



# TWENTY-EIGHT ANNUAL NEW YORK STATE WEEKEND NATIONAL FIRE ACADEMY

EMMITSBURG, MARYLAND

**March 9-10, 2013**

The New York State Office of Fire Prevention and Control and the Fire Academy Faculty Student Association proudly announces the 2013 28<sup>th</sup> annual New York State Weekend at the National Fire Academy. The NFA will accommodate 240 students at the 2013 NYS Weekend. Student selection will be predicated on a first come basis using the National Fire Academy selection criteria; Individuals must have a minimum of five years of firefighting experience and meet the NFA Student Criteria or Target Audience as listed under the course description. Eight (8) National Fire Academy courses will be presented; each class will accommodate 30 students maximum.

**Starting this year each applicant must use their Federal Student Identification number in lieu of your SSN. Please go to <https://cdp.dhs.gov/elms>, Click on Create Account, follow the instructions. Federal application will NOT be processed without the FSIN. Instead of your SSN use the FSIN number in the SSN field (#6) on the FEMA FORM 119-25-2 form. This is not the same as your NYS training ID.**

Transportation is included and buses will depart for Emmitsburg, Maryland on Friday March 8, 2013 in time to arrive by 4:00 p.m. for registration and dinner. Classes will be conducted on Saturday March 9, 2013 and Sunday March 10, 2013. Buses will depart the National Fire Academy on Sunday March 10, 2013 at approximately 3:00 p.m.

The cost for the weekend will be **\$ 180.00**. This will include transportation, meals and lodging, evening refreshments (pizza & wings) a memento of the weekend and the purchase of a 2013 NYS Weekend memorial brick for the memorial walkway.

Those wishing to attend the 2013 weekend must complete the enclosed registration form and complete the FEMA application in accordance with the enclosed instructions and return it with payment by **December 7, 2012** to:

**NYS Weekend  
C/o Fire Academy FSA  
600 College Ave.  
Montour Falls, NY 14865**

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**Incomplete, illegible or unclear applications will not be processed and may be returned for completion.**

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**Payment by check must be submitted with the NYS registration form and FEMA FORM 119-25-2, AUG. 2013.** Make checks Payable to "**Fire Academy FSA**" (Vouchers or purchase orders will not be accepted). Credit Card payments please call: 1-800-758-1818.

**Note: Payments may be combined in a single check. Checks will be deposited when received. Refunds will be sent to the originator of the check for rejected applications and for any standby spaces that are not filled. Please note there is a \$20.00 fee for a returned check.**

For additional information contact Diane Caves at [dianecaves@aol.com](mailto:dianecaves@aol.com), or Nicholas Perrotta at [nperrotta@dhses.ny.gov](mailto:nperrotta@dhses.ny.gov) or the main OFPC office at 518-474-6746.

**Please note the refund, cancellation and substitution information on the reverse side.**

- **Cancellations after January 25, 2013 will not receive a refund.**
- **Substitutions are not permitted.**
- **Spaces created by cancellations will be filled from a stand-by list.**

