

*FULLER ROAD FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.
AND LADIES AUXILIARY*

"AIRHORN"

MAY - AUGUST 2009

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEFS

As all our busy summer schedules begin to take effect, please note the dates of our parades. The parade committee is hosting parade and color guard practices, and again this year, the Memorial Service on May 11 will serve as a uniform inspection. If you attend the Memorial Service and a parade, the Memorial Service will be a parade credit. All of your help is appreciated. In order to compete for trophies, we can't have "some look good", we have to have "All look great!", and that is up to YOU.

We hope to take delivery of the new Engine 412 in the middle of May. Please watch for training announcements to get yourself up to speed with the new apparatus.

The Chief's Inspection will be June 6th at the Colonie Village Recreation Center.

We hope you all have a fun and safe summer.

Kevin Terry, Chief
Larry Allen, 1st Assistant Chief
Jim Savoca, 2nd Assistant Chief

**MESSAGE FROM THE FIRE
DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT**

Just around the corner are the Lake George Convention on June 18-20, and the July convention in Mechanicville on July 10 – 11. Help at these events will be appreciated. Also, as a reminder, June 7 will be our yearly clambake.

It takes a team effort from everyone to make these events all go smoothly.

If you want to help out on any committees, please call me at 369-6694.

Wayne Dragon
President

MESSAGE FROM THE FUNSTERS

There are only a few rooms left for the Lake George Convention to be held June 18-20, and they are \$135.00 per night. Please let Bill Prime know as soon as possible if you are interested in a room. Deposit is due by the Monday, May 4th meeting and final payment is due at the Monday, June 1st meeting. I also need to know who wants to stay Thursday night in Lake George.

Please let me know also if you want a room in Old Forge for September 17 -19, 2009. Need a count of people by the second meeting in May. A deposit will be needed by the first meeting in June.

Bill Prime

**MESSAGE FROM THE LADIES
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT**

Many thanks to both fire department and ladies auxiliary members who worked so hard at the recent Palm Sunday breakfast buffet. Thanks, too, to all who donated baked goods and supported this function. We sincerely appreciate it!

Joyce Ricciardi, President

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The annual memorial service will be held on Monday, May 11 at 7:00 p.m. The Fire Department appears in full dress uniform

and the service is conducted in memory of our departed fire department and ladies auxiliary members.

If you are a member of the fire department but do not own a uniform, and want to attend this tribute, you are encouraged to do so.

The Ladies Auxiliary would like to see more ladies at the memorial service also. Please come and remember your departed sisters.

DARE GOLF TOURNAMENT

The DARE Golf Tournament will be held on Monday, May 18. Cost to the fire department member is \$60.00 and money is due by May 11.

FIRE DEPARTMENT CLAMBAKE

Mark your calendars now for the annual Fire Department clambake to be held Sunday, June 7, 2009 at Picard's Grove, 111 Picard Road, Voorheesville, New York.

Prices are as follows:

Social Members:	\$10.00
Voting members:	Free
1 Guest ONLY of social or	
Voting member	\$25.00
Children under 6	Free
Children ages 6-12	\$11.00.

If you have other family members living in your household that are 21 years of age or older, and you want to bring them as an additional guest, the cost is \$44.00 per person.

A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the engine room. All monies must be paid by May 27.

FIREMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

Mark your calendars now for August 21, 2009 for the firemen's tournament. More information will be posted on the bulletin board in the engine room.

NASCAR TRIP

The sign-up list for the NASCAR trip in September to Dover, Delaware is on the bulletin board at the firehouse. If more

interest is not shown for this trip, it will be cancelled.

CHEERS AND TEARS

OUR SYMPATHIES TO:

The family of Ray Riccardi on his recent passing.

Paul Heintz on the recent passing of Hildegarde.

GET WELL/THINKING OF YOU:

Andy Haller
Joanne Rhynders
Bing Wolfstich

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Jen Fisher and Ryan O'Hare on their engagement. Ryan proposed to Jen on December 28, 2008 on the top of the Empire State building @ 7:15 p.m. How romantic is that!!

Congratulations to Elaine and Wayne Dragon on their 40th wedding anniversary on May 10th.

Congratulations to Wayne and Karen Dragon who are expecting a baby in September!

Congratulations to Dan and Cindy Anderson on becoming first-time grandparents to Connor Matthew Luc, born April 6, 2009, weighing 8 pounds 14 ounces and 21 inches long!

JUNE AUXILIARY MEETING

We will host a pound party after June's meeting. This entails bringing a wrapped gift package containing a pound of anything you think of; i.e., a pound of spaghetti, a pound of sugar, etc. We will auction off the pretty gifts to the highest bidder. It's a lot of fun and good for more than a few laughs!!

AUGUST AUXILIARY MEETING

Just a reminder that there is no meeting in August.

SEPTEMBER AUXILIARY MEETING

Each year, we ask our auxiliary members to provide some school supplies for the less-fortunate children in our district. We collect these and bring them to Roessleville School for distribution as needed. This has been a very gratifying experience for all of us, and helps out the children at the same time.

We will undertake this project once again and ask that you purchase a few dollars worth of school supplies and bring them to September's auxiliary meeting. Please be sure to sign your name on the donation sheet. Ideas for the donations could be crayons, note pads, Kleenex, etc. During the summer, you can check the South Colonie web site for more ideas.

ROAST PORK DINNER THANKS

Thanks to all of you listed below for ALL your help for the Roast Pork dinner in February. It was an outstanding dinner and with all your help, was smooth sailing!

See ya'll in October??

Cindy Anderson

Ladies Dinner Workers

Gloria Allegretta
Shirley Allen
Cindy Anderson
Ruth Benedetto
Chris Cardone
Rita DeMary
Jennifer Fisher
Mary Kenneally
Roseanne Kwarta
Susette May
MaryAnn McGee
Jeanne McMahon
JoEllen Reynolds
Joyce Ricciardi
Pat Russo
Darlene Savoca

Ladies Dinner Workers (cont.)

Dolores Savoca
Filomena Savoca
Kathy Schwind
Niki Tonic
Audrey Traver
Sylvia Vadney

Pie/Dessert/Monetary Donations

Gloria Allegretta
Shirley Allen
Cindy Anderson
Mary Asprion
Lori Bellegarde
Ruth Benedetto
Cindy Calabrese
Chris Cardone
Rita DeMary
Sally Deyo
Nancy Fahd
Jennifer Fisher
Kirsten Kolber
Roseanne Kwarta
Susette May
Jeanne McMahon
Terri O'Keefe
Barb Pommier
Marilyn Primeau
JoEllen Reynolds
Joyce Ricciardi
Mary Ann Rosenzweig
Pat Russo
Darlene Savoca
Dolores Savoca
Filomena Savoca
Kathy Schwind
Niki Tonic
Audrey Traver
Sylvia Vadney

Fire Department Workers

Larry Allen
Dan Anderson
Bill Baumann
Lou Bologna
Dick Gilligan
Jim Kenneally
Steve Kwarta
Ryan O'Hare
Vicky Ortiz
Tom Presiller
Rick Ricciardi
James Savoca
Joe Schwind
Barry Traver
Wade VanBeusichem
Tom With

E-MAIL ADDRESSES!!

For any fire department or auxiliary member who wishes to be notified via e-mail instead of phone (i.e., requesting baked good donations, assistance at functions), please provide Dan Anderson with your e-mail address. Dan can be reached at:

danderson@fullerroadfire.com

Deadline for next "Airhorn" is Tuesday, August 18, 2009

FRFD's web page:
FullerRoadFire.com



Have a safe, happy, fun summer!

