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2023 CALENDAR

FEATURING WASHINGTON FIRE HISTORY





JAN

2023



New Year's Day

Horsing around

Courtesy of the Spokane City
Historic Preservation Office

Men of the Spokane Fire Department, posing with their horse drawn fire engine in 1890, just one year after the Great Fire gutted the city center.

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Martin Luther King Jr.					
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

FIRE STATION NO. 2



FEB

2023



Upgrade

Courtesy of the Tacoma
Public Library

A brand-new Mack 1000 gpm pumper, purchased by the Tacoma Fire Department in 1947, sits parked in front of Fire Station No. 2.

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	1	2	3	4

Presidents Day



MAR

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
26	27	28	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
<i>Daylight saving time begins</i>						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1

New-fangled

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

The 1920s saw innovations such as the portable water pump, used effectively to fight wildfires. This photo was taken by famed photographer Asahel Curtis.

BE CAREFUL
WITH EVERY SPARK OUT FIRE
"IT PAYS"

WASHINGTON FOREST FIRE ASSOCIATION
STATE FOREST FIRE SERVICE



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TACOMA 5

OFFICIAL
AUTOMOBILE
CLUB OF W.N.
SIGN

ALL
ROADS
LEAD TO
RHODE
LONGVIEW INN
MILES

PAV. PHONE LINE
TYPE 191



APR

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	1	2	3	4	5	6

Safety first!

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

A man is seen here nailing up a fire safety sign for the Washington Forest Fire Association State Forest Fire Service in 1930.



MAY

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
	<i>Memorial Day</i>					

Heave-ho

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

A fire hose brigade pulls their equipment behind them during a 1915 parade in Sprague, a small town to the southwest of Spokane.



JUN

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	1

Keeping us safe

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

During the wildfire season of 1952, a fire lookout in Okanogan County posing with her Osborne Firefinder.



JUL

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		<i>Independence Day</i>				
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5

Parading about

Courtesy of the Everett Public Library

Everett Fire Department trucks taking part in the 1976 Salty Sea Days parade through downtown.



AUG

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	1	2

Dock of the bay

Courtesy of the Seattle
Municipal Archives

Seattle Fire Department
boats moored at Fire Station
No. 5 on Alaskan Way, seen
here in 2001.



WARNING
APPROACH
FROM FRONT

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SEP

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4 <i>Labor Day</i>	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

We have liftoff

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

A DNR owned Kaman H-43 Huskie helitack, seen here in 1974 carrying a Sims 450-gallon water bucket.



BERT CRAWFORD



ROY SQUIRES



HARRY BAKER



FRANK NEWTON



DAVE POWELL



O.L. CRAWFORD



CLYDE SILVEY



LEON CRAWFORD



JAMES IRWIN



HENRY EGGERS

COLFAX
FIRE
DEPT.
1922



KENNEL
STUDIO
COLFAX
WASH.
1922



CONRAD STROM



GEO. MALONEY



OCT

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

Say cheese

Courtesy of the Washington State Archives

Photo roster of the 1922 Colfax Fire Department featuring the departments American LaFrance pumper in the center.



SPARKY

Remember Me
JOIN THE
MARCH OF DIMES

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NOV

2023



Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<i>Daylight saving time ends</i>						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
			<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>			
26	27	28	29	30	1	2

Doing their part

Courtesy of the Tacoma Public Library

"Sparky", the mascot of the NFPA, posing with several firefighters from Tacoma Fire Department Station No. 6 in 1956.



DEC

2023



Always in a flurry

Oksana Perkins

Firefighters at Seattle Fire Department's Station 25, located in Capitol Hill, making the most of their 2019 snow day.

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
<i>Christmas Eve</i>	<i>Christmas Day</i>					
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
<i>New Year's Eve</i>						

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