

## Jeff Strauss, Hometown Hero



"...to help other people in time of need."

Meet your neighbor, Jeff Strauss.

When Jeff joined the Brickerville Fire Company as

a 14-year-old junior firefighter back in 1980, he marked the fourth generation of the Strauss family to don turnout gear.

For Jeff Strauss, his forbearers and fellow volunteers, the fire company's always been a second home. And after more than 30 years of fighting fires, saving lives and protecting property, this husband, dad, grandfather and businessman still answers the call, no matter the time or weather.

Is Jeff Strauss a Hometown Hero? You bet. But he cringes at the tribute. "I don't see myself as a hero. I'm just another resident who tries to help other people in time of need," says Jeff, currently serving as Brickerville's Captain 2-1-1.

The Brickerville Fire Company and all of our area's fire and ambulance associations need more volunteers like Jeff Strauss. And the need is now. "Do it for the sense of pride in helping others," is the way Jeff puts it.

Learn more. There's no obligation.

Everyone needs more heroes these days. You could be one. Call 626-8900 or visit www.warwicktownship.org.



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