



# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar January 2018

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 C/A3	2 D/B3	3 A/C2	4 B/D2	5 A/C3	6 B/D3
7 C/A4	8 D/B4	9 C/A5	10 D/B5	11 A/C4	12 B/D4	13 A/C5
14 B/D5	15 C/A6	16 D/B6	17 C/A7	18 D/B7	19 A/C6	20 B/D6
21 A/C7	22 B/D7	23 C/A8	24 D/B8	25 C/A9	26 D/B9	27 A/C8
28 B/D8	29 A/C9	30 B/D9	31 C/A1			


## Safety Tip:


HFD encourages citizens to safely dispose of Christmas Trees when it begins dropping needles.



The dried-out trees should not be left in the house, garage or against the house.

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## February 2018

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### Safety Tip:



Texting Distracts.  
Watch The Road!

Statistics indicate that distracted driving contributes to as much as 20 percent of all fatal crashes and that cell phone use is the main culprit.

Just like most fires, the majority of motor vehicle accidents are preventable. HFD encourages citizens to be safe on the road and remember that distraction can lead to disaster!

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				1 D/B1	2 C/A2	3 D/B2
4 A/C1	5 B/D1	6 A/C2	7 B/D2	8 C/A3	9 D/B3	10 C/A4
11 D/B4	12 A/C3	13 B/D3	14 A/C4	15 B/D4	16 C/A5	17 D/B5
18 C/A6	19 D/B6	20 A/C5	21 B/D5	22 A/C6	23 B/D6	24 C/A7
25 D/B7	26 C/A8	27 D/B8	28 A/C7			



# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar

## March 2018

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 B/D7	2 A/C8	3 B/D8
4 C/A9	5 D/B9	6 C/A1	7 D/B1	8 A/C9	9 B/D9	10 A/C1
11 B/D1	12 C/A2	13 D/B2	14 C/A3	15 D/B3	16 A/C2	17 B/D2
18 A/C3	19 B/D3	20 C/A4	21 D/B4	22 C/A5	23 D/B5	24 A/C4
25 B/D4	26 A/C5	27 B/D5	28 C/A6	29 D/B6	30 C/A7	31 D/B7

### Safety Tip:



Look Before  
You Lock!

National Stats indicate that even on “mild” days or if the window is “cracked” the inside of a vehicle can reach nearly 120 degrees. And remember children are more sensitive to heat, causing heat stroke.

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# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar

## April 2018


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### Safety Tip:



If you attempt to extinguish the fire, it is best to use a class ABC multipurpose fire extinguisher. Follow the manufacturers instructions - stay back 6 to 8 feet and be careful not to spray the grease out of the pan.

Baking soda can also smother the fire. If the fire has not burned for more than fifteen seconds, it may still be possible to turn the burner off and use a tight fitting lid to smother the fire, but only if the fire is still small and has not spread beyond the pan.

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1 A/C6	2 B/D6	3 A/C7	4 B/D7	5 C/A8	6 D/B8	7 C/A9
8 D/B9	9 A/C8	10 B/D8	11 A/C9	12 B/D9	13 C/A1	14 D/B1
15 C/A2	16 D/B2	17 A/C1	18 B/D1	19 A/C2	20 B/D2	21 C/A3
22 D/B3	23 C/A4	24 D/B4	25 A/C3	26 B/D3	27 A/C4	28 B/D4
29 C/A5	30 D/B5					



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## May 2018

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 C/A6	2 D/B6	3 A/C5	4 B/D5	5 A/C6
6 B/D6	7 C/A7	8 D/B7	9 C/A8	10 D/B8	11 A/C7	12 B/D7
13 A/C8	14 B/D8	15 C/A9	16 D/B9	17 C/A1	18 D/B1	19 A/C9
20 B/D9	21 A/C1	22 B/D1	23 C/A2	24 D/B2	25 C/A3	26 D/B3
27 A/C2	28 B/D2	29 A/C3	30 B/D3	31 C/A4		



### Safety Tip:


### Barbeque Grill Safety Tips

When igniting the bbq charcoal, use a charcoal lighter, not gasoline. A fire extinguisher or charged garden hose should be handy. Check the pit frequently .

Hot ash and coals from bbq pits and charcoal burners should be placed in a non-combustible container until cooled or thoroughly saturated with water, before being disposed of.

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# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar

## June 2018

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### Safety Tip:




### Pool and Water Safety

Active, focused, adult supervision is the most important safety measure to prevent a water-related tragedy involving a child.

The vast majority of children who drown in pools do so in the backyards of their own homes or of relatives.

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3 D/B5	4 A/C4	5 B/D4	6 A/C5	7 B/D5	8 C/A6	9 D/B6
10 C/A7	11 D/B7	12 A/C6	13 B/D6	14 A/C7	15 B/D7	16 C/A8
17 D/B8	18 C/A9	19 D/B9	20 A/C8	21 B/D8	22 A/C9	23 B/D9
24 C/A1	25 D/B1	26 C/A2	27 D/B2	28 A/C1	29 B/D1	30 A/C2



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## July 2018

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 B/D2	2 C/A3	3 D/B3	4 C/A4	5 D/B4	6 A/C3	7 B/D3
8 A/C4	9 B/D4	10 C/A5	11 D/B5	12 C/A6	13 D/B6	14 A/C5
15 B/D5	16 A/C6	17 B/D6	18 C/A7	19 D/B7	20 C/A8	21 D/B8
22 A/C7	23 B/D7	24 A/C8	25 B/D8	26 C/A9	27 D/B9	28 C/A1
29 D/B1	30 A/C9	31 B/D9				

### Safety Tip:




### Fireworks

The use of fireworks are not only illegal in the City and parts of the County but they are also are very dangerous.

It is illegal to discharge fireworks the City of Houston. A Texas House Bill allows for the transportation of fireworks, however there are restrictions including where the fireworks are located inside the vehicle and if they are opened or unopened.

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## August 2018

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### Safety Tip:



#### Heat Related Illnesses

HFD stresses the importance of taking safety measures when outdoors to avoid heat-related medical emergencies.

Before conducting outdoors activities and feeling thirsty, drink plenty of water and electrolyte-replacement beverages.



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12 D/B4	13 C/A5	14 D/B5	15 A/C4	16 B/D4	17 A/C5	18 B/D5
19 C/A6	20 D/B6	21 C/A7	22 D/B7	23 A/C6	24 B/D6	25 A/C7
26 B/D7	27 C/A8	28 D/B8	29 C/A9	30 D/B9	31 A/C8	





# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar September 2018

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						1 B/D8
2 A/C9	3 B/D9	4 C/A1	5 D/B1	6 C/A2	7 D/B2	8 A/C1
9 B/D1	10 A/C2	11 B/D2	12 C/A3	13 D/B3	14 C/A4	15 D/B4
16 A/C3	17 B/D3	18 A/C4	19 B/D4	20 C/A5	21 D/B5	22 C/A6
23 D/B6	24 A/C5	25 B/D5	26 A/C6	27 B/D6	28 C/A7	29 D/B7
30 C/A8						


## Safety Tip:



Think. Don't Sink.

HFD and State Farm are once again encouraging citizens to "Think, Don't Sink" and steer clear of high water.

Each year, lives are needlessly lost, people are injured, and vehicles are damaged by drivers attempting to navigate flooded streets.

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# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar

## October 2018

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### Safety Tip:




### Halloween Safety

Illuminate pumpkins with small flashlights or battery operated candles instead of real candles.

Keep burning Jack-o'-lanterns away from curtains and combustible items, including decorations, as well as walkways.

Everyone should carry a flashlight or some other form of light to make you more visible to motorists. For more safety tips visit [houstonfire.org](http://houstonfire.org)

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28 A/C5	29 B/D5	30 C/A6	31 D/B6			



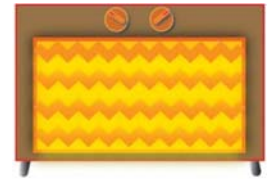
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11 A/C8	12 B/D8	13 A/C9	14 B/D9	15 C/A1	16 D/B1	17 C/A2
18 D/B2	19 A/C1	20 B/D1	21 A/C2	22 B/D2	23 C/A3	24 D/B3
25 C/A4	26 D/B4	27 A/C3	28 B/D3	29 A/C4	30 B/D4	

### Safety Tip:




If you use a space heater there is a simple rule that you should remember before you use it—**“Space Heaters Need Space”**

Keep space heaters at least three feet away from any combustible material. That includes drapes, furniture and even walls.

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# Houston Fire Department—Shift Calendar December 2018

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## Safety Tip: Holiday Lights




Make sure they are UL listed.

Don't use any more than 3 strands on a run (follow manufactures instructions).

Make sure there is no frayed wiring.

It is preferable to use smaller bulbs with less heat.

Never use lights when not at home or asleep.

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23 A/C1	24 B/D1	25 C/A2	26 D/B2	27 C/A3	28 D/B3	29 A/C2
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