

**Piermont Fire Department**  
*Piermont, New York*



**PIERMONT FIRE DEPARTMENT IS  
ALWAYS IN NEED OF  
ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS.**



**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL  
845-359-1208**

*or stop by any Monday evening at the Firehouse.*

**Emergency Dispatch Phone:**

911

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*Who Proudly Serves the  
Village of Piermont...*



*Piermont Fire Department  
Department 13  
100% Dedicated Volunteers*



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Piermont, New York 10968  
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## History:

The first fire company was organized in Piermont as employees of the New York and Erie Railroad Companies in 1832 to protect railroad property.



The Village of Piermont Fire Department evolved from all employee fire service to all-volunteer establishing a charter and the



operating rules to officially start the Empire Hose Company #1 of Piermont on October 7th, 1851.

The village volunteers have been continuously serving their community proudly for over 150 years.



*There are 26 volunteer fire departments and 14 volunteer ambulance corps and approximately 3,500 volunteer fire fighters and EMS personnel in Rockland County. Piermont Fire Department offers more services, including EMS, than the great majority of fire department in Rockland County.*

## Services Provided To Piermont Village:

- EMS
- Water/Dive/Ice Rescue
- Fire Fighting
- Jaws of life victim extraction
- High Angle Rescue
- Regional Area Disaster Shelter
- Flood Pump Outs/Sand Bag Man Power
- Hazmat Spill Control
- Heliport Landing Zone
- Fire Safety Education

## Services Provided To County:

The Piermont Fire Department volunteers assist in a reciprocal Mutual Aid Agreement that extends EMS, Heliport landing zone, Fast Team (search and rescue) and fire fighting support to the surrounding areas as well.

## Educational Services:

Piermont Fire Department volunteers train over 160hrs each year in live situations drills. Drills are held every Monday night (excluding the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month business meeting) and cover a variety of skills including the following:

- Smoke house structure fire drills
- High-rise search and rescue drills
- Car fires drills
- River Ice rescue drills
- Under water dive rescue drills
- Jaws of life victim extraction drills

## Regional Training Classes:

Every fire fighter has to attend Fire Fighter 1 within the first year of service. Class attendance requires a commitment of anywhere from 1 to 2 evenings a week and Saturday days for 8 to 20 weeks to get the required classroom and live exercise instruction.

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| ▪ <b>Fire Fighter 1</b>                        | 78 HRs  |
| ▪ <b>Fire Fighter 2</b>                        | 78 HRs  |
| ▪ <b>CFR</b><br>(Certified First Responder)    | 80 HRs  |
| ▪ <b>EMT</b><br>(Emergency Medical Technician) | 160 HRs |
| ▪ <b>EVD</b><br>(Emergency Vehicle Driver)     | 48 HRs  |
| ▪ <b>Dive Rescue</b>                           | 100 HRs |
| ▪ <b>High Angle Rescue</b>                     | 80 HRs  |

