

# MONTHLY HIGHLIGHT REPORTS



**DATE :** August 23, 2017  
**TO :** Committee of the Whole  
**FROM:** Fire Chief  
**HIGHLIGHTS :** For the month of August

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- ❖ Total calls up to August 23 : 43 (16 fire-related, 5 rescue, 22 first responder)
- ❖ Pre-Cannafest fire inspection followed by regular patrols during the event weekend.
- ❖ Participated in the Park in the Park car show at City Park.
- ❖ Held annual Ladder-A-Thon fundraiser. Raised approximately \$6,000 to be donated to Red Cross to support those displaced during the Central BC wildland fires.
- ❖ Participated in the A & W multiple sclerosis fundraiser on August 24/17
- ❖ Sent a crew and SPU Trailer to Quesnel for 7 day deployment in order to provide sprinkler protection to homes threatened by wildfire. SPU Trailer remains deployed there.
- ❖ Organized a crew and engine to be on standby at the request of OFC in order to have rapid deployment in response to a wildfire outbreak in the Boundary or West Kootenay.

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- ❖ Wildland remains extremely dry with no precipitation in the last several weeks.