



*The Suffolk County Volunteer Firemen's Association, Inc.*

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"Proud Hosts of the 2010 FASNY Convention"

**The John Masem Scholarship Fund**

The Suffolk County Volunteer Firemen's Association created the John Masem Scholarship fund in 2003 to add eternal remembrance of John Masem, Sr. John had held many positions with the Volunteer Fire Service within the Medford Fire Department, Medford Fire District, FASNY, Southern New York Volunteer Firemen's Association, Suffolk County Volunteer Firemen's Association to name a few.

This scholarship is based purely on volunteerism within the community and is not based on any scholastic scores.

There will be **Four (4) \$500 Scholarships** awarded each year at the July Meeting of the Suffolk County Volunteer Firemen's Association.

**Guidelines**

- Recipients must be a member of the Suffolk County Volunteer Firemen's Association for at least One (1) year or a child, grandchild, brother or sister of a member of the Association.
- Must be a High School Senior with bonifide proof of acceptance to an accredited Two (2) or Four (4) Year College or University.
- Must have performed Volunteer Community Work. Examples: Junior Firefighter, Nursing Home, Hospital, Work with Disabled, Church, Synagogue, or any other Charitable Organization.
- Deadline for Applications is June 1<sup>st</sup> each year.
- One Scholarship per person.

**Application Procedures**

- Letter of verification from organization, which Volunteer work was performed with contact name, and phone number.
- A one page, double space, typed Essay on Volunteerism, must accompany application.
- Submit this application postmarked by June 1<sup>st</sup> with the above stated essay and volunteerism verification and mail it to: John Masem Scholarship Committee, c/o Richard Vella, 802 5<sup>th</sup> Street, West Babylon, NY 11704

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