



# NYSAFC 2025 Seminar Series

## "Short-Handed Firefighting"

With Past Chief/Coordinator of Education Mike Healy (Central Nyack F.D./Rockland Co.) & Firefighter/Instructor Jeff Daniels (FDNY/Rockland Co.)

34 years ago, this class was developed by Firefighter Andrew A. Fredericks. At that time, the fire service was starting to suffer from a shortage of members, especially but not limited to the volunteer ranks. Today, as we all know, departments across the nation have experienced a large drop-off in membership. With today's hotter, faster-moving fires, it is imperative that we get on the road ASAP and are ready to mount an aggressive interior attack – especially where life-saving attempts must be carried out. This class will look at new apparatus and equipment designed to make our jobs less labor-intensive. In many places, where it used to take one or maybe two departments to handle the job at a single-family residence, now up to six departments are necessary due our diminished ranks. We must protect our residents and, just as important, our members and make sure everyone goes home.



Mike Healy



Jeff Daniels

**Mike Healy** has been a member of the Rockland County fire service for 54 years, serving with the Blauvelt Fire Department for 14 years, followed by the Central Nyack Fire Department for 40 years. He has served as a chief for three terms. Healy is currently the coordinator of education for the Rockland County Fire Training Center. **Jeff Daniels** is a 23-year fire service veteran. He served with the Air National Guard as a crash rescue firefighter for 17 years and was a member of the West Haverstraw Volunteer Fire Department for 14 years. In 2002, he was hired as a NYS DMNA firefighter and served for over four years before being appointed to the Fire Department City of New York (FDNY). Daniels was assigned to Ladder Co. 39 for 12 years before becoming an instructor for the FDNY Fire Academy. Currently, he is a member of Squad 61 in the Bronx. He also teaches at the Rockland County Fire Training Center.



### Three-Hour Seminars are Coming to these Counties in 2025:

<b>Albany</b> – February 24	<b>Onondaga</b> – February 18
<b>Cortland</b> – October 28	<b>Orange</b> – April 29
<b>Erie</b> – October 8	<b>Otsego</b> – September 15
<b>Fulton</b> – September 9	<b>Rensselaer</b> – October 20
<b>Herkimer</b> – April 14	<b>Rockland</b> – April 23
<b>Jefferson</b> – October 15	<b>St. Lawrence</b> – March 24
<b>Monroe</b> – September 30	<b>Steuben</b> – February 12
<b>Nassau</b> – November 5	<b>Suffolk</b> – April 2
<b>Niagara</b> – March 12	<b>Westchester</b> – September 3
<b>Oneida</b> – September 24	<b>Wyoming</b> – March 4

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### Registration:

**NYSAFC Individual and Department Members: \$35 • Non-Members: \$50 • per person**

*On-site registration will be accepted if space permits. Pre-registration is encouraged.*

# New York State Association of Fire Chiefs

## 2025 SEMINAR SERIES REGISTRATION FORM

**"Short-Handed Firefighting" Past Chief/Coordinator of Education Mike Healy & Firefighter/Instructor Jeff Daniels**

### Registrant Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ NYSAFC Member #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**For Additional Registrants** *List name, title, and NYSAFC Member # on a separate sheet.*

**Seminar Sites** *Seminar begins at 7:00 p.m. at all sites. Registration area opens at 6:30 p.m. Three-hour program.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> February 12  | <b>Steuben</b>      | Canisteo Fire Department • 14 Main Street • Canisteo, NY 14823  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> February 18  | <b>Onondaga</b>     | East Syracuse Elementary School • 230 Kinne Street • East Syracuse, NY 13057 <b>VENUE CHANGE</b>      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> February 24  | <b>Albany</b>       | Village of Ravena Fire Department • 116 Main Street • Ravena, NY 12143                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> March 4      | <b>Wyoming</b>      | North Java Fire Company • 4274 Route 98 • North Java, NY 14113  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> March 12     | <b>Niagara</b>      | Niagara County Public Safety Training Facility • 5574 Niagara Street Ext. • Lockport, NY 14094        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> March 24     | <b>St. Lawrence</b> | Potsdam Volunteer Fire Department • 42 Main Street • Potsdam, NY 13676                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> April 2      | <b>Suffolk</b>      | West Babylon Fire Department • 126 Arnold Avenue • West Babylon, NY 11704                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> April 14     | <b>Herkimer</b>     | Newport Fire Department • 7370 Main Street • Newport, NY 13416  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> April 23     | <b>Rockland</b>     | Rockland County Fire Training Center • 35 Firemen's Memorial Drive • Pomona, NY 10970                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> April 29     | <b>Orange</b>       | Winona Lake Engine Co. No. 2 • 160 South Plank Road • Newburgh, NY 12550                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 3  | <b>Westchester</b>  | Westchester County Department of Emergency Services • 4 Dana Road • Valhalla, NY 10595                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 9  | <b>Fulton</b>       | Berkshire Fire Department • 320 Steele Avenue Ext. • Gloversville, NY 12078                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 15 | <b>Otsego</b>       | Worcester Fire Department • 36 Church Street • Worcester, NY 12197                                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 24 | <b>Oneida</b>       | Maynard Fire Department • 9500 Maynard Drive • Marcy, NY 13403  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> September 30 | <b>Monroe</b>       | Henrietta Fire District Training Center • Station 6 • 60 Erie Station Road • West Henrietta, NY 14586 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> October 8    | <b>Erie</b>         | Orchard Park Fire Company • 30 School Street • Orchard Park, NY 14127                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> October 15   | <b>Jefferson</b>    | Adams Fire Department • 6 North Main Street • Adams, NY 13605   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> October 20   | <b>Rensselaer</b>   | Pittstown Rescue Squad • 60 Parker School Road • Johnsonville, NY 12094                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> October 28   | <b>Cortland</b>     | Cortland County Regional Training Center • 3577 Terrace Road • Cortland, NY 13045                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> November 5   | <b>Nassau</b>       | Woodmere Fire Department • 20 Irving Place • Woodmere, NY 11598                                       |

### Registration Fees and Payment

**NYSAFC Members:** \$35 per person • **Non-Members:** \$50 per person

*Registrant must be a NYSAFC Individual Member or registrant's department/organization must be a NYSAFC Department Member for discount.*

\_\_\_\_\_ NYSAFC Members @ \$35 each      \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Members @ \$50 each      Grand Total Due: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check    ☐ Voucher    ☐ Credit Card (3% service fee will be applied. AMEX, DISC, MC, VISA accepted.)    ☐ Cash

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Name on Account: \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### Submit Pre-Registration Form and Payment to:

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***Pre-registration forms must be received at least two business days prior to the selected seminar.***



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