





# SOUTHERN MARYLAND VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION



## Convention 2023



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Make checks payable to: **PFVFD**.

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department  
Attn: SMVFA Convention (Brian Ficke)  
P.O. Box 976  
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

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450 SOLOMONS ISLAND RD S  
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## RSVP Form

Please return this form no later than **April 14, 2023**, to [Convention2023@pfvfd.org](mailto:Convention2023@pfvfd.org).

Or mail to:

Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department  
Attn: SMVFA Convention (Brian Ficke)  
P.O. Box 976  
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

**Department/Squad Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Will be attending the Memorial Service, Saturday, April 29, 2023.

**Number of guests attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Will be attending the Dinner and Meeting, Saturday, April 29, 2023.

**Number of guests attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Will be participating in the parade, Sunday, April 30, 2023.

\_\_\_\_\_ We regret that we will not be able to attend any of the 2023 Convention functions.

NOTE: If this form is not returned, seating cannot be guaranteed.

Please contact Brian Ficke for information and questions regarding any of these three events. Phone/Text: 410-430-3348 and/or email: [Convention2023@pfvfd.org](mailto:Convention2023@pfvfd.org)

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# SOUTHERN MARYLAND VOLUNTEER FIREMAN'S ASSOCIATION



## **Parade Information** (map included)

**Sunday April 30, 2023  
12:00 p.m.**

### **Registration Location**

Calvert High School  
520 Fox Run Blvd.  
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

### **Registration Times**

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
(Parade starts at 12:00 p.m., rain or shine)

Please send only one representative from your department/squad for registration check in. All apparatus must be present and ready to be staged prior to check in.

### **Parade Route**

Apparatus will be staged/lined up at Calvert High School main parking lot.

The parade route will be south onto Fairground Road. Left onto Armory Road. Left onto Main Street. Right onto Old Field Lane. The Reviewing Stand will be in front of the Calvert County Courthouse on Main Street in Prince Frederick.

All maps, registration cards, and information related to the parade will be available at the registration check-in table. Registration check-in will be held at Calvert High School main parking lot. All departments/squads must check in at the registration table even if you registered online.

### **Awards**

A list of trophies being awarded is included in this packet. The list will also be available at the registration table.

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## Parade Rules

Registration check-in will be from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 30, 2023, at Calvert High School main parking lot. All departments/squads must check in at the registration table even if you registered online.

All apparatus must be present for the participating department/squad to register/check in for the parade. Your position in line of the parade will be based on the order of registration except for the SMVFA Officer's departments/squads, which will lead the parade.

The parade will begin promptly at 12:00 p.m., rain or shine.

Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department staff will be located along the staging route to assist with lining up units and to control the pace of units entering the parade line.

There will be Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department staff located before the Reviewing Stand to assist with the pace of units as they pass in front of the stand. **There will be no stopping in front of the Reviewing Stand.**

After units reach the PFVFD firehouse, you may proceed right onto Rt. 4, then left onto Rt. 231 West, and proceed to the Calvert County Fairgrounds for contests and activities.

The sounding of sirens and/or air horns will result in automatic disqualification.

At the discretion of the judges, there may be compartment spot checks at any time to check the organization of the vehicle.

The judges decisions are final.

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