



If it is the fourth weekend in October it is time for Sullivan County Firefighters to go to the State Fire Academy in Montour Falls. Eighty Sullivan County Firefighters from nineteen departments attended the twenty second annual training weekend.

Firefighters attend classes that are not normally taught at our training center. The weekend gives us an opportunity to take these classes taught by top notch instructors in their field of expertise.

The following departments were in attendance: Bloomingburg, Callicoon, Grahamsville, Highland Lake, Hortonville, Hurleyville, Jeffersonville, Kauneonga Lake, Lava, Liberty, Lumberland, Monticello, Narrowsburg, Rock Hill, Roscoe, White Lake, White Sulphur Springs , Wurtsboro and Yulan.

The following courses were offered: Legal Issues 1, Foam and Foam Applications, Fire Officer Refresher, Medium Level Structural Collapse Concepts, Firefighter Guide to Lightweight Wood Construction and Advanced Refresher Training Live Fire.

Saturday night our instructors joined us as we had our annual prime rib banquet. Just as much is learned socializing after dinner as there is in the classroom. This is a great learning experience as you get to work and meet firefighters that you may not normally work with.

We are already planning next years.