Middletown Volunteer Fire & Rescue, Co., Inc.

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November 1, 2017

The deadline for accepting applications will be Saturday, January 13, 2018 by 8 pm. The committee will hold interviews, if enough applicants apply, in the Social Hall of the fire station on Saturday, January 20, 2018 at 10 am. Applicants will be sent additional information regarding interviews via email. The titles of Miss Middletown Honorary Fire Chief and Runner-Up will be announced following the interviews.

Qualifications for an Honorary Fire Chief (per the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Headquarters and the fire company):

- Applicant must be a resident of the firefighting district for her sponsoring fire company;
- Applicant must be between the ages of 16 and 21 years of age before/on May 1;
- Applicant must be unmarried and have never been married, nor had her marriage annulled;
- Applicant must not be pregnant, nor have any children;
- Applicants under the age of 18 are required to have their parent/guardian complete and sign the Parental Consent Form and submit it with their application. Those applicants who do not submit this form will have their application withdrawn.

Expectations of Miss Middletown:

- Miss Middletown will be crowned at the Company's Annual Awards Banquet on Saturday, February 3, 2018.
- Miss Middletown is expected to participate in the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival's Miss In-Town and Out-of-Town Miss Honorary Fire and Rescue Chief Contest on Saturday, March 24 at 7 pm at Daniel Morgan Middle School in Winchester. There will be a mandatory rehearsal that afternoon at 3 pm. Contestants are required to wear both evening-wear and street/business attire during the pageant. The Company will provide an escort for the honorary fire chief, for the In-Town Contest.
- Miss Middletown is expected to participate with the Company in the Apple Blossom Festival's Fireman's Parade on Friday, May 4.
- All of the County's Honorary Fire and Rescue Chiefs are invited to the Schenck Foods Firefighters' Reception on Friday, May 4 at 7 pm to be held at the Millwood Fire Department Banquet Hall in Winchester following the completion of the Firefighter's Parade.
- Miss Middletown is also expected to ride on a float in the Grand Feature Parade on Saturday, May 5 with the other county honorary fire chiefs.
- Miss Middletown will also be invited to participate with the Company in various community parades, if available, including the Middletown 4th of July Parade and Middletown Christmas Parade.

NOTE: Further details on all of the above-mentioned events will be given to the 2018 Miss Middletown upon announcement of the winner.

If you should have any questions in the meantime, do not hesitate to contact at co12secretary@gmail.com.

Good luck!

Megan Bowers

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Honorary Fire Chief Committee Chair

DEADLINE FOR ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS: 8 PM ON JANUARY 13!

Miss Middletown Honorary Fire Chief Application

Please print legibly. **NOTE: Email is our primary contact.*

Application Date: _____-

Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Cell Phone: (_____)_____ *Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____/_____/_____ Age (*at time of application)*: _____

Name of Parent or Guardian (if under the age of 18): _____

Do you have a valid Virginia Driver's License and/or transportation to events: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Current Grave Level (Please circle **ONE**):

☐ 9th grade—high school
☐ 10th grade—high school
☐ 11th grade—high school
☐ 12th grade—high school
☐ Graduate—high school Year: _____
Name of High School: _____

☐ Freshman—College
☐ Sophomore—College
☐ Junior—College
☐ Senior—College
☐ Graduate Student
☐ Graduate—College Year: _____
Name of College: _____

School Activities, Clubs, Scholastic/Athletic Honors or Awards: (please list)

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Hobbies and Interests:

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Ambition in Life/Goals:

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I give Middletown Fire & Rescue Company, Inc., permission to use my photo on publications, the Company website, or any other way that they may deem necessary to better the Company and community. All responses above are true and I understand that if any of the above information is proven false, I will be automatically disqualified. If chosen to be the honorary fire chief and any information is proven false, I will be relieved of the position and the runner up will take over as the honorary fire chief. I understand the above stated qualifications, requirements and expectations.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

IF UNDER THE AGE OF 18, THE PARENTAL CONSENT FORM MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR APPLICATION FORM.

Miss Middletown Honorary Fire Chief Application

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

As the parent/guardian of _____, I give Middletown Fire & Rescue Company, Inc., permission to use my child's name photo on publications, the Company website, or any other way that they may deem necessary to better the Company and community. I understand that separate consent must be given to the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, if my child is given the honorary fire chief title.

I understand that my child is expected to follow the above stated qualifications, requirements and expectations.

I understand that if the winner of the title cannot fulfill her duties or if an applicant falsifies any information submitted on their application or becomes pregnant during their term, they will be relieved of the title of Miss Middletown and the Runner-Up will assume the role of Honorary Fire Chief for the rest of the year. The Honorary Fire Chief Committee has the right to make said decision.

Applicant's Name (please print): _____

Parent/Guardian's Name (*please print*): _____

Parent/Guardian's Email: _____ Cell: (_____) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____
Date: _____
**If applicant is under 18 years of age.*

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Please submit this form with the Miss Middletown Honorary Fire Chief Application via email to co12secretary@gmail.com or mailed/delivered to:

Middletown Volunteer Fire & Rescue Co., Inc.
Attn: Megan Bowers, Honorary Fire Chief
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