Halton Hills Fire Department responds to two gas line fractures

Halton Hills Fire Department has released its fire call summary report on Tuesday for the week of Aug. 3-9. Some of the calls included:

Tuesday, Aug. 4

10:41 a.m. - Firefighters responded to an alarm activation in the area of Danby Rd. and Orchid Dr. Upon arrival, staff found renovation contractors had accidently set off the alarm while working in the basement.

1:05 p.m. - Firefighters responded

to a burn complaint in the area of Eighth Line south of 5 Sideroad. Staff found residents conducting a burn of yard waste without a valid burn permit. The fire was extinguished and burn permit requirements were explained.

2:38 p.m. - Firefighters responded to a report of a natural gas leak at the intersection of Mountainview Rd. and Eden Pl. On arrival crews found that road construction crews had fractured a natural gas main.

Fire staff secured the scene from further traffic and monitored gas concentrations until the arrival of Union Gas officials. Fire crews provided fire protection to Union Gas staff until the gas line break was isolated and leak stopped.

Wednesday, Aug. 5

11:37 a.m. - Firefighters responded to a report of a natural gas leak at the intersection of Mountainview Rd.

and Argyll Rd. On arrival crews found that construction crews had fractured a natural gas line. Fire staff monitored gas concentrations until the arrival of Union Gas officials.

On their arrival the gas line was quickly shut down and fire personnel were released from the scene.

6:23 p.m. - Firefighters responded to a burn complaint on Rosset Valley Ct. Upon arrival the homeowner advised that their daughter had started a fire in the rear yard but has since extinguished the fire. The fire was confirmed out and the rules of open air burning were explained.

Saturday, Aug. 8

6:47 p.m. - Firefighters responded to a burn complaint on Berton Blvd. On scene staff found the resident burning inappropriate material and was without a burn permit. The fire was extinguished and the rules of open air burning were explained.

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