

Tuolumne County Fire Department

“At-A-Glance”



June 2023

Tuolumne County Fire Department

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Tuolumne County Fire Department Call Totals

June 2023

Incident Totals:

Total Incidents: 1060

Medical Aids: 702

Structure Fires: 12

Vegetation Fires: 39

Other Type Fires: 146

Other Incident Types: 161

Tuolumne County Station Call Totals:

Mono Village Station 51: 215

Ponderosa Hills Station 53: 11

Long Barn Station 54: 29

Pinecrest Station 55: 22

Mono Vista Station 56: 85

Phoenix Lake Station 57: Calls absorbed by other Stations

Cedar Ridge Station 58: 18

Chinese Camp Station 61: 46

Don Pedro Station 64: 25

Jamestown Station 76: 146

Mi-Wuk Station 77: 74

Groveland Station 63/78: 70

Columbia College Station 79: 71

Incident totals include incidents that the fire station was dispatched to, and may have been automatic aid to other agencies through the Tuolumne County Automatic Aid Agreement

Significant Incidents

6/13/2023

Tuolumne County Fire Department resources responded with CAL FIRE TCU and Sierra Center Fire Department resources to a reported vegetation fire in the area of Highway 108 and Victoria Way in Jamestown. Upon arrival TCFD Engine 761 found a fire burning in grass at a moderate rate of spread that was threatening several structures. Quick work by resources on the ground and in the air quickly contained the fire. No injuries were reported and the cause of the fire is under investigation.



6/18/2023

Tuolumne County Fire Department resources responded with CAL FIRE TCU to a reported vegetation fire on Jamestown Road near Fifth Avenue in the Jamestown area. TCFD Engine 761 arrived to find a small roadside fire burning in grass. Air and ground resources were quickly able to stop the forward spread of the fire at less than half an acre. No injuries were reported and the cause of the fire is under investigation.



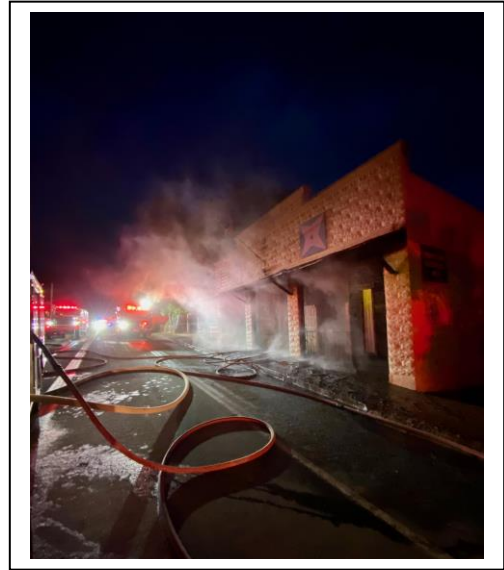
6/21/2023

Tuolumne County Fire Department Engine 761 and SAFER Grant Funded Engine 631 were dispatched along with CAL FIRE TCU resources to a reported vegetation fire in the area of Jacksonville Road and Harney road near Lake Don Pedro. The first arriving engine found approximately 10-15 acres of grass and brush burning at a moderate rate of spread. The response was significantly modified which brought additional resources to the scene to assist in controlling the fire. Numerous air and ground units stopped the forward rate of spread of the fire later that evening at approximately 37 acres. There was one minor injury reported and the cause remains under investigation.



6/25/2023

In the early morning hours Tuolumne County Fire Department received a report of a commercial structure fire at the Groveland Community Hall. Tuolumne County Fire Department SAFER Grant funded Engine 631 responded with Groveland Community Services District Engine 781 and multiple resources from CAL FIRE TCU and CAL FIRE MMU. TCFD E631, GCSD E781, E4466 and E4476 all arrived almost simultaneously providing multiple fire personnel to find smoke coming from the front of the structure. A quick, aggressive interior attack stopped the fire spread and ensured the fire did not spread to adjoining businesses. Cooperative agreements such as this ensure that our communities are protected and safe.



Special Announcements

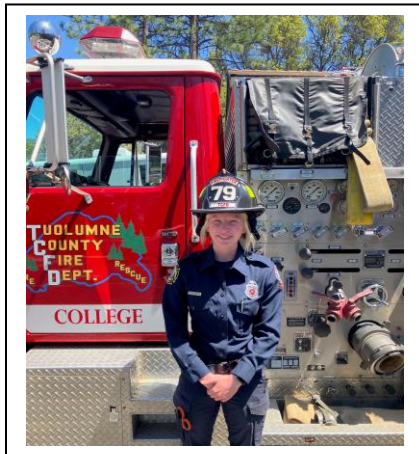
The Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to recognize and congratulate the following employees for accepting positions with CAL FIRE. We would like to thank these employees for their service and contributions to the citizens of Tuolumne County and the Tuolumne County Fire Department. We are proud of all of them and are excited to see them take the next step in their fire service careers:



Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to congratulate Chris Preston for accepting a position with Cal Fire in the Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit. Chris graduated from the Columbia College Firefighter Academy, then became a member of the TCFD Station 79. Over the past 2 years Chris has become one of the Stations Driver/Operators and has served as one of the Stations Crew Leads. Chris has been a valued member of the Station, and we are proud of him for taking the next step in his career in the fire service.



Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to congratulate Dustin Rosenberg for accepting a position with Cal Fire in the Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit. Dustin graduated from the Columbia College Firefighter Academy, then became a member of the TCFD Station 79. Over the past year Joe has obtained his EMT and has been working towards getting his Firefighter 1 and Firefighter 2 signed off. Dustin has been a valued member of the Station, and we are proud of him for taking the next step in his career in the fire service.



Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to congratulate Katherine Wessling for accepting a position with Cal Fire in the Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit. Katherine graduated from the Columbia College Firefighter Academy, then became a member of the TCFD Station 79. Over the past year Katherine has obtained her EMT and has become one of the Stations Driver/Operators. Katherine has been a valued member of the Station, and we are proud of her for taking the next step in her career in the fire service.



Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to congratulate Joe Coleman for accepting a position with Cal Fire in the Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit. Joe graduated from the Columbia College Firefighter Academy, then became a member of the TCFD Station 79. Over the past year Joe has obtained his EMT and has become one of the Stations Driver/Operators. Joe has been a valued member of the Station, and we are proud of him for taking the next step in his career in the fire service.



Tuolumne County Fire Department would like to congratulate Grace Merriam for accepting a position with Cal Fire in the Amador-El Dorado Unit. Grace graduated from the Columbia College Firefighter Academy, then became a member of the TCFD Station 79. Over the past year Grace obtained her EMT and has become one of the Stations Driver/Operators. Grace has been a valued member of the Station, and we are proud of her for taking the next step in her career in the fire service.