

FIRE SAFETY EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR

OVERVIEW

The Firefighter's Association of the State of New York invites departments and organizations across the state to honor their best fire safety advocates with a nomination for Fire Safety Educator of the Year. The nomination may be for an individual, a group of individuals or an organization that collectively promotes fire and life safety. Each year, FASNY's Fire Prevention and Life Safety Committee will recognize an educator, a group or an organization with dedication to fire prevention and the safety of the residents in their community.

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Eligible educators must:

- Be nominated by a fire department, company, sectional or county organization. Applications must include additional documentation (see the instructions below).
- Be postmarked or electronically submitted by March 15, 2026.
- Demonstrate innovative ways of presenting fire prevention and life safety education to the public. Nominees will be judged on the
 originality of their program(s), where the program is presented within the community, the duration of their efforts throughout the
 year, the support received from the local fire company and how long the nominee has been presenting their program in years.
 This information should be included in your nomination letter.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations for the FASNY Fire Safety Educator of the Year Award may be submitted annually by a volunteer fire company, department or association (county, sectional, chiefs, etc.).

The nominating letter must be submitted on official stationery and signed by the Chief, President or Secretary of the nominating organization.

Letters of support and any other submitted materials accompanying the nomination, such as examples of curriculum, will become the property of FASNY.

The presentation of this award will be made at a ceremony convenient for both the recipient's location and FASNY.

INSTRUCTIONS

Please submit the application with supporting documents that:

- 1. Describe the method used to present the fire prevention and life safety education program to the public. Include the program content, success of the program and duration of the program.
- 2. Describe any involvement with fire prevention and life safety programs and how they've impacted the public.
- 3. List in depth the activities that make the nominee stand out among others in the field of fire prevention and life safety education.

Note: Once selected, the recipient of this award MUST submit a digital photo to be used in FASNY's promotional materials, including – but not limited to – *The Volunteer Firefighter* magazine, press releases, monthly electronic communications and web/social media sites. Visit www.fasny.com/photos for photo submission quidelines.

Mail Completed Awards To:

Awards c/o FASNY 107 Washington Avenue Albany, NY 12210-2269 **For Questions Email:**

awards@fasny.com

NOTE: FASNY award winners may be publicly promoted in press releases and print publications as well as on television, radio or the web. The Association reserves the right to use the person's image for publicity, including – but not limited to – print, broadcast and web/social media. The recipient may be expected to be available for photo opportunities, television appearances and other promotional events. In the event the recipient does not agree to these terms, the name may be withdrawn.

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