

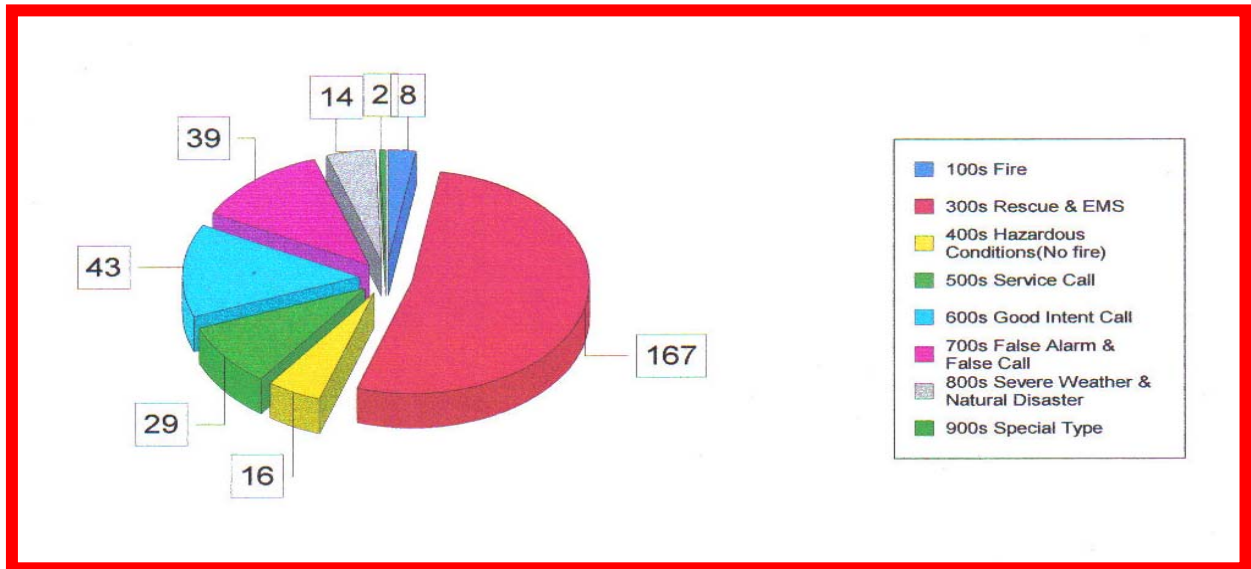
MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT

San Marcos Fire Rescue

July 2007

The following are highlights of services provided by San Marcos Fire Rescue for the month of May 2007. Complete statistical data are available upon request.

- The Department answered a total of **318** calls in the 31-day period. This was **10.26** calls per day or one call every **2.34** hours. Year to date calls (1951) are up **31.47%** from 2006 (1484 calls) and **50.31%** from 2005 (1298 calls) and **81.83%** from 2004 (1073 calls).
- Rescue and EMS calls were the most often answered calls by volume, comprising 52.52% of the total calls, followed next by Good Intent Calls at 13.52%.



- City wide average response time for all calls for service was **5.71** minutes. Our goal is to have fire rescue units on scene within 5-minutes 90% of the time. We were able to meet the 5-minute benchmark on **55.10%** of the calls.
- *The department Iron Man for the month was Engineer Sean Garrison with 64 calls answered. Congratulations Sean!*
- B – Shift answered the most calls for service with 117 for the month, followed by C-Shift with 102 and A-Shift with 99.



- Our public safety and education programs continued with 67 citizens served during the month.

- Firefighters were busy with several public education programs: Fired Up about Reading at the library, teaching fire safety at the Jr. Deputy Academy and assisting with the Turtle Derby at Summerfest.
- Six Firefighters attended the 78th Annual Municipal Fire School at Texas A&M. Chief Baker was a lead instructor at the school.
- Hazardous Materials training on decontamination procedures and EMS training on glucometer use and low blood sugar emergencies were the highlighted training classes for the month.



Our Smoke Detector Hot-Line number is 512.393.8484. We have smoke detectors available for immediate installation in your home. Please call us if you need a smoke detector or have questions about how many you need and where they need to go in your home.



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