

# AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION

Bergen County  
Fire Prevention &  
Protection  
Association

*Newsletter of the BCFPPA - September 2007*

## October Meeting Date

The next meeting of our organization will be on Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup> at Seasons Catering/Washington Township. Start time is 7:00pm

**PLEASE FIND ENCLOSED AN INVOICE TO BE USED FOR PURCHASE OF DINNER TICKETS. THE REVERSE SIDE OF THE INVOICE IS A FLYER WITH EVENT DETAILS**

**Note:** Due to date availability from Seasons for our Annual Awards Dinner, the **DAY** of the dinner this year will be on a **THURSDAY** evening.

## Miscellaneous.....

Due to planned awards ceremony and dinner activities at our October meeting, our business agenda will be consolidated to a minimum.

- Please see enclosed President's Message for several important announcements
- Please see reverse side of President's Message page for notice from the Bergen County Juvenile Fire Prevention Program



## 2007 Meeting Dates & Locations

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| <b>October 18</b>  | Awards Dinner<br>Season's - Washington Twp  |
| <b>November 14</b> | Ramsey FD - Elections<br>Meeting Island Ave |
| <b>December 12</b> | Westwood FD                                 |

## **Awards & Congratulations**

### **2007 Poster Content Winners:**

- Division #1: Gina Beneduci, Carlstadt  
Division #2: Carter Murdock, Bergenfield  
Division #3: Justin Chan, Elmwood Park  
Division #4: Jocelyn Eleaine Fermin, Garfield  
Division #6: Vincent Munafo , Lyndhurst  
Division #7: Vanessa Grajales, Elmwood Park

### **2007 BCFPPA Awards:**

- Fire Official of the year:  
Paul. J. Elenio, Ridgefield  
  
Fire Inspector of the Year:  
Kathy Winston, East Rutherford

## **NJ DFS Winning Poster**

**Poster Copies can be picked up in advance if desired, otherwise, will be available the night of the Awards Dinner.**

Pickup locations as follows:

Bergen County Fire Academy / Mahwah  
Contact - Brian Hening  
201-785-6047

Westwood Fire Prevention Bureau  
Contact - Darren Blankenbush  
201-664-1232

Rutherford Fire Prevention Bureau  
Contact - Paul Dansbach  
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Bergen County Fire Prevention Association  
Contact - Ron Svrcheck  
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## **Next Meeting Information**

### **ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER**

#### **Date:**

Thursday , October 18<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm

#### **Location:**

**Seasons Catering**

**644 Pascack Road**

**Washington Township, NJ**

## **Contact Information**

### **Bergen County Fire Prevention & Protection Association**

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<http://www.bcfppa.org>