

DEDHAM FIRE DEPARTMENT HOSTS OPEN HOUSE

The Dedham Fire Department welcomes local families to a free Open House on Saturday, October 13th from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. The open house, sponsored by Papa Gino's, is aimed at teaching families fire safety and prevention practices. The Dedham Fire Department Open House will be held at Fire Headquarters, 436 Washington St.

This open house commemorates National Fire Safety Month (October). Participants will receive safety tips such as “stop, drop and roll”, learn how to plan escape routes and how to crawl safely through a smoke-filled room. In addition, Papa Gino's, the Dedham, Mass.-based pizza chain, will provide free pizza and children's fire safety coloring sheets at the open house.

“This event allows us to reach out to the community and arm local families with fire safety tips and procedures,” said *Chief Spillane*. “Our open house allows families to get together and better prepares them to react if a fire does start.”

Adults and children will have the opportunity to view the fire trucks and the equipment that firefighters use every day. Kids will be allowed to sit in the trucks and squirt the fire hose!

For more information about the Dedham Fire Department open house, call 781-751-9400

