CORNISH RESCUE SQUAD – REPORT FOR 2012

Members of the Cornish Rescue Squad responded to 192 calls in 2012. The trend for calls, as in the past, are several in a row, followed by few or no calls for a period of time. Our calls varied from MV crashes to medical calls to supporting local fire departments at fire scenes.

We have several different levels of certification which include National Registry First Responders, EMT-B, EMT-I and Paramedics. Several of our members also have full time jobs in the medical field. We are licensed by the State of NH to practice at our certification level. Members are required to go through a recertification process every two or three years depending upon their level. The cost of recertification has increased over the years along with the continuing education required. This coincides with the requirements set by National Registry and the State of New Hampshire.

Our officers: Jim McCarragher, V. President and Trustee, Beth Clifton, Larry Dingee and Steve Jameson, Trustees; Chantelle Orlen, Treasurer and Dave Bridgham, Secretary.

Our members – some have been on the squad for 25+ years, while others joined last month.

FIRST RESPONDER	EMT-B	EMT-I	PARAMEDIC
Christopher Chilton	Bobby Annis	Dale Lawrence	Beth Clifton
Gary Chilton	Dave Bridgham	Chantelle Orlen	Jon Hackett
Larry Dingee	Margaret Drye	Sam Smith	Steve Jameson
Leo Maslan	Rob Drye		
	Jeff Katchen		
	Ray Kendall		
	Robin Liston		
	Jim McCarragher	r	
	Paul Merchant		
	Trey Whalen		
	Bob Widger		

We also have several people who are our support behind the scenes as Class B members:

Justin Bennett, Barbara McCarragher, Fred Schad, Jenny Schad and Lacie Scheuer

We are always grateful for the support given by the residents of Plainfield at Town Meeting and through our annual fundraiser. Your support allows us to continue to provide first responder (ahead of the ambulance), care to our friends and neighbors.

If you are interested in joining, or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 603.675.2002, or if you would like to take a First Responder or EMT class, please contact Jim McCarragher at 603.469-3505 for more information.

Sincerely,

DaleH. Lawrence President