



HURON VALLEY AMBULANCE

# Update

Fall 2016



In 2016, Huron Valley Ambulance celebrates 35 years of serving the community. Please join us at our thank you event for the community:

## HVA 35th Anniversary Fall Festival

Saturday, October 15, 2016

1:00 to 4:00 pm

HVA Main Campus

1200 State Circle, Ann Arbor

Everyone is welcome!

Everything is free!

[See inside for all the fun details!](#)

## Adventure Medical Response Training

### Backcountry Survival for Hunters & Outdoor Adventurers

Free Course!

Learn how to care for someone who becomes injured or ill in the wilderness. Whether you plan on spending extended time hunting in the woods or snowmobiling up north, we offer hands-on and scenario based training for your outdoor adventure.

Friday, November 4, 2016

6:00 to 9:00 pm

HVA Main Campus

1200 State Circle, Ann Arbor

For ages 14 and older

Contact Jason Trojan, Remote/Wilderness EMT

734-477-6781

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## Social Media Snip

"Today my 2 year old took a heavy fall off a bunk bed, and the friendly staff with HVA helped keep me and both of my boys calm and helped deliver my son to Childrens. I didn't catch your names, but you gave my boys a sticker and gave my little guy a little stuffed puppy that he isn't letting go of. Ryder says thank you and his doctor said he should be OK! Thank you!"

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## How cool is this?



An HVA Camp 9-1-1 camper gets up close and personal with K-9 Officer Gunner from the Wayne County Sheriff's Office. Visit [camp911.org](http://camp911.org) for more info.

## Quick Bits

- In 2010, we began switching from using diesel fuel to gas in our ambulances after Ford stopped making diesel engines for the ambulance market. Now all of our ambulances run on gas. Fortunately, gas engines are less expensive to purchase and to maintain.
- Winter is coming so watch for caution tape on abandoned vehicles. Caution tape means that emergency responders have already checked on the vehicle and you don't need to investigate or call for help.



- Van Buren Township is voting on a public safety millage on November 8. We support this millage for police and fire. Don't forget to vote!



Here we are covering the Plymouth Fall Festival!

## Remembering 9/11

Various area churches thanked HVA, police and fire responders on Sunday, September 11, the 15th anniversary of 9/11. They also sent these notes with treats for dispatch and ambulance crews:

*Thank you for all you do!  
Not all can serve in such a way!*

*Thank you for your service!  
Thank you for helping us!*



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## HVA by the Numbers

### 5 items we take on every scene

 Oxygen - to help patients breathe better and reduce anxiety.

LifePak 15 - takes blood pressures, reads heart rhythms and helps restart hearts.



Jump Box - holds breathing tubes, stethoscope, bandages and lots more.

Portable radio - gives medics a way to let the hospital know about the incoming patient.



Drug Box - holds lifesaving medications and other important drugs.