

Sabetha home damaged by fire

(KNZA)--Fire caused severe damage to a Sabetha home over the weekend.

Fire Chief Jim Johnson tells MSC News that the Sabetha Fire Department responded to the Rick and Lindsey Shaw residence located at 1011 Harrison Street shortly after 6:30 Friday evening after the couple came home to find their house filled with smoke.

Johnson said the fire was contained to the kitchen area, with the rest of the house receiving severe heat and smoke damage.

He said the cause of the fire has been ruled accidental in nature, with the exact cause undetermined. The State Fire Marshal's office assisted with the investigation.

No injuries were reported.

A dollar loss was not immediately available.

Johnson said the Shaw's and their three boys, ages 8, 4 and 3, are currently staying at the Rockcreek Motel.

He said the American Red Cross and Salvation Army are assisting the family. However, clothing and toys are needed for the children. If you would like to help you can contact Lindsey Shaw at 785-501-3586.

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