



New Jersey Fire Museum and Fallen Firefighters Memorial

XTRA

Online Newsletter for our supporters

The XTRA Newsletter

This is the first issue of the XTRA newsletter. We will create an edition of this newsletter periodically, and send it to our online members whenever there is news that may interest you. We hope you will find these newsletters informative.

The Fire Museum Goes to "Touch a Truck"

The annual Hunterdon County "Touch a Truck" event provided the Fire Museum with an opportunity to spread the word about the Fire Museum. Don Christie's 1942 Ford Ward LaFrance drafted from a



Our display at "Touch a Truck"

pond and provided a stream for the kids to aim at a "house-a-fire" target.

We met Sue Schlesinger, the owner of a 1981 Mack pumper who we hope will join us at future events. This was probably the last event for this year but we will try to keep you informed of upcoming events and hope that you will join us at some of them.



Todd Dagnall assists a prospective firefighter

Christmas Shopping?

If you are shopping online, please start by going to www.ShopforMuseums.com with just a few extra keystrokes, you can have a percentage of every purchase benefit the fire museum and memorial at no cost to you.

The Silver Ghost Comes Home

A couple of weeks ago a contingent from the Fire Museum traveled to the now defunct New England Fire and History



The Silver Ghost

Museum in Brewster Massachusetts. We picked up an 1850's parade carriage named The Silver Ghost that the museum donated to us. The carriage originally belonged to the Irvington Fire Department, so it is now returning to its home state. This piece will be an important addition to the museum collection since it will help tell the story of firefighting history in New Jersey.

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