

## **Inferno #1**

(fire photos by Shawn Denny: aftermath photos by museum staff)

1. The Nelson Fire Department responds within 5 minutes of the 9-1-1 call by Rami Touffaha.
2. Fireman Jack Chambers and 2 volunteers get water on the fire quickly; the big truck arrives and get water on the museum building and other structures.
3. Looking down at the fire from Douglas Road.
4. Fire consuming the M.V. Amabilis II Boat Shed and contents and threatening all around it.
- 5/6. The view from along Nelson Avenue; thank goodness the Sawada family were away from home!
7. Inhalator on standby in case of suffocation from smoke.
8. Just a few sticks standing after it is finally out.
9. So much smoke people thought it was Hume School burning.
10. Fire getting under control; the fire in the museum roof was extinguished just in time.
11. Traffic and crowd control on the street for the many shocked spectators.
12. Smoke rising from the museum roof as they start to get it under control.
13. Looking down from the bank above the museum.
14. Firemen trying to silence the museum's insistent fire alarm.