

Newsletter #10 – September 7th, 2015



**Glen Haven Area
Volunteer Fire Department**

Greetings from the GHAVFD Board!

We believe the following information to be accurate and from reliable sources. Please feel free to forward this, and all future correspondence, to anyone you feel would benefit.

We would like to receive additional e-mail addresses from current property owners whose contact information may not currently be included in our data base. If you know property owners who did not receive this e-mail, please encourage them to forward their e-mail address to ghavfd@msn.com in order for them to receive future correspondence.

A repository of this and all previous newsletters are stored on the [GHAVFD web site](#). Just click on the "Fire Board" tab.

This newsletter contains information about upcoming activities that may be of interest to you!

Respectfully,

GHAVFD Board of Directors

County Road 43 - Construction Design Thru Glen Haven

Activity: Presentation by Eric Purchell, Larimer County Engineer

When: Monday afternoon; September 14th, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: Glen Haven Fire House

Auxiliary Fund Raiser

Activity: Taco Bar and Bingo Night

When: Friday Evening; October 23rd, 2015

Time: Dinner (5:30 to 7:00 pm); Bingo (7:00 pm)

Location: Estes Park American Legion

Glen Haven Movie

The following information was taken from the Glen Haven Association Facebook page:

"Hey, everybody. Just wanted to let you know that the movie we filmed largely in Glen Haven will be premiering at The Historic Park Theater in Estes Park on Tuesday Sept 22 at 7pm. Filming spanned 2011-2014, so there are many shots of Glen Haven pre-flood that might interest some of you. I'll also do my best to collect some photographs and shots that weren't used in the film for you to see. A big thanks to Sonja McTeague for letting us film on her footbridge, Becky & Bruce, and Leah Simmons DeCapio for letting use her store as a location (and for some delicious coffee). Can't wait to be in paradise soon and to see some of your faces."

David Zelina with Amy Shelton-White

Board Election

Are you interested in becoming a Board member?

The GHAVFD Board of Directors consists of the Fire Chief and not less than three nor greater than twelve elected Directors. Each Director serves a two year term. Terms are staggered to allow continuity with respect to Board experience. The current Board has twelve Directors. The two year term for seven of these Directors expires at the end of this year. Six of these Directors have expressed a desire to run for re-election for another two year term. Our bylaws require elections be publicly announced and be held during what is termed "the Annual Meeting." Said meeting is scheduled to be held on Wednesday October 14th at 6:30 p.m. at the Firehouse. This business meeting will begin with an election to fill the open positions, and then followed by selection of next years officers.

If anyone wishes to have his/her name added to the ballot to join the Board of Directors for a two year term, please contact Dwayne Ballard, Board Secretary, at (970) 577-1374 or e-mail him at ghavfd@msn.com. The Board generally meets every other month, for a total of six meetings per year.

Flood Relief Donations - New Recipient

The Board of Directors voted unanimously on April 8, 2015 to vacate its role as the leading coordinator of flood relief efforts in the Glen Haven area. The decision to pass remaining flood relief donations on to the newly formed Glen Haven Flood Relief, Inc. will allow the Department to refocus on its mission of providing emergency services to the Glen Haven area.

Immediately following the devastating 2013 flood, GHAVFD was the only entity qualified to apply for the many grant opportunities that were available. The Department was successful in obtaining numerous relief grants as well as monetary donations from private foundations, businesses and private citizens. Those funds were distributed to the

many various recovery efforts throughout the GHAVFD service area, including road reconstruction, debris removal, heavy equipment leases, re-establishment of emergency access, fuel costs, and emergency communications.

The GHAVFD received over \$500,000 for flood relief/recovery efforts in 2013 and 2014. These funds were a critical component in the recovery efforts throughout the Glen Haven area. With the remaining balance of these funds being transferred to the new non-profit recovery organization, on-going recovery efforts can continue under an entity created for that purpose.

Future donations for flood relief should be payable to Glen Haven Flood Relief, Inc. and mailed to P.O. Box 34; Glen Haven, CO 80532.

The GHAVFD, on behalf of its members, Board of Directors, Auxiliary, and the residents of the entire Glen Haven area extend heartfelt appreciation to all of those agencies, foundations, organizations, businesses and individuals who so generously donated funds and time to the flood recovery efforts.

2015 Board of Directors

(Dwayne Ballard; Jim Broomfield; Steve Childs; Eileen Croissant; Sarah Fink; Tony Fink; Jason Gdovicak; Tom Housewright; Mike Keffe; John McKinley; Mary Nolan; and Jack Vaughan)

[Click to view this email in a browser](#)

If you wish to Unsubscribe and no longer receive these emails, simply click below: [Unsubscribe](#)

[Click here](#) to forward this email to a friend

Glen Haven Area Volunteer Fire Department
P.O. Box 53
Glen Haven, Colorado 80532
US

[Read](#) the VerticalResponse marketing policy.

