



FIRE DEPARTMENT • CITY OF NEW YORK

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1.1 With regret, the Department announces the death of retired Firefighter *John A. Cassera* appointed August 1, 1955, retired February 5, 1977, formerly of E-88, residing in Bronx, NY, which occurred on October 24, 2007.

1.2 With regret, the Department announces the death of retired Firefighter *George A. Christian* appointed March 1, 1938, retired July 16, 1958, formerly of E-222, residing in Clifton Park, NY, which occurred on October 25, 2007.

1.3 With regret, the Department announces the death of retired Captain *Kenneth P. Favreau* appointed January 1, 1953, retired April 30, 1977, formerly of D-6, residing in Long Beach, NY, which occurred on October 27, 2007.

2.1

PLAQUE DEDICATION

On Tuesday, December 11, 2007 at 1100 hours, a plaque dedication will be held honoring the memory of Captain *Francis T. Keane*, E-46 who died on December 5, 2006. The dedication will take place in the quarters of E-46/L-27, located at 460 Cross Bronx Expressway, Bronx, NY. Prior to the Plaque Dedication there will be a memorial mass at 1000 hours. All off-duty members and their families are invited to attend as a mark of respect to the deceased. Members are requested to attend in dress uniform.

2.2

FF MICHAEL J. CAWLEY MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

The Firefighter *Michael J. Cawley* Memorial Foundation is offering three (3) scholarships to the children of New York City Firefighters. The scholarships are being offered to students hoping to attend Archbishop Molloy High School in Queens for the school year starting in the fall of 2008. The scholarships are open to the children of active, retired and deceased members. For further information, please call 718-359-8430.

2.3

RECRUITMENT

The Bureau of Training at Randall's Island is seeking qualified Lieutenants to be instructors and Firefighters to be drill instructors in the Probationary Firefighters School. This would be a 1-year detail, which includes a flexible work schedule and vacation, the reward of training and the opportunity to work overtime during and after your detail. For more information, contact Capt. Robert Higgins at (212) 360-4455 by January 1, 2008.

2.4

LADDER COMPANY CHAUFFEUR CLASS 24-2007

Refer to: Training Bulletin, Information No. 9

The following members, having satisfactorily completed the course in the care and operation of Ladder Trucks at the Bureau of Training on December 5, 2007, are designated as Qualified Chauffeur/Tillerman:

Firefighter	Ladder	Firefighter	Ladder
Robert Murray	6	Michael Vecsi	78
Patrick Nolan	8	Stephen Rhine	110
John D. Jacovina	14	Gerard Cox	117
Eric Brodin	19	Kieran Murphy	125
James Toelstedt	23	Jon Logan	127
James Kivlan	25	William M. Maurer	129
Timothy Norum	44	Sean O'Brien	131
John Abplanalp	45	James Heinrich	151
Gerald J. Maxwell	56	Anthony Palumbo	156
Douglas Huebler	78	Thomas McDonald	166

These members have satisfactorily completed the *National Traffic Safety Institute's Traffic Survival Workshop*. Firefighter *Douglas Huebler*, L-78, achieved the highest rating in the class.

By Order of: **Nicholas Scoppetta**, Fire Commissioner
Salvatore J. Cassano, Chief of Department