06 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a vehicle fire on Grey Owl Run. Halton Regional Police were on scene upon arrival. Fire staff quickly extinguished the fire, with the majority of the damage to the engine compartment and interior.

03:12 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an ambulance assist on John St. Halton Regional Police and Halton Regional Paramedics were on scene upon arrival. Fire staff assisted with gaining entry into the building and cleared the scene.

12:22 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of a grass fire in the area of Highway 25 & 32 Sideroad. On scene fire staff noted a large area of tall grass on fire. On scene fire staff quickly extinguished the fire.

Saturday, December 9, 2017

01:18 Hours – Fire fighters responded to an ambulance assist in the area of Main St & Maple Ave. Halton Regional Police and Halton Regional Paramedics were on scene upon arrival for a single-vehicle motor vehicle collision. Fire staff stabilized the vehicle and assisted with patient care.

09:51 Hours – Fire fighters responded to a police assist in the area of Main St & Maple Ave. Halton Regional Police and Public Works were on scene upon arrival and advised fire was not required.

19:57 Hours – Fire fighters responded to the report of wires down on Highway 7. On scene fire staff met with the homeowner who indicated there was a loud bang accompanied with a bright flash of light, then the hydro went out in the home. After investigating, fire staff found the hydro wire from the street pole to the hydro meter had frayed and broke. Halton Hills Hydro arrived on scene and indicated it was a repair that could be done quickly and that fire was no longer required.

Weekly Safety Message

Here are a few safety tips for real Christmas trees. Buy a freshly cut tree and keep the stand full of water at all times. Check all decorative lights before placing them on the tree and discard any frayed or damaged lights or cords. Never place lit candles on or near the Christmas tree. When large amounts of needles begin to fall off, it's time to get rid of the tree.

About the Town of Halton Hills

The Town of Halton Hills, with a population of approximately 60,000, consists of two urban centres, Georgetown and Acton, with three hamlets – Glen Williams, Stewarttown and Norval – and several smaller settlements. Halton Hills has long been recognized for its natural beauty, active agricultural community, high quality of life and proximity to major centres, including Brampton, Mississauga and Toronto. The Town is ranked as one of the top small communities in Canada by a national magazine.

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