

FACING TOMORROW TOGETHER

National Fallen Firefighters Foundation
A Newsletter for Fire Service Survivors



THERE ARE NO SMALL EFFORTS



All of us who work with the Foundation have great stories of people who work behind the scenes to help the Foundation in countless ways throughout

the year. We want to bring some of those stories to light, both as a way to give well deserved credit, and as a way to let others know that there are many ways, small and large, to contribute to the Foundation and its mission. We appreciate every effort.

SKILLFUL HANDS

Lt. Eric Evers of the Summit Fire Department in New Jersey volunteers with the command staff during the annual Memorial Weekend. But he has also donated his time and labor as a skilled carpenter, constructing display cases for merchandise in the Foundation store, as well as flag cases. It's a beautiful example of one person using his particular gifts for the greater good. In Eric's own words:

Being involved in the Memorial Weekend is an honor and a standing tradition for the Summit Fire Department. Not only does it give us a chance to interact with the staff and the families, but it underscores why we do what we do and the



Lt. Paul Imbimbo, Lt. Eric Evers, Lt. David Guida, FF Brian Harnois, and BC Joe Wurtzbacher at the Memorial

importance of families and friends. As for the little things I have done personally over the years for the Foundation, each of us has our own quiet way of contributing. Making and building things is mine. Even better that it is for such a good cause—honoring and supporting the families of our fallen brothers and sisters.

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MEET THE STAFF



Pat Stonaker began volunteering with the NFFF in 1999 after her father, Richard Liddy (1994-NJ), was honored in Emmitsburg.

Pat joined the Foundation staff in June 2010. She has assisted in *Taking Care of Our Own*® classes, *LAST* training, *Everyone Goes Home*® training, trade shows, and the Memorial Weekend. Pat has



an extensive background in fire, police, and emergency medical systems, having worked as an EMT in Pennsylvania for 15 years and in police department administration for more than 12 years.

I am honored and humbled to work for the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation. Having walked through the Sea of Blue when

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START 'EM YOUNG!

By Capt. Tom D. Benjamin Sr.
Ohio Local Assistance State Team



My eight-year-old son, Tommy, had been asking to do a

lemonade stand. We had been putting it off, quite honestly, as we're in the middle of moving. However, it came time to have a yard sale, and we felt that would be the perfect time for him to set up his stand. Around the same time, I had been talking about my upcoming trip to the Memorial Weekend, as it's a long time away from the family.

We asked Tommy what he wanted to do with the money he raised from the sales, fully expecting to hear that he wanted to buy some Lego or trucks. He thought about it for a few days really, and then he said, "I want



to give the money to help out the firefighters that Daddy helps." We weren't quite sure what he was talking about at first. When we asked, he said, "The people that Daddy helps when he goes away for a long time in Baltimore." Once he said that, we knew he meant the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation.

We made up the sign, got his supplies ready, and got his stand set up at the end of our driveway during our yard sale. His little brother, Ryan, and sister, Delaney, helped

out a little bit, but Tommy was clearly the boss and made all the big decisions! Thanks to some exceptionally kind donors, he collected about \$107!!

I had full intentions of hand delivering the money on my trip to Emmitsburg. However, Ohio suffered two firefighter deaths just prior to my trip, so I decided at the last minute to stay back in Ohio to help out. The check is in the mail!!

REMEMBERING FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS

By Karen Fowler Staab,
sister of Vincent G. Fowler (1999-NY)



My brother, FDNY Captain Vincent G. Fowler, died in the line of duty in New York on June 4, 1999. For the next year and a half, our family attended

a number of memorials honoring him. They made us very proud of his sacrifice but were somewhat somber occasions.

We held several one-pitch softball tournaments and family picnics in his honor, which were very successful and raised funds for his favorite charities. Another very happy occasion was the day that P.S. 108 in South Ozone Park, NY, was renamed the Captain Vincent G. Fowler School. It was the first school in New York City to be named in honor of a firefighter and made us all very proud.

Since this elementary school was renamed in 2000, the school holds an annual Captain Vincent G. Fowler Celebration Day, which we all attend (now including his three grandchildren). The students and teachers present a program in his honor which includes dancing, singing,



poem recitations and musical performances. It is a very happy and uplifting event. My father, Vincent J. Fowler—a retired FDNY battalion chief—and Vin's wife, Mona, speak to the students about Vin, and quite a number of firefighters attend, including bagpipers.

The students and teachers are all very excited, make the family feel very welcome, and do an excellent job with their performances. The celebration makes us very proud of Vin and his legacy.

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2011 SURVIVORS CONFERENCE



ark your calendars! The 6th annual Fire Service Survivors Conference will be held May 1-6, 2011, in San Antonio, Texas. The Survivors Conference was created

because survivors who returned to the annual Memorial Weekend to volunteer said they wished they had more time to spend together outside of that event. It has become a sort of reunion, a time to catch up with old friends and meet new ones, and an opportunity to talk about the ongoing experiences after the death of a loved one.

The conference offers survivors a variety of workshops focusing on wellness, healing, and practical concerns. Previous workshop topics have included children's grief, art therapy, nutrition, home maintenance, speech coaching, dating, and self-defense. Participants will have time to get to know one another and form friendships that can help

sustain them long after the conference ends. Join others for evening activities, make an appointment for a relaxing massage, venture out to nearby shopping and restaurants, and enjoy a day-long excursion and tour of the local area.

The conference is open to all survivors of firefighters who have been honored at the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Parents, spouses, siblings, adult children, and other family members have attended previous conferences. The conference is for adults, and we cannot accommodate young children. The conference itself is provided free of charge. With the help of generous sponsors, the Foundation is also able to cover lodging and some food and transportation costs.

We understand that you may be nervous about traveling or attending for the first time, and we will do our best to make sure you have a good experience. Here's what a few survivors who attended the 2010 conference had to say:

"I really enjoyed the conference. It was a great help to me, and I met so many new friends. I look forward to helping with the Foundation any way I possibly can."

– Father

"It was so nice to see and be with people who I can relate and talk to and even cry all I wanted to without someone giving me a dirty look. Also, it was so nice to forget about everything that is going on, at least for a week, and just sit back and relax, relax, and relax even more. I may not remember the names of everyone I met, but I sure will remember the faces and kindness associated with these people."

– Wife

"What a wonderful conference in Chicago! I am so glad I went. The fun I had and sharing my experience with everyone was very healing and heartwarming. The classes were great. Getting on that plane and stepping out of my comfort zone without having someone with me and holding my hand was one thing I really needed to continue on my path of healing. I almost canceled my flight several times, but I pulled myself up by my bootstraps. I knew that if I took this step, people I know and love would be there when I stepped off the plane. It is good to talk with people who are in the same place I am and understand what I'm dealing with. It showed me that the feelings I have are not crazy, but absolutely normal. What a relief that is!"

– Mother

Contact Bev Donlon at bdonlon@firehero.org or (301) 447-1603 to ask questions or request registration materials. We hope to see you in May!

SURVIVORS IN THE NEWS



hose who attended our Fire Service Survivors Conference this year had the pleasure of meeting Mary Dennis and learning about her campaign for mayor. Mary

is the wife of Fire Engineer Roger Dennis, a 2008 fallen firefighter, of the San Antonio Fire Department.

Mary was elected mayor of Live Oak, Texas, where she is currently serving a 2-year term. Mary appreciated everyone's encouragement in Chicago and says she hopes to be ready for the Alaskan cruise! Congratulations, Mayor Dennis, on this achievement!



MEMORIAL WEEKEND



Anyone who has worked behind the scenes of the Memorial Weekend knows that it is a huge endeavor requiring many hardworking, dedicated people. Each year, hundreds of people travel from across the United States and work together on this event.

Our heartfelt thanks to the returning survivors, firefighters, volunteers, corporate sponsors, NETC staff, and others who worked together to make the 2010 Memorial Weekend memorable and meaningful for the survivors of our honored firefighters.

To the families and friends of the firefighters honored here this year, we continue to hold you and your beloved firefighters in our hearts and prayers.



"I was nervous about being able to connect with everyone, but you all made it so easy. We were made to feel welcome everywhere we went. I don't have the words to thank you all for these memories. It was awesome!"

"The Memorial Weekend was the best organized function that I have attended. The honor bestowed upon the fallen firefighters is moving and very humbling to a survivor. It was a wonderful tribute to the fallen firefighters."



"I could not ask for anything to be better organized. This event was amazing. Thank you for every moment we spent there. We love our new found family."



OCTOBER 1-3, 2010

"I never in a million years thought the Memorial Weekend was going to be as beautiful and amazing as it was. I have never been surrounded by so many kind people. I just feel extremely blessed to have been able to experience it."



"I felt like I belonged and was not alone. It was very comforting to be around people that 'get it!' Everyone was so kind and helpful. The Candlelight Service was a wonderful way to reflect on my loved one's life, while the Memorial Service was a way to honor his death."

2010 MEMORIAL WEEKEND KEEPSAKES

Our photographers took hundreds of photos during the Memorial Weekend, and we would like to share them with you. To view and order prints, go to: <http://nfffphoto.dotphoto.com>.

Enter the following information to access the photos:

User: nfffphoto

Password: fhguest

Visit shop.firehero.org to purchase Memorial Weekend DVDs, t-shirts, pins, and patches. (At press time, DVDs were not yet available, but they will be soon.)



REMEMBERING FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS *continued from page 2*

By Margaret Bohan, *mother of James E. Bohan (1998-NY)*



My son, FF James Bohan, along with two other firefighters, died in a line-of-duty fire on December 18, 1998, trying to save an old lady in the Starrett City housing complex in Brooklyn.

One of the things we do in his name is the annual James Bohan Toy Drive. For the past five years or so, we just ask family members to contribute gifts, which are collected by E262 in Queens, and given to children with Down

Syndrome on Long Island, sick children in St. Mary's Hospital, Queens, and Hour Children, an organization that helps children of incarcerated women. The day before James died, he was delivering toys to sick children at Brookdale Hospital, along with Christopher Bopp, another fireman who died with him. James loved children, and so we think it is fit to give to needy children at this time of the year.

My husband, son Maurice, and I have a dinner in honor of James every year called The James Bohan Family Dinner, because he loved family and loved having company. This way we get to see every aunt, uncle, niece, and nephew, all at the same time.

By Roger Nadeau, *brother of Gerald Nadeau (2002-MA)*



District Fire Chief Gerald W. Nadeau Memorial Foundation (www.gerrynadeau.org) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) foundation I established, in honor of my brother, to restore a 1986 Pierce Dash fire apparatus with the intent to use it as a memorial for

fallen firefighters in a funeral procession.

I was recently awarded \$1225 to supply the engine with 300 pairs of white gloves and 48 pairs of beaded white gloves, 250 badge bands, and 2 rolls of bunting to carry on the engine we are going to use as a LAST Team response engine. It was nice to get a United Way Mini Grant. I am very excited about it, as it helps us to achieve our goal to complete stocking of the engine with necessary items.

By Jean Lloyd, *wife of Ray Lloyd Jr. (2001-FL)*



In 2009, Marion County named a new, big, beautiful station after my husband, Ray Lloyd Jr., the first and only Marion County Fire Rescue firefighter to die in the line of duty. It's on a main street in Dunnellon, a first for the county and maybe the state. He was a volunteer firefighter. Needless to say, I am very proud.



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my father was honored in 1995, my personal goal is to ensure that every survivor that I encounter be treated with the utmost respect and compassion which was shown to my family and me during our honored year. I also want to make sure that returning survivors are afforded the opportunities to experience

the many aspects of the NFFF that I have had the pleasure of experiencing. I have met many outstanding people while volunteering for the Foundation, and I am excited to have the opportunity to work with, and for, those individuals and many more outstanding people to be met in the future.

-Pat Stonaker



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES!

REMEMBRANCE CARDS



uring the anniversary month of each firefighter's death, families receive a remembrance card written by another fire service survivor. It is a simple way to remind families that others remember and care. For those who have not helped with this project before, here is the process:

- Several weeks ahead of time, we send the names of firefighters who died in the line of duty for your assigned month to you, along with contact information for their families.
- We also send the cards, envelopes, and postage stamps for the mailings.
- You write a short note and send a card to each person on the list.
- You let us know when the cards have been sent.

I wanted to thank you so very much for your thoughtfulness and for taking the time to send a card on the anniversary of my husband's death. I rarely get those kinds of acknowledgements, and it is such a warm feeling to know that he is remembered on this day.

– wife of a fallen firefighter

If you are a survivor of a firefighter who has been honored at the National Memorial and you would like to volunteer to send Remembrance Cards in 2011, please contact Bev Donlon at (301) 447-1603 or bdonlon@firehero.org to be added to the schedule. Thank you!

SPEAKERS BUREAU



am Burditt, sister of Mark Mansfield (2002-KS), recently spoke at the Kansas Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service. Pam reports that she "wasn't even nervous" and that she received many good thoughts from those in attendance. In the words of Fire Chief Jeff Hudson of the City of Shawnee Fire Department:

I wish I could tell the world what a great ambassador you are for the fallen firefighter community, for your brother, and your family. You did a remarkable job speaking to the hearts of the families of fallen firefighters, and I was so honored to share the podium with you. You should think about speaking more to groups about this, because your convictions and true spirit of helping others live and work through their grief is genuine and heartfelt.

Wow! Our congratulations and thanks to Pam for representing the survivor community so well and reaching out to others.

You may not consider yourself a speaker, but if you have a story to tell and feel passionate about survivor issues, firefighter health and safety, or preventing line-of-duty deaths, you might want to consider joining the NFFF Speakers Bureau. We can work with you on speaking skills, background materials, and other preparation. If you are interested, please contact Linda Hurley at lhurley@firehero.org or (301) 447-7693.

2010-2011 FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS



he NFFF and its partners awarded scholarships to 81 children, 3 stepchildren, and 2 spouses of fallen firefighters.

- Recipients' ages range from 18 to 53.
- Scholarship recipients hail from 26 states and will attend institutions in 31 states.
- The Foundation, in partnership with the Motorola Foundation, awarded over \$228,402 in total scholarships for this academic year.
- The Foundation's partners, ICMA-RC and MasterGuard, awarded \$25,500 to 15 recipients.
- Over \$1,566,500 in scholarships have been awarded since 1997.

For more information about the NFFF Sarbanes Scholarship Program and other sources of educational assistance, visit the Benefits section at www.firehero.org. Applications for the 2011-12 academic year will be available January 1.



NFFF SOCIAL NETWORKING



Like everyone else, the NFFF is venturing into the world of social networking. For those of us who took “typing” in high school before it was called “keyboarding,” this new-fangled world can be a little daunting sometimes. Here’s a brief explanation of some ways you can stay in touch with others and keep up with what’s happening at the NFFF.

FACEBOOK

What is it?

A Web site that allows users to “friend” each other and stay up to date with one another’s lives.

What can you do with it?

You can share photos, write messages to each other, update your status on what’s going on in your life, and even play games. It provides a way to reconnect with people you have lost touch with or to keep in touch with friends and family across the country.

How do I sign up?

The Foundation’s official page is open to anyone who wants to stay current on Foundation events and news. To access that page, go to: www.facebook.com/NationalFallenFirefightersFoundation.

There is also a Facebook page created by survivors just for family and friends who have had a firefighter honored at the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial. This site allows survivors to communicate with one another in a more protected setting. Survivors can access this page at www.facebook.com/SurvivorSupportNetworkoftheNFFF.

Access on the survivors’ page is restricted to survivors, so you must submit a request to join the group. The administrator will then make contact with you to verify that you are a survivor of a firefighter honored at the National Memorial. Should you encounter any problems accessing the site, contact Pat at pstonaker@firehero.org.

TWITTER

What is it?

Twitter provides a way for users to post brief updates that answer the question, “What are you doing right now?”

What can you do with it?

Individuals can use the site to update others on their lives. Organizations use it as a fast way to deliver information to a wide audience. Users “follow” others to see their updates.

How can I sign up?

To follow NFFF news through Twitter, go to: https://twitter.com/NFFF_News

I was slow about coming to Facebook. Most of all, I like it because you stay in touch with your network friends and loved ones. I get to share my thoughts and input on certain issues and concerns of our neighborhood and nation.

– Helen King, wife of Larry Joe King (1998-TN)

I like our page because we can ‘talk’ with only us. It brings us closer together. Keeps me informed as to what the survivors are doing.

– Marty Cropper, wife of Leroy Cropper (1995-MD)

For me, the Facebook Survivor Group has been a godsend. When I find myself lost, unsure, and just needing encouragement, I can go there and find others who have or are going through the same questions, doubts, and emotions. We also share the good times and what is happening in our day-to-day lives.

–Bonnie Hall, wife of Sidney Hall (2007-IN)

GOT WIDGET?



Help us honor America’s firefighters who have died in the line of duty. Their names are enshrined at the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial

in Emmitsburg, Maryland. You can pay tribute by adding the National Fallen Firefighters Tribute Widget to your Web site, blog, or Facebook page.

What is a widget, you ask? It’s a small box that will appear on your site, continually scrolling the names of firefighters honored in Emmitsburg. Go to <http://weekend.firehero.org/widget> to copy and embed the widget. Thank you for helping us remember America’s honored fire heroes.



NASCAR CORNER

2010 DOVER SPEEDWAY EVENT



The checkered flag has waved on another successful NFFF event at Dover International Speedway.

This event began just three years ago and continues to provide firefighters and their families with a way to have fun while helping a worthwhile cause. This year's \$93,299 contribution to the NFFF brings the three-year total to \$219,199!

Race Day began with track tours, food, fun, and guest appearances with driver and ESPN commentator Rusty Wallace, and NASCAR President Mike Helton.

Fourteen survivor families were in Dover this year. They met with race driver Brad Keselowski whose Checkered Flag Foundation helped to offset the cost of tickets for the families. Brad spent time and spoke with each family. Survivors also rode fire engines around the track, which was a special moment for them.

Please mark your calendar for next year's event—October 2, 2011 — and help us spread the word to your contacts in the firefighting community.



2011 DAYTONA 500!



Join your fellow firefighters for racing and hospitality at the DAYTONA 500 and support a great cause! Daytona International Speedway and the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation have united to raise funds for families of fallen firefighters.

This \$119 exclusive package includes:

- Allison Tower Seat (2/20/2011)
- Admission to the Star & Shield Fire Station 500 hospitality area that will include food, soda, water and unlimited beer
- Donation to the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation
- Commemorative event t-shirt



For more information on the race package, call Amy at (386) 681-5535 or visit www.daytonainternationalspeedway.com/nfff.

For hotel information, contact Eric Nagle at enagle@firehero.org or (301) 447-1431.



CRUISIN'

There are two cruises currently being organized by survivors, for survivors. Whether you like the tropics or prefer cooler weather, there should be something here that will work for you! Each will provide time to catch up with old friends, meet new ones, and make lasting memories. These are not Foundation-sponsored events, so please contact the survivors listed for each to find out more.

CRUISE SHIPS AND RACE CARS

- Join us for a pre-Daytona 500 adventure in the Bahamas!
- Departs Port Canaveral on February 13, 2010 -- Carnival Sensation
- Contact Jennifer Cormican (Jennc2008@hotmail.com) or Cari Thornton (c49203@hotmail.com) ASAP for more information.

BEAT THE HEAT 7-NIGHT ALASKA CRUISE

- Fallen Firefighters Survivors & Friends
- Departs Whittier, WA on August 3, 2011 -- Princess Cruises, Island Princess
- Optional cruise tour prior to sailing
- Land tour is aboard the Wilderness Rail Service
- 2 nights in the McKinley Wilderness Lodge
- 1 night in the Denali Wilderness Lodge

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Cathy DeFlumere (foxmatt1@msn.com) or Cathy Hedrick (chedrick@firehero.org).



SHOP AT WWW.FIREHERO.ORG!



here are new items available in the Foundation's online store. Shop from the convenience of home, and remember that your purchases help support the Foundation's programs for survivors of fallen firefighters. Here are just a few of the new items available.

2010 Memorial Weekend Lapel Pin.....\$5



This year's lapel pin features the 2010 Memorial Weekend logo: turnout gear, an axe, and a military dog tag combined to remember the firefighters honored during the 2010 National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Weekend.

Hand-crafted Wooden Flag Case\$75

This beautiful wooden case is hand-crafted to display your folded flag.



Foundation Tapestry Throw\$35

Our 100% cotton tapestry throw features a beautiful rendition of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial, banked on either side by the "Forever In Our Hearts" Survivor logo and the NFFF rose logo. 54" x 70" – Machine washable. Made in the USA.



Sterling Silver Dog Tag Charm.....\$30

The newest addition to the Foundation Charm collection is a sterling silver dog tag with "Honor and Remember 2010" engraved on the tag.



Fallen Firefighter Family Survivor Polo\$35

The Survivor "Forever in our Hearts" logo is embroidered on the front of this sailor blue Izod classic silk washed polo.



Foundation Garden Flag and Flag Pole \$15 for each

Will the 12 x 18" nylon Foundation flag find a place in your garden? Metal display pole holds garden flag. Flag and pole sold separately.

DATES FOR 2011 MEMORIAL WEEKEND CHANGED

The 2011 Memorial Weekend will take place October 14-16, in Emmitsburg, Maryland.

Please note this date change, as it is different from what has been previously posted and announced by the NFFF. This change was made because the original date conflicted with Yom Kippur, the Jewish holiday of atonement and one of the holiest days in the Jewish calendar.

The 2011 weekend is especially poignant as it marks the 30th anniversary of the National Fallen Firefighter's Memorial and follows the 10th anniversary of the tragic events of September 11, 2001.



PSOB DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARIES



nacted in 1976, the Public Safety Officers' Benefits (PSOB) Office at the Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice, provides death, disability, and education benefits to those eligible for the programs.

Should a firefighter's death be found eligible for the PSOB benefit, and the firefighter has no surviving spouse or eligible children for PSOB purposes, the next level of beneficiary is the "PSOB Designee" on file with the agency at the time of the officer's death. The PSOB Office has partnered with the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation (NFFF) to provide the following information to departments regarding a PSOB designee, especially vital in

those instances where a public safety officer is not married and has no children, or adult children only.

The "Designation of Beneficiaries" template can be customized with department letterhead and is available for download from the NFFF at www.firehero.org/resources/departments/last/. If you are a member of the fire service or have family members or friends who are firefighters, please take advantage of this important resource.

For questions regarding this information, or for details regarding the PSOB Death, Disability, or Educational Assistance Programs, please call the PSOB Call Center toll-free at 888-744-6513 or 202-307-0635, or visit PSOB online at www.psob.gov.

Designation of Beneficiaries Form
For U.S. Department of Justice Public Safety Officers' Benefits (PSOB) Program

WHO RECEIVES PSOB BENEFITS IF THE CLAIM IS APPROVED?

Benefits are paid to survivors according to the following criteria:

1. If there is a spouse and no child* or children, all to the spouse.
2. If there is a spouse and child or children, one-half to the spouse and one-half to the child or children in equal shares.
3. If no spouse, and children only, all to the child or children in equal shares.
4. **If no spouse or children, then to the individual(s) designated by the officer as PSOB beneficiary on file with the officer's agency, or if no designation then to the individual designated as the beneficiary on the most recently executed life insurance policy on file with the officer's agency.**
5. If none of the above, to the officer's parents in equal shares.

*"Child" is defined as any natural, illegitimate, adopted, or posthumous child or stepchild of a deceased public safety officer who, at the time of the officer's death, is 18 years old or under; 19-22 and a full-time student; or 19 and older, and incapable of self-support due to a physical or mental disability.

PURPOSE OF THIS FORM

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This form is for use in declaring a beneficiary for any PSOB benefits that your survivors may be eligible for in the event of your death. The circumstances in which the beneficiaries identified here might be eligible for the PSOB benefit are identified in Step 4 above and would not apply if there is an eligible spouse or children. Should you wish to complete this form, it must be retained with official departmental records.

I, _____ (print full name), as a member of
 _____ (print agency name), hereby designate
 the following beneficiary(s) for any PSOB benefits that may be paid in the event of my death:

Name	Address	Relationship	Percent (must total 100)

Officer signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Witness signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____



SAVE THE DATE 2011!

January 1, 2011

2011-2012 Scholarship Applications Available

www.firehero.org

February 20, 2011

NASCAR Event to Benefit NFFF

Daytona 500 -- Daytona, FL

www.daytonainternationalspeedway.com

March 24, 2011

Stop, Drop, Rock & Roll at FDIC

Indianapolis, IN

March 26, 2011

NASCAR Event to benefit NFFF

Auto Club Speedway -- Fontana, CA

April 1, 2011

2011-2012 Scholarship Applications must be
postmarked and mailed

www.firehero.org



April 6-7, 2011

CFSI Fire Caucus Dinner

Washington, DC

www.cfsi.org

May 1-6, 2011

Fire Service Survivors Conference

San Antonio, TX

July 23, 2011

NASCAR Event to benefit NFFF

Nashville Super Speedway -- Nashville, TN

October 2, 2011

NASCAR Event to Benefit NFFF

Dover International Speedway -- Dover, DE

October 14-16, 2011

National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Weekend

Emmitsburg, MD

For additional information on upcoming events, visit www.firehero.org.

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