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9/11 20 years removed but still feels like it was yesterday

By William Costigan Beach128@optonline.net



I woke up on that Tuesday morning at 0600 hours on September 11, 2001 and headed to work in Bellmore by 0630 hours. It was a beautiful day with blue skies and not one cloud. We were expecting a big crew at ESU. The day tour, the night tour, 10 members coming in for a training class, along with four members from other departments. By 0745 hours everyone was present, so we took our coffee and headed to the conference room. By 0800 hours everyone was settled in, and we were talking about the following days, times, and locations.

0846 hours - American Airlines Flight 11 crashes into the north tower of the World Trade Center, just under 25 miles from where we were.

0855 hours – PO Jay Dalton knocks on the door to the conference room and says "Guys who work in the city, call your office, a plane just hit the WTC."

I walked across the hall to Crime Scene, and they were all watching the news coverage. We couldn't tell what had happened or why the airplane had crashed.

As I walked back to the ESU Office, I saw our colleagues from NYPD drive past the side door at a high rate of speed, on their way back to NYC.

I went into the ESU office where everyone was watching the news. The police scanner locked on NYPD ESU. The North Tower was badly damaged but standing.

0903 hours - United Airlines Flight 173 crashes into the south tower.

Multiple planes hijacked - all airborne. We are stunned. What are we seeing?

0930 hours – As we stood and watched the TV, Flight 175 crashed into the south tower. Immediatly after, I heard

on the scanner, a NYPD Lieutenant transmit on his radio "Central – we are under attack, notify the military and shut down the air space over New York City."

Waiting for further information, ESU members headed back to the conference room.

0940 hours – American Airlines Flight 77 crashes into the Pentagon.

0959 hours – The south tower collapses. I was standing with PO Pat Crowe who looked at me and said, "There are a lot of dead cops and firefighters."

1005 hours – Everyone was sent back in the ESU Office. Training is over.

1007 hours - United Airlines Flight 93 crashes in a field in Shanksville, southeast of Pittsburgh.

1028 hours - The north tower collapses.

Sgt. Paul Englert directed me to call NYPD ESU and see what assistance was needed.

I called Truck 10 Queens; "This is Costigan Nassau ESU", I said to the officer on the other end. "What can we do to help?"

The male said, "Send everything!"

I said, "Equipment or manpower?"

"Send everything! We have nothing. We need everything and everyone you have!"

He said his name and I asked him, "What rank are you?" He said, "Retired – that's what I mean."

That's what he meant. Everyone, all the active guys, were en route to the WTC or were already at the scene. No one was left in quarters.

I am ordered to call all off duty members to report in and as I am calling, members are just showing up. I remember Sgt. Bob Bressingham who had recently moved over to Motor Carrier from ESU walking in and saying, "Let's go."

Every member I called – one ring and I would say "We need you to come in." The reply was, "On my way."

We called to NYPD ESU Base in Floyd Bennet Field, "Where do you want us?" – "Come to Floyd Bennett."

Nassau Motorcycle Platoon were lined up in the driveway – we pulled on to Newbridge Rd. We had a convoy of 12 trucks with 28 members. Det Mark Timpano who was a former ESU, also jumped in with us.

No sirens were needed as we were escorted by the Bike

Platoon – traffic was non-existent and every inform sign over the parkway roads read NYC CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC.

By 1200 hours we were at NYPD Base at Floyd Bennett Field in Brooklyn and standing by. We had a clear view of the smoke billowing up from Manhattan.

It was hard to stand down – but the plan was to wait until the chaos calmed down at the collapse site.

1430 hours – we left the trucks and loaded up on a bus. The bus dropped us off down at the Brooklyn Pier.

1515 hours – We hopped on a NYPD Harbor Boat and headed to Manhattan. Just before we got there, we hopped from NYPD Harbor onto NCPD Marine Bureau for the final leg of our trip.

1630 hours – we deployed into lower Manhattan, into the smoke, haze, and dust – we set up our NCPD command post under Sgt. Mark Tynan in front of the Century 21 Store. The collapse and shear destruction were too much to really process.

As darkness came – the fires, explosions, smoke, and smell were in every direction. I remember seeing a huge steel girder was dangling off the remainder of WTC 4. At any other time, the area would be roped off, but on this day rescue workers were working directly under the girder.

I was with Sgt. Mark Tynan when we looked over and saw a young NCPD cop on top of a pile. Sgt. Tynan told me to find out what he was doing and who he was with. It was Rookie Jimmy Brown – 2nd Pct. He came in on his own – his cousin, Paddy Brown, Capt. FDNY was missing. I told him if he needed anything to come to our location. Jimmy would later become a member of ESU.

There was a rescue of a Port Authority cop going on about 25 yards in front of us. Numerous NYPD and Nassau ESU were working to free the Sgt. John McLaughlin who was buried under tons of debris.

0230 hours – I met my neighbor from Long Beach, FDNY Chief George Maier, in front of WTC 4. The Chief told me that not one member of his battalion has been heard from since the collapse.

I knew from my previous training that at WTC 4 there were parking garages and a Port Authority Police substation. The Chief asked if we could get a team there to do a search. WTC 4 was partially collapsed and on fire.

Bob Bressingham, Kenny Mazzi, Tony Rivelli, and I entered the building and descended the stairwell one level. At one point we came to a bunch of Rescue equipment laid out probably \$200,000 in equipment. We stopped and I said, "Well, where are they? Someone had

to put this equipment out."

A few feet away was a total collapse – did the crew who put this equipment here leave or are they on the other side of this collapse with the pathway now blocked. Can they get out? Can we get in to get them?

We descended another floor. Over our heads were huge piles of cement just hanging with water pouring down through. Store alarms were a constant, piercing, blasting, ring.

I remained on that level with Tony Rivelli. Bob Bressingham and Ken Mazzi went down another level and made it to the PATH train station which was quickly filling with water. A quick search and as they started to back up, a girder broke free and came sliding down on the escalator. They ducked under and continued to come up.

As I waited with Rivelli, we had a similar incident when a huge piece of cement broke free and fell a few feet from us. The building was in a state of collapse. We regrouped, and altogether, exited WTC 4.

Dawn was breaking. The rescue of Port Authority Sgt. John McLaughlin was just coming to an end. Nassau PO Richie Doerler played a major part in getting John free. Richie stayed below grade in a crevasse, surrounded by steel. The heat was unbearable, but the rescuers were able to make the steel move slightly, about an inch, and that was all they needed to free Sgt. McLaughlin.

1100 hours – we headed back to NYPD Command post at Stuyvesant HS. As we walked away, I remember turning and looking back – now I was able to get a clear view of the total devastation.

Three NYPD helicopters came in and picked us up. Flying over the WTC on September 12, we were able to get a full view of the collapsed towers, fires, and responders. We flew back to Floyd Bennett Field and were met by ESU Sgt. Timmy Smith. He told us Port Authority ESU member and friend, George Howard of Hicksville was confirmed dead. The names kept coming over the next few weeks.

Everyone became numb to the loss. Tony Rivelli's cousin, Retired Det. John Van Maren's son-in-law, Det. Lt. Dennis Farrell's brother, Terry. Too many. Just too many.

20 years have since passed. One of the guys who went in on Sept 11th, Paul McCabe has since passed away from 9/11 cancer. Multiple members are now suffering from 9/11 cancer, coughing, lung problems, PTSD.

In closing, I only write about 9/11 from my experience, but the on-going response by many other members continued for months after the attack.

My last visit was May 11, 2002. I went into NYC with Richie Doerler in an ESU tractor trailer and retrieved two steel girders which are on display at Eisenhower Park as part of the Nassau County 9/11 Memorial.

Please take advantage of the WTC Health Program. Annual medicals have uncovered many conditions of responders related to 9/11. Retired members living out of state will be able to be connected to a local medical facility.



President's Message

by James McDermott

By the time this News Article prints, I will be retired from a 37 plus career in Law Enforcement. I was told long ago by my retired friends that when the time came, I'd know it. Well, that day has come and it's time to pass the torch. This position of President is grueling, and it must be met by someone that is strong, experienced, and up to the task. Please take these things into consideration when choosing my successor. Make an intelligent decision rather than an emotional one. In a time that we are most vulnerable, we must stay together and figure out how to navigate these rough waters. What has always separated us from the field is our intelligence and common sense. Be sure to ask the good, hard questions from the candidates, so that you can pick the one who will best insure your futures.

I first got involved in the PBA in January of 1995. I was elected Delegate in the 5th Precinct and moved up to 5th Precinct Trustee in 2001. Both those positions I hold close to my heart as I was able to represent my precinct for 10 years. I moved up to Sergeant-at-Arms in 2005 and eventually to President in 2017. Believe me, I needed all the 22 years of experience to hold that office. I thank God for the people around me including my Executive Board, Board of Governors, and Board of Officers past and present. We as a Union were able to achieve many goals over the past 4 years. We got the "Steps Legislation" passed into law to protect our newer members from being frozen by NIFA, we were instrumental in the reopening of the 6th & 8th precincts, the 5-year transfer MOA which gives officers the right and flexibility to move from precinct to precinct if they wish, the "Longevity MOA", which put us back on the map as we move forward to secure that benefit (as it was wrongfully taken from us). We attacked the crossing guard situation which led to the hiring of more guards and securing our members safety, we were able to get more long guns onto the street to further protect our members and the public, we secured more new patrol cars through the County. We protected our members daily during the COVID pandemic by holding the County accountable for cleaning our cars and equipment, not to mention our efforts to get the necessary safety equipment such as gloves, masks, shields, robes and proper COVID testing and immunization, we also secured a "COVID presumption" that covers you now and into the future. We further held the County accountable to properly assign the necessary manpower during the volatile protests, when MS-13 made death threats against police officers in Nassau County we worked successfully with the Commissioner to double cars and bolster the efforts in securing your safety. Recently we resolved the Body Cam situation which got you deservedly paid and protected our rights to be a part of the implementation, we were able to sit down with the Commissioner and his staff and work out a Maternity Policy that works without all the unnecessary visits and restrictions, all this as we tended to all the daily needs of our members.

I am just a continuation of the whole work product of the PBA. We have been successful on many fronts throughout the years, from Minimum Manning to Chart Orange, from the 9-hour rule to doubling cars in high volume neighborhoods. The PBA has stood the test of time and will persevere going into the future, but we must stay together! I had a front row seat over my 26 plus years in the PBA and was able to see us fight off people that would put us in harm's way and deny us our much-deserved benefits. It is time for me to leave but only as President, I will always be a Nassau County Police Officer and a proud PBA member! Thank you for allowing me to represent you as I humbly fade to black. It was my honor and privilege to serve the greatest police department in America and its outstanding members!

THANK YOU AND PLEASE REMAIN SAFE!!!

Sergeant At Arms

byKen Cortes Email: kcortes@nassaupba.org

I would first like to congratulate our PBA President James McDermott on his retirement. Over his term, he accomplished a lot. The steps legislation, longevity MOA, the Crossing issues and most recently the new Maternity policy, which I was honored to be a part of to name a few. Working with him over my 18 years as a PBA representative, and most recently his almost 4 years as President, I've seen him as someone who gives his all to the members.

Again, I am thankful for the opportunity to work with him on his board, and serve the membership that I know he and I both love.

There are those out there calling some of the recent difficulties as failures, or even a disaster. There is no success without failure. What comes to mind at this juncture is Teddy Roosevelt's man in the arena speech which I offer for your consideration.

"It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles, or where the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs, who comes short again and again, because there is no effort without error and shortcoming; but who does actually strive to do the deeds; who knows great enthusiasms, the great devotions; who spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement, and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who neither know victory nor defeat."

I think that the membership, really doesn't understand the complexities of the job of PBA President, and I hope and pray for all of you that next person for the job, is up for the challenge, because there will be failures, and there will be struggles ahead.

COVID-19

Hello again, as the COVID crisis in our department winds down, the MOA office has caught up with requests for the return of sick time for those who were out line of duty. There are some however that haven't received what they are due. This is not due to the MAO office in most cases, most of the time the members time office has not filed the proper request form. If you haven't gotten your sick time credited, please first check to make sure the request for time for have been submitted.

If you are still having difficulties, feel free to call me At the PBA office, I be glad to guide you through the process.

Onward and Upward

Legal Report

by Milan Rada, Esq. with John Hewson, Esq

The Legal Report has often covered the requirements of obtaining a ³/₄ Accidental Disability Retirement pension versus a ¹/₂ Performance of Duty Disability pension. In order to qualify for either of these disability retirement benefits the applicant must prove he or she is permanently incapacitated for the performance of the full duties of a police officer, that the disability is causally related to the injury or injuries being claimed, that the injury was suffered in the line of duty and that the injury is the result of an "accident" as this term is used in the Retirement and Social Security Law (RSSL), or the result of an incident. What separates one benefit from the other is whether the injury is the result of an "accident." If not, the applicant will be limited to a ¹/₂ Performance of Duty Disability pension.

As we have written many times, within the meaning of the RSSL explanations of what constitutes an "accident" comes from case law. "For purposes of the Retirement and Social Law, an accident has been defined as a 'sudden, fortuitous mischance, unexpected, out of the ordinary, and injurious in impact." "The Courts have emphasized that "in order for any injury to be considered accidental, it 'must not have been the result of activities undertaken in the ordinary course of one's job duties, but, rather, must be due to a precipitating accidental event which is not a risk of the work performed."

In June 2021, the Appellate Division, Third Department handed down a somewhat different type of a ³/₄ Accidental Disability Retirement pension decision in that it dealt with an allegation that the disabling injury was a mental one diagnosed as posttraumatic stress disorder, manic depression and anxiety, by the applicant's physicians and deemed by them to be unable to return to work. The applicant was a State Police Officer.

While we have written a great deal about ³/₄ Accidental Disability Retirement claims based on physical impairments, such as injuries to the back or knee or shoulder, we have not written frequently about mental impairments causing a disability, if at all. Connecting this State Police Officer's mental injury to an "accident" within the meaning of the RSSL is necessary in order to qualify for a ³/₄ Accidental Disability Pension.

The Officer worked as a trooper for a time and then as an investigator. While working as an investigator he worked as an undercover narcotics detective, both here and abroad. He spent much of his time in Columbia working with informants "in an effort to infiltrate drug cartels and curtail the supply of drugs coming into the United States. This work entailed interacting with dangerous individuals and exposed [the officer] to a number of traumatic events, including losing informants who were killed and having to identify their bodies." Sometime after returning from a mission, the officer suffered a panic attack in his office. Subsequently, he received the diagnoses of: post traumatic stress disorder, manic depression and anxiety. The officer filed an application for a 3/4 Accidental Disability Retirement pension on the basis of his diagnosis, which the Officer claimed was a result of his work with drug cartels. The Retirement System denied his application on the basis that the event which the Officer cited to be the cause of his mental injury was not an "accident" within the meaning of the RSSL.

The Court noted that "Initially, the burden is on the party seeking accidental disability retirement benefits to demonstrate that his or her disability arose from an "accident"t within the meaning of the RSSL, and the Comptroller's determination in this regard will be upheld if supported by substantial evidence." After going through an analysis and considering all the requirements for an event to qualify as an "accident" as listed above, the Court decided that the cause of the Officer's injury was not an "accident" within the meaning of the RSSL. The Court wrote "Here, [the Officer's] mental injuries were a direct result of the stress that he was under while working undercover and interacting with informants and members of dangerous drug cartels. This dangerous undercover work was part and parcel of his regular duties as a narcotics investigator and was specifically set

forth in [the Officer's] job description. Inasmuch as the stress that produced [the officer's] mental injuries was an inherent part of his job and was not unexpected" the event causing the mental injuries was not an accident.

Interestingly, the Court observed that this case does not benefit from the presumption that benefits first responders to the World Trade Center terrorist attacks on 9/11. This 9/11 presumption provides that mental impairments suffered as the result of the 9/11 attacks are presumed to be the result of an accident.

As always we hope that you stay safe and healthy. If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions please email mrada@fbrlaw.com or jhewson@fbrlaw.com. You can reach us by phone at 516-941-4403.

MOST IMPORTANTLY: PLEASE DO NOT FORGET THE PBA FAMILY APPRECIATION NIGHT WE ARE HOSTING AT ADVENTURELAND ON OCTOBER 8, 2021 FROM 5:30 – 9:30PM. PLEASE BE SURE TO RSVP ON ONE OF OUR POSTERS LOCATED IN EVERY PRECINCT. IF YOU PREFER YOU CAN EMAIL YOUR RSVP TO info@fbrlaw.com



Well I hope everyone had a great summer. I feel like the older I get the faster the summer goes. The Fighting First had a very busy summer. Gun calls, shootings, homicide, and a few dozen robberies and burglaries. Throw in a few foot pursuits, and vehicles that just did not want to stop for the police and this turned out to be a buffy summer.

I would like to give a special shout out to Neal Krauszer for organizing another great Precinct Fishing trip. The turnout was fantastic and Neal went above and beyond as usual. Also shout out the former First Precinct member Dan Campion for hosting the after party. Heard its was a great time!!! Thanks boys for keeping up with this tradition.



Thank you to JB and the rest of the PBA for organizing the First Precinct Family Picnic at Camp Colman. Although the weather wasn't on our side this year there was still a good showing. JB and the boys do a great job every year putting this together for our families. Most functions are for our blue family, so anytime we can get out families together its always a great time. Thank you, Camp Colman, for always showing your support for us.



I would like to welcome all our new police officers the First. I would love to name of all of you, but I only get two pages to fill up. Welcome to the greatest show on earth. This is a great precinct with some of the best cops on the job as well as great bosses. We have a lot of fun, but this place can pop off in an instant. Be guided by the senior officers. Don't be afraid to ask questions. We're all here to help, and at the end of the day we all have the same goal in mind, to go home the way we came to work. My advice, get to know the posts. Get to know the local hotspots. Get out of the RMP's and get to know the people of the precinct. The people and store owners in this command for the most part like us. I am a huge supporter of Community Policing.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 13, 1900-2300 First Precinct Reunion/9-11 Remembrance Mulcahy's in Wantagh \$40.00 per person. Please contact JB, Mo Beccaris or Michael Collins for further details.

BUFFY'S SPOTLIGHT

First Precinct Special Patrol Officers Fullerton, Vitale, Gironda, and Stephani after receiving numerous community complaints of narcotic sales coming from 2 Babylon Turnpike in Roosevelt, The Rosa Parks Senor Center; set up observation points at the location and made several arrests over a 2-month investigation. On May 21st, Special Patrols, BSO and Narcotics Detectives executed a search warrant at 2 Babylon Turnpike and placed 7 defendants into custody and charged them with Criminal Possession of Controlled Substance in the 3rd degree and 5th degree. This was a joint effort between NVB Detectives and First Precinct Special Patrols. The residents of the senior complex came out and thanked the officers and were very happy with the results.

On June 21st, Officers responded to a call for a suicidal male with a firearm in Wantagh on 109s post. Upon arrival officers heard what sounded like gun shots coming from inside the home. Officers set up a perimeter around the house and Sgt. Logiudice called the aided and after extensive conversation with him, Sgt. Logiudice was able to talk the aided out of the home without incident. Inside the location, officers recovered several loaded shotguns, and a loaded hand gun. Officers also observed spent shell casings as well as holes in the basement. Everyone involved with this incident did an outstanding job, but a special buffy spotlight goes out to Sgt. Loguidice. Sgt. Loguidice was able to talk to an armed, suicidal male and have him surrender without incident or harm to himself or any police personnel. OUTSTANDING WORK!!!!

On June 22nd, Officers were dispatched for a Pharmacy Robbery that just occurred. While canvasing Officer Tuffarelli observed a male who matched the description walking on Newbridge Road. Officer Tuffarelli, upon exiting his RMP, observed the same male now fleeing on foot. After a brief foot pursuit, the defendant was taking into custody by Officer Tuffarelli and Officer Waltman. Officers were able to recover proceeds from the pharmacy from the defendant. Defendant was charged with 5 counts of Robbery 1st, Criminal Possession Controlled Substance 2nd, and 3rd, as well as Robbery 2nd. THIS IS OUTSTANDING WORK!!!!! GREAT JOB BOYS, DOING THE FIRST PROUD!!!!

On June 30th, First Precinct Special Patrol Officers Gironda and Stephani conducted Operation Night Watch with Nassau County Probation's Gang Unit. Officers responded to a known Blood Gang Members home and during the search recovered a loaded .45 caliber hand gun, a loaded 12-gauge shotgun, as well as a large amount of USC and a laser sight. Defendant was charged with CPW gun, Criminal Sale Controlled Substance 2nd and 3rd, and CPCS 3rd. This was great work boys. Another armed gang member off the streets, for now.

On July 23rd, Officers responded to a Robbery that had occurred in Uniondale. The victim was approached by 3 suspects who used a taser to physical steal the victim's property. During the initial investigation, Officers Alonge and Alfano located the suspects who were still in possession of the victim's property. Defendants were placed into custody without incident and charged with Robbery 1st. Good work Boys!!!

On July 23rd, Officers Alonge and Oliva while on routine patrol in Uniondale conducted a VTL stop on a known gang member. During the course of their investigation officers observed and recovered a loaded, defaced, firearm. The defendant was charged with Criminal Possession Firearm, Criminal Possession Weapon 2nd, 3rd and CPW 4th. Again, great job boys! Hardware!!!!

On July 28th Officers responded for a Robbery at the 7-11 in Baldwin. During the canvass Officers Taddeo, Haubold, and Slevin located the defendant hiding near the scene. Officers placed the defendant into custody without incident. Defendant was charged with Robbery 3rd.

Again, a lot of great work being done over the summer and this is only half of the buffy spotlights. More to come next month. I truly love working in the First Precinct. Fighting First for Life!! To my First Precinct Family, be safe!!!!

REMEMBER, WATCH THOSE HANDS!!!! As always, stay safe and watch each other's backs job. Unification is a must and the next 4 years are way more important than one polarizing issue. The power this union once had years ago was held and fortified because we were all together marching forward on the issues. This is a very important month for us getting back on track, as always I'm around for any questions, concerns or guidance. Take care of each other out there.

Fourth Precinct

by Todd Torchia



Second Precinct

by Frank Bokrosh Jr. 02Trustee@gmail.com

I hope everyone has enjoyed this summer and it's fair to say a less stressful one in regards to protests and the overall climate. Last year was certainly the worst in my career in that respect and I can relate to the frustrations of doing this difficult job and never receiving that pat on the back. Unfortunately we have a different fight on our hands. I have been a PBA representative for 11 out of my almost 16 years working here and I have never seen anything like the current difficulties facing this union. I take it personally, as I always have because I got into this line of work because I wanted to make this job better and make our cops more comfortable. I grew up in this union, I have family retired from this job, and family who were union representatives as well. Whatever happens in this upcoming month, I really do hope we can find our way and unite us all going forward. This is your union, never forget that! Show up to meetings, ask questions, stay informed. When you decide to choose a candidate who will lead you into the future, make sure they are honest and have the best qualities that suit you and your family's well-being. Try your best to see through the agendas and personal goals of some. I have worked with a lot of people in this union and I really do believe that the overwhelming majority are in it for the right reasons. Do not ever let anyone divide us further than has already happened. Anyone pushing specific issues such as the infamous "yes" or "no" vote on the last contract are only doing so to separate this

This September 11th marks the 20th anniversary of the attack on our great country. As a child, I remember watching the Twin Towers being built, they would compete week by week which one was taller. On September 11th, 2001, they were demolished to a pile of rumble by acts of terrorism entombing many of our friends and family members. As we responded on that day and for months after, we were first shocked by the surreal site of those massive signs of strength gone. But the camaraderie and patriotism forged by that pile of the rumble in that time must not be forgotten. We remember all the heroes that perished that day and still continue to make the ultimate sacrifice from their efforts at that war zone. Matty Perlungher made that sacrifice this August , after too many Nassau Cops succumbed to 911 related cancers.We must never forget that Day and all the people we lost.

Congratulations to James McDermott on his welldeserved retirement. He was active on patrol while he worked in the 5th precinct. I worked with James in the PBA for the last 28 years, and I know his biggest concern was the welfare of his cops. I am proud to have worked with James all those years and equally pleased to say he's my friend. Health and Happiness James.

Congratulations are also in order for John Paterson on his election to Corresponding Secretary. As we lost one conscientious board member, James, we gained John Patterson. I worked with John in the 4th precinct PBA for the last 13 years; John was always diligent and earnest and will be a great asset on the board.

A bill was presented to the Nassau County Legislature originated by Legislature Josh Lafazan to further protect cops rights. This bill allows us to seek civil retribution against people who harass or harm us, just like private citizens. This Bill passed the Legislature by all the Republicans voting for it and all the Democrats voting against it, except 2 Legislatures Josh Lafazan and Delia DeRiggi-Whitton. Laura Curran then vetoed the bill, and we are waiting to see if the Legislature will override her decision.

This August, the 4th and 1st precincts held their picnic at Camp Colman. It was a little soggy but still well attended by both commands. The kids had a wonderful time taking advantage of all the camp's activities, especially the pool and water slide. Plenty of food, beverages, and deserts were at hand. Thanks to our sponsors, Dover caterers, Sands Atlantic Beach, Dortoni Bakery, AirStream, and Marvel Ice Cream. And of course our host George of Camp Coleman.

Stay Safe as Always







Fifth Precinct by Brian Monahan pbanewsletter@yahoo.com

Crazy how fast time goes by. I hope you all had an amazing summer, and all is well. This summer brought about many blessings to our blue family. I always like to be able to write about all the good news we are constantly blessed with in this precinct. So, can anyone say babies? P.O. Morello and his wife were blessed with a healthy baby girl on May 25th of this year. Amazing news, if you haven't already had a chance to congratulate P.O. Morello next time you see him let him know. Next up we have P.O. Palm and his wife, who welcomed a healthy baby boy into their family as well, congratulations!! P.O. McGowan and his wife were also blessed with a healthy baby boy, Landon, on July 16th this year. It is truly amazing to see how blessed we are that our family continues to grow. Congratulations to all, all are blessings from above!!

I hope this summer was filled with many good times and great memories. I would like to take a moment to recognize one special officer in our command. Out of a tragic event came a shining star. As we are all aware a fellow officer from NYC who resides in our command tragically lost her child this summer. Absolute tragedy. Many Fifth Precinct officers were involved, to name a few, P.O. Patricia Espinosa, P.O. James Lee, P.O. George Ekstrom, P.O. Christian Obando, and P.O. Brian Mehlmen. These officers did everything they could possibly do to help a family in need. One officer stands out of the crowd, P.O. Espinosa. She stayed in touch with the family throughout their time of need, getting the word out for donations, and assisting the family all the way up to and including the funeral procession. P.O. Espinosa went above and beyond, prompting even the NYC PBA to come out to the Fifth Precinct to honor her, and to thank her for all her hard work and compassion for a fellow blue family. I want to extend my gratitude to P.O. Espinosa for her dedication to our community, and I know all of our fellow Delegates, Trustee, and members of the Fifth do as well. Thank you Patty for everything you do, and thank you to all the officers who assisted. You are all special people.

In August we bade our final farewell to P.O. Matt Perlungher, #23. Words can not express how the department and community came together for Matt and his family at the fundraiser, and then again to say their final farewell. So sad to see a Fifth Precinct member go far too young, but we know he is in a better place, and will forever live in our prayers.

We were also shocked by the passing of our former Fifth precinct Sergeant Ricky Janotha. Another soul taken way to soon. Ricky was a great guy, and he will be missed greatly.

The Fifth Precinct truly is an amazing place, and it is the officers who work there that make it what it is. I have never experienced anything like it. In the academy people are afraid to hear the dreaded "Fifth" word attached to your name and precinct assignment, but once you get there, you realize there is no other place like it in the county. There are many members of the community that sincerely appreciate what you do, as well as all of us who represent you. Keep up the good

work, and always watch each other's back.



Sixth Precinct

by Kevin Mullick

LOCAL LAW 187-21 VETOED

On behalf of my fellow Sixth Precinct PBA representatives PO's Michael Calfayan, Sean Maass, William Popiolek, and Joseph Lianzo we hope everyone had a great summer. We welcome all the new arrivals that graduated from the Police Academy. On August 3, 2021, there was a discussion and concluded with a vote on the Nassau County Local Law 187-21. It was introduced by Legislators Josh Lafazan and cosponsored by Legislators Delia DiRiggi-Whitton, Arnold Drucker, and Ellen Birnbaum. This was a good bill that protects law enforcement and first responders against harassment, menacing, or assault or injury is motivated by such individual's status as a first responder. It also gave law enforcement and first responders the right to civilly sue those who commit such crimes. If we all look back, we observed violent protests throughout our Country which included our brothers and sisters in blue in the New York City Police Department. The media displayed cops being threatened and attacked by criminals under the guise of protesters. All of you that worked the protests last summer, throughout the County, maintained professionalism. As professionals, we understand that people have a constitutional right to peacefully protest. At times protesters will verbally vent to law enforcement. However, some protesters will verbally threaten bodily harm you or even spit at you. These behaviors are roots that could lead to mass violence against law enforcement. The bill was voted on and passed. However, Legislators Drucker and Birnbaum who originally co-sponsored the bill flipped, and voted against the bill. One would think that both of them would have carefully read this bill, thought it through, and perhaps would have made changes where needed. Way to play both sides of the fence. The truth is there was no need to make any changes. It was a good and righteous bill for all law enforcement and first responders. Ultimately County Executive Laura Curran, under the guidance of Attorney General Letitia James, vetoed the bill. Will the rejection of the bill enable criminals, under the guise of protesters, the right to attack police? Only time will tell what results from the veto if we do have protests at the level of last summer.

Be Sure to visit our website www.nassaupba.org

Seventh Precinct

by Frank Arcuri

By the time you read this summer will be over so I hope you and your families got to enjoy some time together. Summer is supposed to be a time you get to relax a little recharge the batteries and start fresh. Speaking of fresh we have gotten a bunch of fresh faces from the academy so I hope all of the new officers have adjusted and the senior cops are taken care of you. I do feel bad for this last class called the Covid class because you missed out on parts of training that would have prepared you more thoroughly instead of just being thrown out there. Just remember we are here to help each other so always ask questions. Also another fresh start by the time you read this there will be a new President of the PBA. I hope everyone does their homework and chooses the best candidate for the job. I hope when they came to the precinct you asked plenty of questions not just what they plan on doing but how they plan on doing it. Like most politicians say they are going to lower your taxes okay but how? Every candidate will say they are going to get a contract, longevity, health care, etc make sure you ask how because that's the most important thing.

I also would like to thank Erik Diaz who always runs our precinct fishing trip. Everyone who attended had a great time especially the kids. Some nice fish were caught and the weather was perfect. It takes a lot of work running an event and Erik did an outstanding job.



HELLO AND GOODBYES

I want to welcome our new transfers Kyle Beale, Eric Schill and Steve DeAngelis to the Seventh I hope you guys are enjoying your new home. We haven't had any transfers for awhile so it's nice to get some new faces with time on. Good bye to Tom Garibato who went to Procedural Development. I came out with Tom he's a good cop and will be missed. Good bye to Shawn Condon who finally got to the squad. It was long overdue Shawn is one of the best cops I ever got to work with he will be a major asset to the squad.

HAPPY RETIREMENT

Happy retirement to Lieutenant Kevin Carrol who finally decided to call it a career. When I first came out I was in Kevin's squad he was the first old timer to welcome me to the command. Kevin was a cop, a detective, a Sergeant, and a Lieutenant in the Seventh. Kevin was a great boss and always looked out for his cops he will be missed in the command.

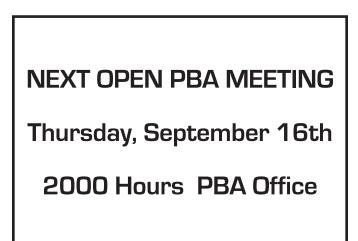
BABY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to Colette DeRosa on baby Christopher John born on July 2. Congratulations to Mike Cestaro on baby Madeline Mae born on June 26. And congratulations to the guy that never stops smiling Joe Cangro who had twins Zoe Ruby and Aidan Robert born August 4. Congratulations to all the families welcome to sleepiness nights lol

TOP COP MAY 2021

On May 4, 2021 at approximately 1320 hours, Police Officer Christopher Lamonica and Police Officer Edward Acerra responded to a radio assignment for an aided case of a woman in labor. Upon arrival it was apparent to the officers that the birth of the child was imminent. Police Officers Lamonica and Accera assisted the aided with the delivery of her baby. Shortly after the birth, the NCPD ambulance arrived and transported the aided and her baby to the hospital for evaluation and treatment.

For their heroic actions taken that day, I'd like to congratulate Police Officer Chris Lamonica and Police Officer Ed Accera with being awarded Top Cops of May 2021. I know I mentioned this call a few letters ago but that was before they were awarded Top Cop so I think they should be recognized for what they did.



8th Precinct

by Joseph Salvatore

WISHING OUR LOYAL READERS HAPPINESS AND HEALTHINESS AS ALWAYS.

SHOUT-OUTS

A tough, hard-nosed and absolutely well earned retirement shout to PO Wayne Heller, an old school 8th icon (Shield number 874).

For over two a half decades Wayne was a fixture here on night tours. He could sniff out vtl's and arrests like sharks do chum. Wayne was the cop you went to as a young rookie for experienced advice...I did. And you knew that you received better information than looking at any manual or calling any boss. Yeh he was that good. Nicknamed the pit bull, Wanye took no prisoners. An ace on assignments and well versed in everything law enforcement, he is one of the last old school cops left in the 8th. On the back nine of his career he made the transition to 818 (our enforcement car) with aplomb. As stated by Lt. Val Troise, "It was a pleasure working with you. You are an exemplary old school patrol cop. The newer cops should follow by your example. You always did your job to the best of your ability and never complained. I know that whatever you handled, would be handle thoroughly and correctly...I hope you have a long healthy retirement. You will be missed here in the 8th."

To Wit: Well said, and our sentiments exactly!!

A quiet and low key retirement shout to the king of Old Bethpage, PO Robert "Bob" Marvelli (Shield #680).

Marvelli was a legend in 805 car on night tours. Over the years he maintained a low profile while delivering this County quality service tour in and tour out. He even teamed up with the great Kenny Sager for over a decade, providing a solid one-two punch for the Plainview-Old Bethpage area. Bob was quiet and didn't possess a bad bone is his body. Always good for a conversation, smile and a laugh, we will miss another long timer here in the 8th. He will not and can not be replaced. We wish his and his family the very best.

In 1939, lighting struck twice for director Victor Fleming with both "The Wizard of Oz" and "Gone With the Wind." In 2021, the 8th lost two "bolts" of our own, go enjoy your well earned time off Wayne and Bob!

TOP COPS

APRIL 2021

The Top Cop Award Committee convened and voted for PO Mike "Baby Shark" Leeb and PO Rob "Tyro" Weber.

These two active patrol cops initiated an investigation of an auto accident which left the scene in Farmingdale. The investigation led them over the County line into Suffolk where they made a lawful arrest for a DWI/ AALS. The subject was also charged with numerous violations of the vehicle and traffic law. Of note, assistance with the breath test was done by an old 8th legend and Eric Besthoff protege, PO Randy Donley of HQs CTS. This was a quick recap of a detailed and thorough investigation so its briefness is in no way a slight to the effort both Webb and Leeb put in. Congrats on this award guys and be safe always...doo doo doo

HEARD IN THE HALLS

Congrats on our most recent addition to our POP unit, PO Meghan Terraciano. Meghan joins ranks with PO Brohman, PO Bilardello and PO Guidice. Well versed on both the street and administrative level, she will be a positive complement to this amazing team.

With HQs requesting a 4th member County wide, the 8th answered the bell in a big way with Meghan. This unit was housed by 8th legends such as Paul Lamonaca, Andy French and Dave Rysdyk. It's comforting to know, not only for our top brass, but more for the local community, that they are in safe hands with these four professionals.

Good luck to PO Craig Johnston, who has left us for BSO/CIIRT. While Craig was here in the 8th for a cup of coffee, he made an impact on those around him in that short time. He has the requisite skills and tools to excel in this new arena. We wish him the very best and will see him around I'm sure.

WELCOME

Our newest academy additions include...

James "Whatever miles we put on, we'll take off" Cameron! (As quoted by Ferris)

Daniel "Kato" Kalin

Chelsea "F.C." Penn

Madeline "Maddy" Troise

Cory "Sunglasses at night" Simone

Tyler "the Creator" Cea

Matthew "here comes another" Stio

Nicholas "NR15" Rossi

Jessica "not Damian" Suarez

Adam "12" Milack

Kyle "win and your in" Finn

Ryan "Sly" Stallone

Michael "MB3" Briguglio

And Daniel "no Mea" Kulpa

We are glad to have you on board, don't be afraid to ask questions and always be safe. Congrats again!!!

DEAR JOE SAL

Dear Joe,

I was curious with your knowledge and vast array of contacts within the department if you know of or have heard any rumors regarding cryptocurrencies as an investment being incorporated into our deferred compensation retirement plans? Hope you can provide us some insight,

Anonymous 4th Pct Detective

Dear A4thD,

With everything that's gone on in the last year and a half, the crypto craze is definitely worth a mention. Couple that with the fact that the retirement account market totals over 22 trillion dollars and your question makes total sense. That being said two obstacles exist. For one, most firms have yet to adopt crypto and still don't allow it as an investment vehicle within portfolios. And two, the SEC is not fully on board, with approval still taking time. As far as our job goes and our planner, Prudential, I was unable to reach the C-suite level for a more specific answer. If and when that comes, I will surely get back to you. Be safe brother and keep "maxing" out.

IN MEMORIAM

Lt. Howard M Barush passed away on June 6th. Lt. Barush worked many years in the 8th precinct and retired in May of 1987 after serving 21 years with the department.

Flowers were sent in the name of the Retired Members of the 8th Precinct.

Reminder: Our email address is joeysal77@yahoo.com for any questions, comments, etc., you may have. And if you were just married, divorced, had a baby, won the lottery, etc., please email us so we can recognize you in our next column. Thanks for the feedback.

Be Safe

And God Bless

BSO by Keath Mishkin

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I hope everyone has enjoyed their summer but now it's time to get back in the swing of things. First we need to get past the election of the PBA board, and then hopefully, maybe at some point in time we can get a contract and longevity which we have been promised so many times. I will leave it at that.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

I am pleased to announce the birth of some more BSO babies. Congratulations to Jeff Matassa and family on the birth of their son Sebastian Philip Matassa who was born on June 27th and weighing in at a massive 8 pounds 2 ounces.

Congratulations to Nick Accardi and family on the birth of their son Jordan Joseph Accardi who was born on July 16th weighing in at 7 pounds 4 ounces!

SHOUT OUTS

The BSO Bachelor pad seems to be growing thin with all of the bachelors coming off the market at a rapid pace. Congratulations to all of our newly weds which include Brandon Gambler, John Hirschberger, Michael Sierzant, and Nick Collins on their recent marriages. Shout out to my boy John Giovaniello on his promotion to Sergeant. John came to BSO back in 2014 and his loss is absolutely the First Precinct's gain. You will be surely missed, but hopefully for a short time Sniper! Another shout out goes out to Kenny Kraemer. Kraemer originally came to BSO back in 2013 before leaving for the squad for a short stint and then returning back to BSO. He has now gone back to where it all began and once again joined forces with Iannucci. Your experience, talent, and knowledge is a big loss to the Bureau but we wish you well in the future. We would also like to congratulate Casey Quinn, Matt Meyer, and Tom Goodrich on their promotion to Detective. The Bureau of Special Operations would like to welcome Cope alumni Sean Bohan, Steven Kovacs, Andrew Nill, Daniel Powers, CIRRT Alumni Richard Krawczyk, and Army Ranger Eric Williams from the Fifth precinct. Congratulations to our newest CIRRT members Michael Annitto, Derrick Coleman, John Ingardia, Craig Johnston, Brian Mcallister, Michael Rooney, and Daniel Sheeler. Be on the lookout for a bearded looking homeless man who's possible alias is Chaos 1 and has been walking through BSO Base aimlessly. If seen notify the BSO signal monitor.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Every year the Bureau of Special Operations represents the NCPD in the annual Torch Run for the Special

Olympics. Please join the members of BSO in a run on Thursday September 30th at the New York State Trooper Baracks in Farmingdale located at 7140 Republic Airport Farmingdale NY, 11735. This years run will be 3.1 miles and will start at the trooper barracks in Farmingdale and finish at Farmingdale State College. Check in is at 1000 hours and the run will start at 1030 hours. All are invited to attend.

Mark your calendars now for this years Bureau of Special Operations Christmas Party. Please join us on Friday December 10th at The Oheka Castle located at 135 W. Gate Drive in Huntington NY, 11743. Details are to follow. This is one party you won't want to miss!

SAVE THE DATE

Get ready for our Annual BSO Bass Tournament happening on October 23rd and 24th. Details to follow. Contact Kevin Higbie, Rob Psomas, Mike Keane, or call BSO Base for further information. 516-573-8010.

GOOD GRAB

On August 3rd at approximately 2243 hours Officers Villa and Sierzant were conducting routine patrol when they were responding for an assignment and notification for numerous shots fired at a house party in New Hyde Park. While canvassing the area they observed a vehicle traveling westbound with dark tinted side windows and windshield. Officers also observed other vehicle infractions on this particular vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. Once the officers activated their emergency lights the vehicle did stop in the left lane of the roadway. Officers then observed multiple occupants in the vehicle as the vehicle began to shake while the occupants were moving around while still inside the vehicle. Officers activated their sirens and signaled the driver to pull to the right side of the road at which point the vehicle did refuse to stop and once again started heading westbound. Officers were finally able to stop the vehicle and upon approach, officers observed four occupants seated in the rear seats with none of them wearing seatbelts. Officers immediately also noticed the driver to have blood on his pants and his hands to be bloody. The driver was immediately moved from the vehicle and placed in handcuffs for officer safety. Officers requested assistance and removed the rest of the occupants from the vehicle. Officer Merckling then arrived and assisted with the investigation where he recovered a loaded .22 caliber Smith and Wesson handgun from underneath the rear left passenger seat. All the defendants were placed into custody and were also identified as Crip Gang Members. Great job on all of the officers involved!

RETIREMENT

The Bureau along with CIRRT would like to congratulate

Donald Coupe on his retirement. Coupe spent over the last 10 years assigned to BSO and CIRRT with over 25 years as a Police Officer with the NCPD. The knowledge, dedication, and experience he brought to both units cannot be touched as he has been a mentor to many of the tactical and plainclothes operators who have come and gone. We wish you the best on your retirement. One in Never out! #Retirement party 2022!

Notes From the E.S.U. Corner by Kevin Probst

ON THE JOB

Welcome back and I hope everyone had an enjoyable and safe summer. Typical summer in ESU call volume wise. Everyone has been running around, answering calls, assisting the precincts, and towing vehicles like crazy (as of today 8/18 up to 401). In July, PO McWhirk and Roslow did an outstanding job plugging a cap on an overturned tanker that just left the yard with a full 11k load of diesel and gasoline. They responded quickly, and while being sprayed with AAAF foam they were able to slow the leak enough by the time the fuel was



transferred only approximately 700 gallons were lost.

In August, while making a landing at NUMC aviation received a warning light which grounded the aircraft. Luckily ESU still has the starts-all and was able to revive 2453 and head down to NUMC to assist in removing the rotor blades and then lifting it onto a lowboy flatbed. Thankfully there were no issues/injuries to the pilots and the helicopter got to the hanger without incident.



TRAINING

September is going to start the busy months for ESU in the training department. We will be completing a 3 day trench and 2 day building collapse training. We have a week off and then roll into in-service the last week of September until the 3rd week of October. We will be hitting the usual topics and hopefully be able to throw in some monkey wrenches to the guys and make them think outside the box!

RETIREES

This newsletter will probably be mailed after the 20 year anniversary of 9/11. But as we do every year we need to remember all of the men and women who responded and did everything possible that day and who sacrificed everything.

If there is any information you would like to see published in the newsletter please feel free to email me at kprobst@pdcn.org



by P.O. John Kannengeiser

SUMMER BREEZE

By the time this article is posted, we will have seen the majority of the recreational boating season come and go. The hassocks will be turning brown and the winds will switch to the north before we know it.

Summer 2021 was definitely the busy season we anticipated with countless radio assignments, aided cases, distress response calls, boating accidents and the like.

Despite the increased number of recreational boaters and the dangers they present, Marine Bureau crews were out there answering the call and at the same time, educating the public. Through high visibility patrol, frequent IP visits to problem areas and good oldfashioned enforcement, we managed to weather the storm. Both recreational boating accidents and fatalities are down. This is a testament to the hard work of the Marine Bureau members who rise to the occasion when difficult situations get thrown our way.

Amongst these situations were several BWI arrests, with crews providing fast emergency response, conducting thorough investigations and following through with good arrests.

LEARNING CURVE

Our temps did a great job assimilating to the role of a Marine Patrol Officer. Each and every one can say they learned a lot over these last few months and am sure they value the experience provided by our veteran crewmen. Thank you gentlemen.

WELCOME BACK

A familiar face that once vanished into thin air suddenly reappeared on deck. Sgt. Trish McCaffrey had been promoted prior to completing her first temporary assignment in the Marine Bureau, but has made her triumphant return. (Insert sound of cheering crowd here.) Welcome back, we are very fortunate to have you!

FUN IN THE SUN

The powers that be gave us the green light to once again hold our picnic at Tobay Beach Marina. It was a great time with a fantastic turnout of both new and old Marine Bureau members. Special thanks to PO's Mike Shahinian and Bobby Schmidgall for the tireless efforts put forth to make it all happen. Also, thanks to Bobby Hayes and Joe Nappi for always stepping up and being a huge part of it. It was great to see all of the guys there and enjoying the day with family and friends.

Be safe out there everyone, stay healthy and enjoy the beautiful fall weather to come.

Until next month, Fair Winds and Following Seas.



"Last crew Standing" Marine Bureau picnic August 4, 2021



Don't know what happened to the last three ARPO articles but they never made it to the newsletter. Hope this one makes it. Congratulations to Jimmy McDermott on his retirement. After 34 years he deserves it. I hope he enjoys retired life like most of us do and hope to see him at some future ARPO meetings.

HR218 CERTIFICATIONS SATURDAY OCTOBER 2, 2021

Our last annual HR218 certification is scheduled for Saturday, October 2nd at the Nassau County Rifle and Pistol Range at the Mitchel Field sports complex in Uniondale. This will be the last group certification for this year. The next one will be in May 2022. If you want to take the certification in October, you must preregister for it. Send an email to me at gotsha@aol.com for the registration form. Member's price is \$40 for one weapon and \$90 for two weapons. More and more of our members are coming out to get certified. Registration forms will be e-mailed to all ARPO members who have given us their e-mail address. You must be preregistered to take the course.

NASSAU BLUE 2022 REUNION

The Nassau Blue Reunion is scheduled for January 27-30 in Kissimmee at the Ramada Gateway, same location as

in the past. The flyer will be in the October newsletter. The reunion is looked forward to by many retirees so that they can get together with other people from the job that they haven't seen in many years.

Our scholarship applications were mailed out last month and we will have the drawing at our October open meeting. We are awarding twenty five \$500 scholarships to children and grandchildren of our members.

Just when we thought things were getting better with the Covid 19 virus, the numbers have shot back up to new highs not seen since the height of the pandemic. The CDC blames it all on people who have not gotten vaccinated. The cases happening are 93% of people who failed to get vaccinated. That kind of spells things out to the people who can't read. If you don't get vaccinated, you put yourself and others at risk of getting the virus. I don't understand why we have to pay people to go get vaccinated; it should all be a no brainer.

We are looking for new members to join ARPO. If you know of a retired member who is not a member, please let them know we are looking for new members and tell them they are welcome to come to any meeting to see what we are all about. Our meetings are held on the second Wednesday of the month (no meetings July and August) at 7:30 PM at the PBA office. Refreshments are served both before and after the meeting. We always have a guest speaker at our meetings to keep you informed on matters that are geared to being retired.



IPA Region 5 By William Costigan IPA.NassauRegion5@gmail.com

Welcome back from summer 2021.

We wish to extend our congratulations to PBA President James McDermott on his upcoming retirement and wish him well. We also want to thank the PBA Newsletter committee: Sean Mulligan, Chairman, John Bilello, Todd Torchia, and Thomas McMahon, for their assistance over the years.

Our Christmas ornament will be available at the September meeting or by contacting Willie Costigan 516-965-3348. This year, we will honor all our members and responders who went above and beyond 20 years ago on September 11, 2001. We will never forget.

We are currently working on a trip to Ireland scheduled for September 2022. We are taking names and emails to create a travel group list for updates and information. If you are interested, please send us an email to: IPA. Ireland.2022@gmail.com

Occasionally, we receive a request to host IPA members traveling to New York. IPA is currently looking to establish a list of members willing to open their home to host Police Officers from around the world. If you are interested, please send an email to IPAHostLogistics@ gmail.com

All members will be receiving an email in early October requesting your dues payment. If possible, please bring your 2022 dues to the September meeting or you can send directly to IPA Region 5 either BY MAIL: c/o Bill Powell 304 Elm Drive South Levittown, NY 11756, BY FAX: 888-647-3690, or BY EMAIL: wjpowell@gmail.com

Next Meeting Date

September 24, 2021 7:00 pm

Wantagh Inn 3264 Railroad Ave Wantagh, NY 11793



IPA is open to new members all year round. Join us at our next meeting or event.

Nassau Police Post 1050 American Legion

by Dan Scheidel

To all members of American Legion Police Post 1050

WE HAVE CHANGED OUR MEETING TIME .

Our meetings will be at NOON (LUNCH SERVED Hero/Salads, Open Bar) held at the American Legion Post 1082, 294 Bellmore Road (Between N. Jerusulem Ave and Wantagh Pwky), East Meadow.

Second Tuesday of the month Kindly let me know if attending

SEPTEMBER 14, OCTOBER 12, NOVEMBER 9TH (No meetings in December, January or February)

Any questions please contact Bob Steinroeder (516) 456-9612 or rsteinroeder@optonline.net

Thanks see you there!

Retiree Column

by Joe Failla JoeFaillaNCPBA@aol.com

Welcome back boys and girls, hopefully you all had a wonderful summer and were able to get a little normalcy back in your life. How long it may last, only God knows.

One of the craziest things I came across at a visit to Jones Beach was a sign that stated, "All swimmers must stay six feet apart while in the water." How is that possible?

Please take some time out and say a prayer for the men and women that are working in Law Enforcement. I myself cannot imagine putting up with the current conditions that they have to work under. That old saying "The only thing better than being a Nassau County Cop is being a retired Nassau County Cop," surely rings true in these trying times.

Our numbers are growing; PO Timothy Ivers has worked his last tour and has decided to join our Ranks. Tim has been extremely helpful to me, over the last seven years by supplying me with necessary info in order to keep the FINAL 10 - 11 updated.

I worked with Tim's dad Ptl. Timothy Ivers in the Eighth in my rookie years. He was one of the nicest guys I have ever met along with being a good cop and a great teacher. Believe me, the apple did not fall far from the tree. Thanks for all of your help Tim and may you be retired for at least as many years as you were on.

Taking over from Tim is PO Kevin Probst ESU the son of PO Frank Probst, another second generation NCPD carrying on the spirit and work ethic of his dad.

As long as we are on the subjects of traditions in Policing, I have two of my sons, Joe III retired NYPD Special Case Squad and Michael NYPD – Oyster Bay Cove PD and OBCPD PBA President along with my nephew John NYPD – Third Precinct. My youngest son Jim says he would have been a cop if it wasn't for the background check. Although he is not a cop he stands behind with a full support of law enforcement and a strong America. You can hear him on FOX ACROSS AMERICA Monday thru Friday noon to 3:00 PM ET preaching that everyone whether you are a Democrat or a Republican, must never forget that we are all Americans and patriotism is a team sport.

REUNION UPDATE

THE CLASS OF 1971 50TH REUNION will be held on September 10. If you are planning on attending contact one or all of the following; Joe Carbone at Joeynoonions@ yahoo.com , Pat Dowling at PJDInvestigations@gmail. com or Greg Quinn at Quinn5470@Verizon.net. ROAD END – THIRD PRECINCT ANNUAL REUNION IS BACK. The date is Wednesday December 1, 2021 at Verdi's of Westbury at 680 Old Country Road (formerly Gi Gi's) from 1130 to 0030 and the price is \$55.00 per person which includes tax and gratuity. A sit down dinner with a choice of five entrees.

Please mail a check in the amount of \$55.00 by November 15, to Mike Priolo 313 Roxbury Rd. South Garden City, NY 11530. Mike's cell phone is (516) 647-5428. NO PAYMENTS ACCEPTED AT THE DOOR ON December 1. Deposits will be returned if minimum is not met.

THE CLASS OF 1972 50TH REUNION – Arrangements have been made to have the 1972 50th Reunion in conjunction with the 27th Nassau Blue Reunion which is already attended by a number of our class alumni.

The dates that have been secured are January 27 – January 30 at the Ramada Gateway Hotel in Kissimmee FL.

Featured is the Hospitality Suite that is open Thursday and Friday from 1100 to 0100 and on Saturday from 1100 to 1700 then closed during the Banquet then open again from 2230 to 0100.

For those that are not familiar with the area there is ample entertainment such as golf, restaurants, shopping and most of the Florida theme parks.

A few pages back from this article you will find an application for attendance which lists the prices for the Hotel, Hospitality Suite and Banquet. Also listed is an optional Dinner Show.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me either by e mail or via cell; (516) 382-1574.

FROM THE BOX

I am very proud to report that my Grandson, Police Officer Andrew Winwood of the Nassau County Police Department is the fourth generation of Winwood Police Officers to go forward to Serve and Protect in the footsteps of those who have gone before them. God bless and always be Safe!

Richard Winwood – bucch33@hotmail.com

Hi Joe, Bob Niven, Naples, FL. There were over 100 of us in the June 1962 class so there has to be some of us still kicking. I was wondering if you have heard anything about a possible reunion. Having been in FL since my retirement in '83, I have lost touch with the '62 group.

I enjoy reading your column every month. I know it can be frustrating at times to get things to write about as I was a 4th Precinct Delegate and column writer for several years in the 60's, the good old days of PBA President Eddie Lecci and Danny Greenwald. Keep up the good work. Bob Niven – nivenrv29@aol.com

FINAL 10 – 11

Since the last column, we have been notified of the loss of the following Members;

On December 14, 2020, we lost PO Louis G. Bowles, Serial 3611, First Precinct, who served from April 29, 1966 until May 4, 1986

On April 6 we lost, DET Peter Donato, Jr., Serial 4922, Homicide Squad, who served from April 23, 1971 until February 23, 2002.

On April 30 we lost, SGT Michael Menicon, Serial 3516, First Precinct, who served from April 16, 1965 until April 23, 1987.

On May 3 we lost, PTL Ralph N. Carpinelli, Serial 3956, Sixth Precinct, who served from April 26, 1968 until July 11, 1974.

On May 26 we lost, SGT Michael F. Ryan, Serial 2499, Bureau of Special Operations, who served from April 1, 1957 until April 3, 1980.

On June 5 we lost, DCI George J. Baldwin, Serial 1380, Patrol Bureau, who served from April 19, 1950 until June 18, 1987.

On June 6 we lost, LT Howard M. Barush, Serial 3606, Fifth Precinct, who served from April 29, 1966 until May 5, 1987.

On June 26 we lost, PO Allen E. Fennell, Jr., Serial 3742, Seventh Precinct, who served from April 14, 1967 until January 12, 1988.

On July 2 we lost, DET John M. Perrino, Serial 2820, Main Office, who served from September 1, 1959 until October 15, 1992.

On July 12 we lost, DET Jack Kennedy, Serial 5650, District Attorney Squad, who served from June 15, 1973 until April 8, 2001.

On July 13 we lost, LT Ricky J. Janotha, Serial 8242, Fourth Precinct, who served from October 17, 1997 until June 17, 2020.

On July 15 we lost, DET SGT Joseph A LaMagna, Serial 2893, Narcotics/Vice Bureau, who served from January 5, 1960 until January 24, 1980.

On July 17 we lost, LT Joseph J. Omeis, Serial 2633, Highway Patrol Bureau, who served from January 20, 1958 until April 3, 1985.

May they rest in peace.

Remembering Matty Perlungher







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Name	Social Security Number
Address	Telephone Number

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It is important that your beneficiary designation be clear so that there will be no question as to your intent. It is also important that you name a primary and contingent beneficiary. When naming beneficiary(ies), please supply all requested information. If the beneficiary is not related either by blood or by marriage, insert the words "Not Related". NOTE: Whether designating one or more beneficiaries, the total Benefit Percent must equal 100%.

PRIMARY BENEFICIARY(IES)

	Date of Birth:
Address:	
Social Security Number:	
Benefit Percent:	
Name:	Date of Birth:
Address:	
Social Security Number:	. Relationship:
Benefit Percent:	
change this designation at any time.	Date of Birth:
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State of	County of	
Sworn before me this	day of	20

Notary Public

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NASSAU COUNTY PBA

JUDICIAL/D.A.'S OFFICE

REVIEW FORM

Your PBA is interested in knowing how you feel about your interaction with the District Attorney's Office and the various judges in the court system. If you have had a good or bad experience involving the court system please take the time to complete the following judicial Review Form and return it to the PBA Office, Attention Joe Nocella

These forms will be used to help evaluate the members of the court system. Your input is both needed and greatly appreciated.

NAME:		C(OMMAND:	SERIAL #:	
DATE OF COU	JRT:		COURT:		
JUDGE:					
DEMEANOR 1	OWARDS POL				
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COMMENTS:					
ASSISTAN	<u> District</u>	ATTORNEY			
DEMEANOR	OWARDS POL	LICE OFFICER(S)	·		
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Re;

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Thank you for your continued cooperation.

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MAO / POLICE SURGEON QUESTIONNAIRE

In order to evaluate members' police surgeons visit and MAO investigation the PBA requests that the following information be provided:

NA	AME	SERIAL#		-
		COMMAND		_
		TIME SEEN		_
I# .				
EX	AMINED BY (NAME OF SURGEON)			
M	AO SUPERVISOR VISITED (IF APPLICABLE)			
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1.	Was a medical exam conducted?		Yes	No
2.	What did the medical exam consist of (What did the doctor do?)			
3.	Did the Police Surgeon perform any medical tests as part of the example.	mination? (feel for spasm, test for	sensory lo	ss,
	use a tape to measure for atrophy, test for reflex loss, make you wall	k on heel/toes, test straight leg ra	ising,	
	etc.)?			
	How long did the medical exam take?			
	Were you ordered to either Restricted Duty or Full Duty?		Yes	No
5. 6	Was the Police Surgeon aware of the duties and responsibilities of y	our position	ies	INU
6.	before you were assigned back to full duty?	Sur position	Yes	No
7				INU
	If you were ordered back to work, who gave the order, Police Surge	on or MAO Supervisor?		NT
	Did this order conflict with any of your doctors evaluations?		Yes	No
8.	Do you feel the Police Surgeon treated you fairly and professionally	? If not, please provide details		
9.	Do you feel the MAO Supervisor / Staff treated you fairly and profe	essionally? If not, please provide o	details	
10.	Were you asked to complete any forms by the Police Surgeon?		Yes No	
	If yes, what forms?			
11.	After completion of any forms, were you asked, ordered or in any v	vay coerced into making		
	any changes on any of the forms?		Yes	No
	If yes what forms?			
12.	Did the Police Surgeon discuss your symptoms, such as pain that yo	ou might have?	Yes	No
	Did you feel that this was a full and complete discussion?	-	Yes	No
13.	Did the Police Surgeon or MAO Supervisor make any suggestions t	hat you seek treatment		
	with any doctors or physical therapists?		Yes	No
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If you feel that you were not treated professionally by any of the medical staff of the Police Surgeon's office, or MAO please complete the form and then contact a PBA representative.

RICHARD W. LERNER, P.C. ONE OLD COUNTRY ROAD SUITE 125 CARLE PLACE, NEW YORK 11514 (516) 741-4100 Phone (516) 741-7485 Fax rlerneresq@yahoo.com -Former Nassau County PBA Attorney -Representing Police Officers for 39 years -New York State Disability Retirement -Social Security Disability -Workers Compensation

PBA PENSION ESTIMATE PROGRAM

Your PBA has instituted a Pension Estimate benefit for all FULL Dues paying Members. This benefit will entitle each member to one Pension Estimate during the course of his or her career. As a part of this service you will be entitled to have your pension estimate updated for 3 years after the initial estimate. We have hired Lynn Ang Pension Estimate and Projections L.L.C. to perform these estimates for the members. To take advantage of this benefit you will have to obtain a Pension Estimate Voucher at the PBA office. This voucher will then be given to Lynn when you meet with him to perform the initial estimate.

Lynn Ang

Pension Estimate and Projections L.L.C. Cell Phone: 516-946-1696 Retired HPB - Formerly - PAB-Payroll Section

Remember to update your information

For those who have not done so in a while you should check your contact and personal information with the PBA and the Department especially if you have any changes in your life. Changes may include an address or telephone number change. A change in marital status or the birth of a child. You should also make sure that your beneficiaries are up to date with any life insurance, the Pension system and the Departments Termination pay beneficiary form. If you have never completed the Termination Beneficiary Form you should do so immediately. A copy of the Termination Pay Beneficiary form (PDCN 406) is included in this newsletter and can also be obtained from the Departments Intranet site.

PBA POLICE ACTIVITY "QUOTA" INTAKE SHEET

Labor Law 215-a prohibits the County from taking adverse employment action against an employee for failing to meet a quota. A quota is defined as a requirement that a specific number of tickets or summonses, arrests, or stops be made/issued within a specified period of time.

If you believe that an improper quota is being implemented, please fill this form out so that the PBA may investigate and, if appropriate, help to remedy a violation.

POLICE OFFICER (Name and Shield #):
PRECINCT/COMMAND:
DATE/TIME OF OCCURRENCE:
SUPERVISOR(S):
SUPERVISOR ACTIONS (if any):
DPA:
SUPV. RIDE ALONG:
OTHER (describe):
SUPERVISOR COMMENTS (if any):
OTHER IMPORTANT DETAILS (use additional sheets if necessary):
DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS AGAINST P.O. (if any; make sure to attach backup documents/info):
TRAINING LEDGER ENTRY:
REASSIGNMENT:
ADVERSE EVALUATION:
DENIAL OF OVERTIME:
TOUR COULAR OR OTHER SCHEDULING CHANCE.

TOUR/SQUAD OR OTHER SCHEDULING CHANGE:

OTHER: _____

POLICE OFFICER SIGNATURE DATE

<u>The PBA has put together a list of contact information in the event a Retired Member or</u> <u>Spouse passes away.</u> Please keep this on file so notifications can be made.

- Contact the Police Academy at 516-573-5740 to make a death notification and to request Pall Bearers if desired.
- Contact Highway Patrol for Escorts- 516-573-8200

Notify the County Comptroller and Pension System as there are important timelines:

NASSAU COUNTY COMPTROLLERS - 516-571-2369 You will reach Health Insurance Office in Mineola

County of Nassau Health Insurance Unit 240 Old Country Road 2nd Floor Mineola, NY 11501

This is very important...Notify them within 90 days

Survivor will receive form from them that has to be notarized. They will want a <u>Photo-copy of D/C</u>, with a note stating survivor's wish to continue Health Insurance coverage. <u>This is very important</u>. They will also want a copy of Survivor's Medical Card and SS# of Survivor and deceased member.

NEW YORK STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM - 518-486-7919 or 518-474-7736

NYS & Local Retirement System 110 State Street Albany, NY 12244 Attn: Survivor's Services

They will send application for amount due on death of Pensioner with transfer option. Need Retirement # and SS# of Pensioner and Original Death Certificate.

Notify the Union of representation from the list below:

NASSAU COUNTY POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION - 516-294-6230

Nassau County PBA - County of Nassau 89 E Jericho Tpke - Mineola NY 11501

They will need an Original Death Certificate will also send forms to be completed by survivor.

DETECTIVES ASSOCIATION INC. – 516-681-8442 DAI – 777 Old Country Road Suite 202 – Plainview NY 11803

They will need an Original Death Certificate.

SUPERIOR OFFICERS ASSOCIATION - 516-681-8624 SOA.- 777 Old Country Rd Suite 201 - Plainview NY 11803

They will need an Original Death Certificate.

RETRIED POLICE ASSOCIATION of THE STATE OF NEW YORK INC. – 516-294-4488 RPA of the State of New York, Inc – 1 Old Country Road Suite 265 – Carle Place NY 11514

They need <u>Photo-copy</u> of Death Certificate. They send monetary Death Benefit and a Graveside Flag. E-mail can be sent to RPA President and Beneficiary Secretary RPA Webpage: http://member.aol.com/rpany/index.html

Association of Retired Police Officers (ARPO) (631) 909-4008

89 E. Jericho Tpke, Mineola, NY 11501

The Association provides a bereavement service for a member at the local funeral service when provided with the funeral arrangements.

Provides a death benefit for members beneficiary, a photo copy of death certificate is required.

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Dear PBA Member,

Periodically, your PBA reminds its membership of appropriate steps that should be taken if you are called to Internal Affairs or become part of ANY department investigation. Recent events underscore the importance of involving the PBA and your legal counsel, me, as soon as possible.

Should you be called to Internal Affairs, be it as a witness or subject, you must notify your local PBA representative IMMEDIATELY. If you are deemed a subject, you have the right to have both a union representative and legal counsel with you during the interview. **If the investigation is criminal in nature, call me first!**

REMEMBER: You must be afforded a reasonable amount of time to contact a PBA representative and attorney. You have the right to confer with us both before and after questioning.

YOUR PBA REPRESENTATIVES AND ATTORNEY ARE HERE TO PROTECT YOU!

In any situation, be it at Internal Affairs or otherwise, where you are asked to write a letter and there is even a remote possibility of discipline, be sure to begin the letter with the following statement:

"I am making this statement for administrative purposes only. I have not done so voluntarily, but in compliance with an order of a Superior Officer. This statement in no way constitutes any waiver of my rights, and this statement, or any part thereof, may not be used against me in any subsequent criminal proceeding."

Finally, upon notifying your PBA representative that you have been called to Internal Affairs as the subject of an investigation, we will arrange to meet prior to your interview at my office to review the facts and circumstances.

Fraternally,

Bill Miller



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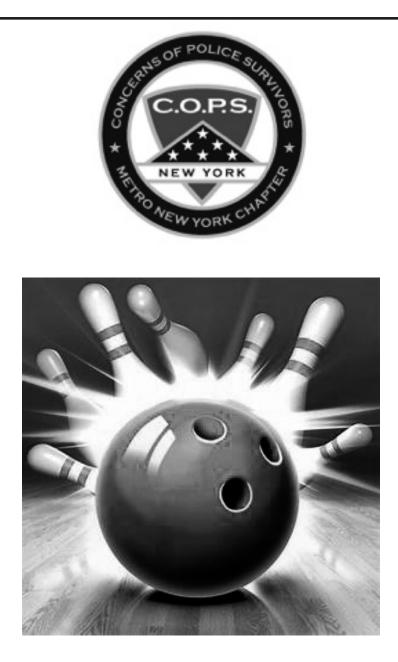
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All retired or active members, their family and friends, from any Police Department that served in Nassau County, are invited to attend. You must make your own reservations by calling the <u>Ramada Hotel directly at 407-396-4400</u> or 800-327-9170 between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM Monday thru Friday. Tell them you are attending the Nassau Blue Reunion. The room rate is \$89. + tax in the Tower or \$65. + tax for poolside rooms. Rates are for double occupancy and good for 3 days before and after reunion dates. This rate includes breakfast buffet for two at the Ramada Hotel during your stay. Cutoff date for a guaranteed Nassau Blue room is December 26, 2021. No shows or room cancellations are based on hotel policy. Check in time is 4 PM. If you arrive early Thursday, please come to the Hospitality Room to relax and have a drink until your room is ready.

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HOSPITALITY ROOM FEE: \$40. per person is required from All attending the Reunion and Nassau Blue Registered Guests on property. Attendees with Reservations OFF PROPERTY, or with discounted room rates, the fee is \$60. per person for 3 day attendance. **Local Florida residents are not included in the upscaled fee; there will be a \$20. single day attendance charge.

FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER THEATER: The cost is \$38. per person which includes show, dinner, unlimited beer, wine, soda and gratuity (<u>Info@AlCapones.com</u>). Coach Bus transportation is available from the Ramada and back for up to 50 people at \$5. per person, or use your transportation. (Book early the bus fills up fast.) This option was a hit two years ago.



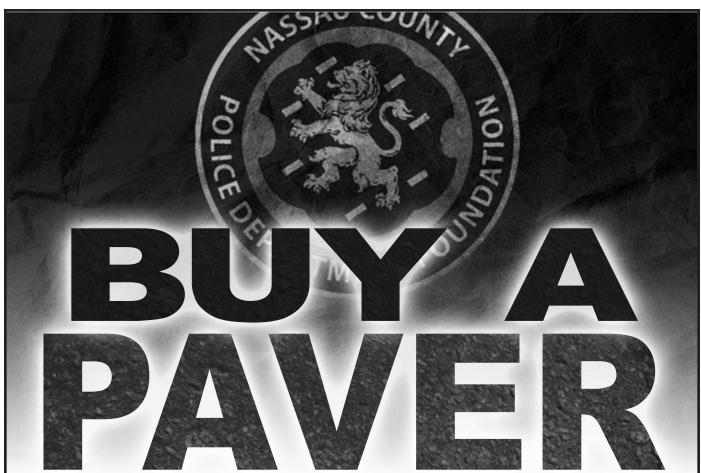
SATURDAY NIGHT BUFFET BANQUET AT THE RAMADA: The festivities start at 6:30PM. Cost per person is \$48. which includes taxes and gratuities. Dinner consists of a prepared salad at each table setting. The buffet has a selection of American/Asian/Italian items. Vegetarian selections will be available in the buffet. A dessert table, with a sugar free choice, will complete the dinner. Also, there will be a cash bar during the dinner. Tables are set up for eight persons. Get together with your friends and make sure they all wish to sit at the same table. A <u>chart for table</u> <u>selection</u> will be at the Reunion Sign in Desk in the Ramada lobby, where you pick up your ID Tags. Preferred attire for the evening is jackets for men and dresses or suits for ladies. Saturday night entertainment provided by DJ Charlie Dee. Winners of the 50/50 raffle will be announced at the dinner.

PAYMENT: Detach and mail the below form with a check payable to NASSAU BLUE REUNION, to: NASSAU BLUE INC., PO Box 412, Minneola, Fl., 34755 For further information contact: Andy Pitka (352) 238-7100

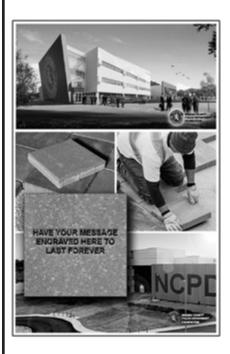
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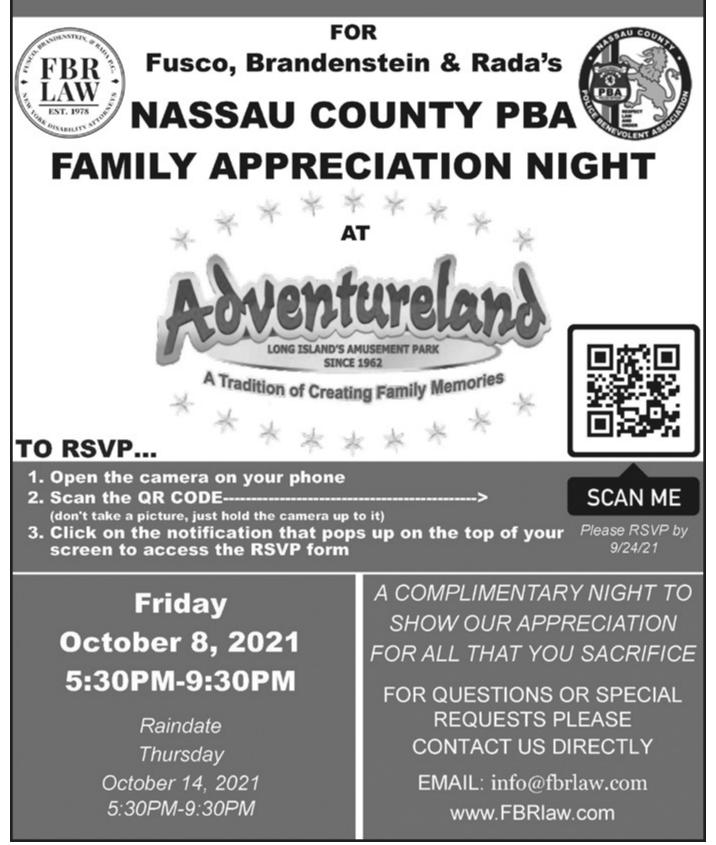
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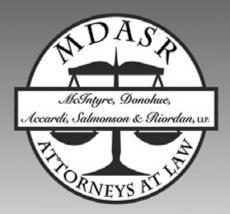
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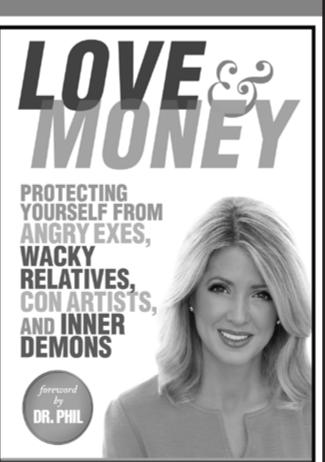
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★ Fourth Precinct Retirees Luncheon ★

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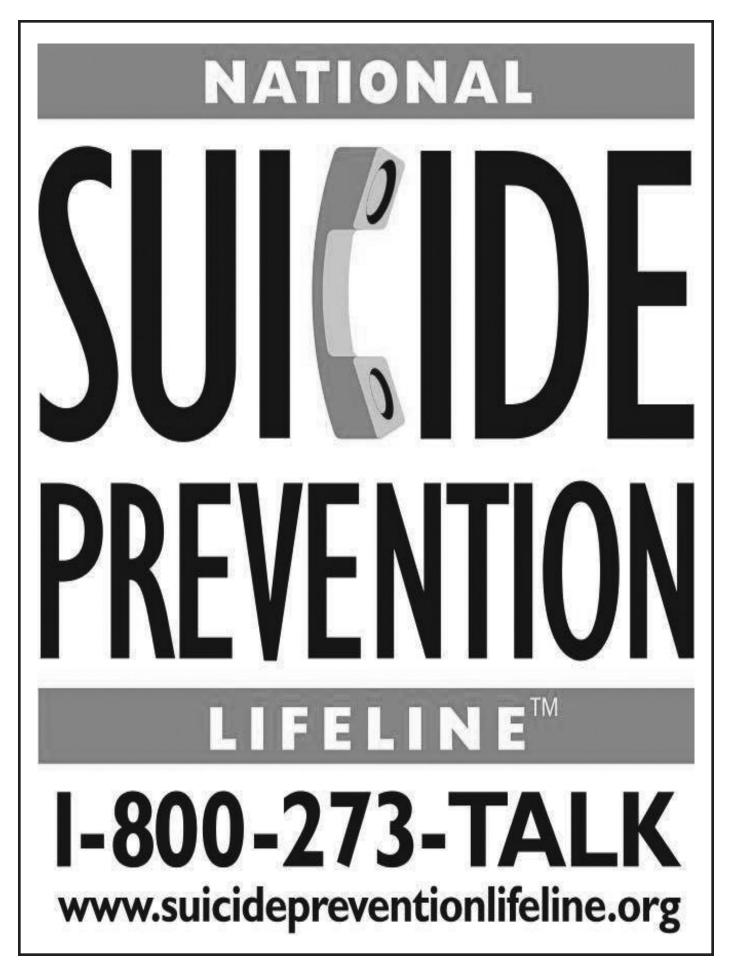
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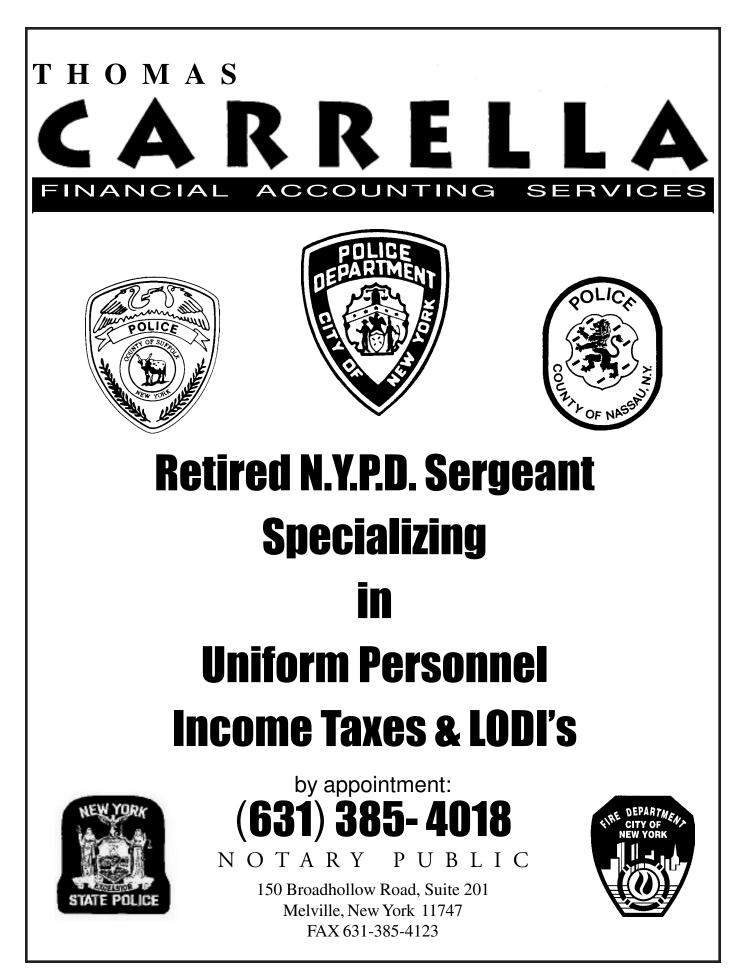
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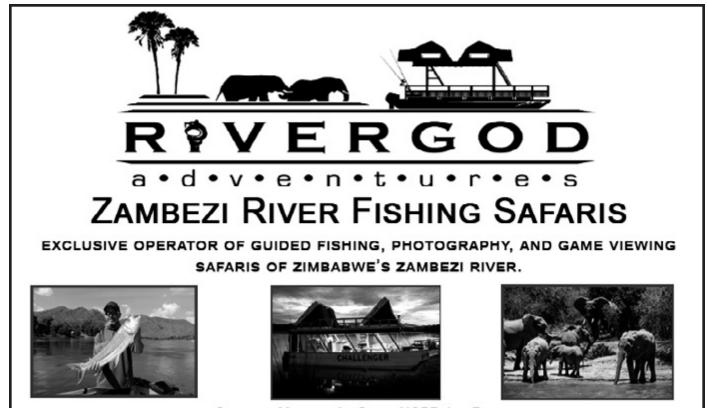
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If interested or would like further information, please contact any of the following:

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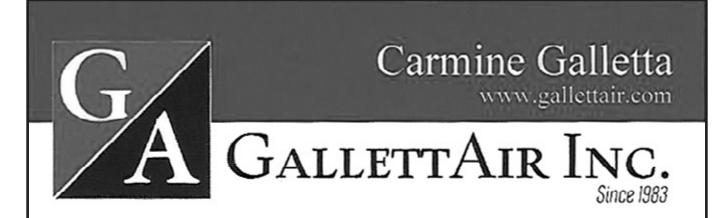








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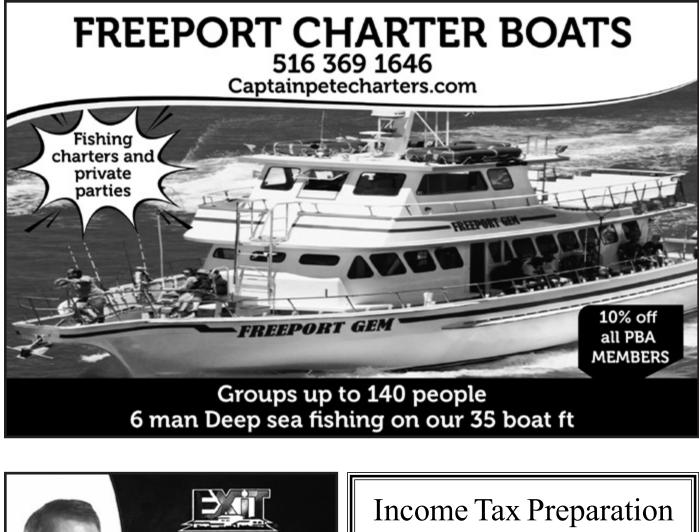
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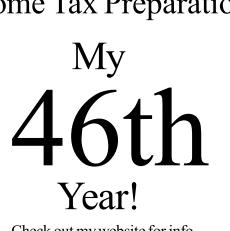
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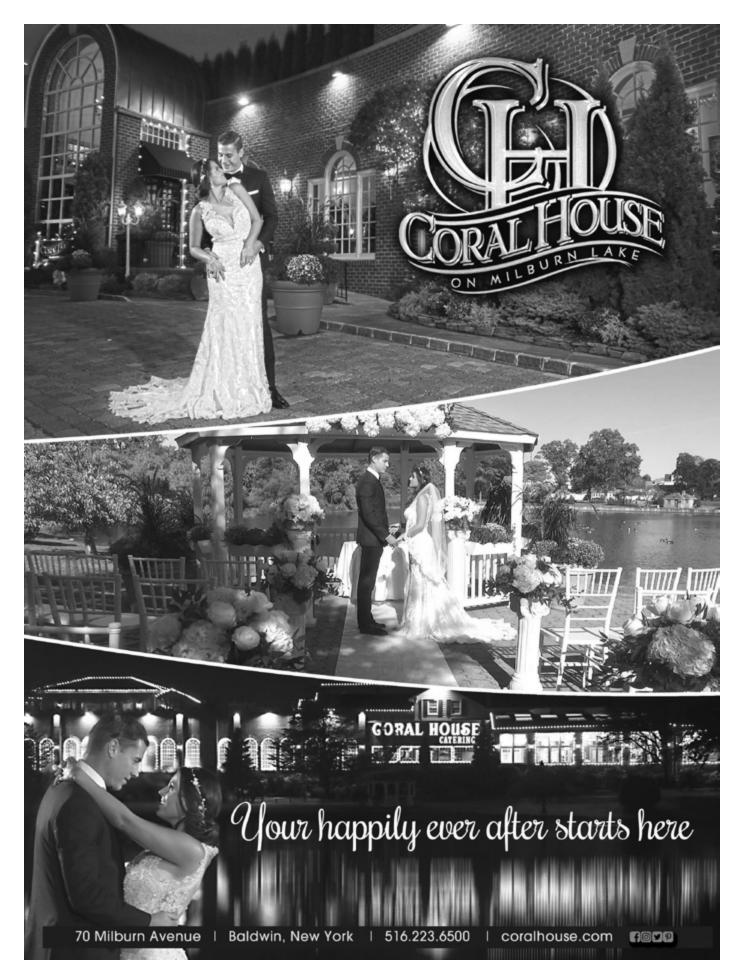






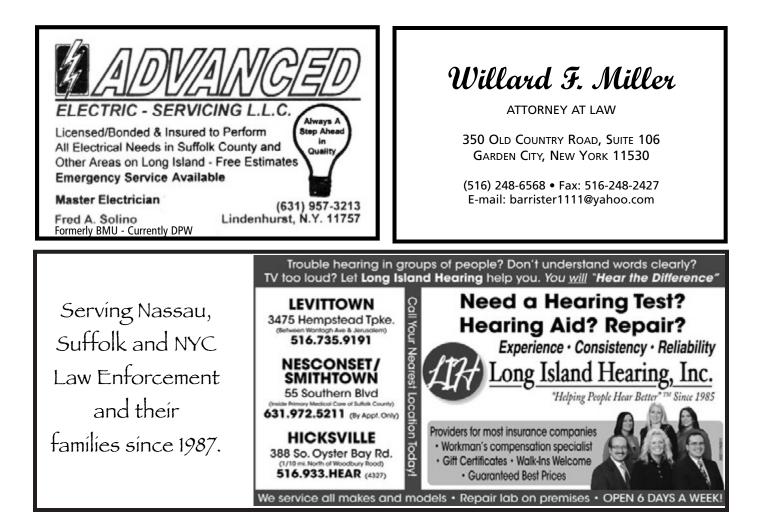
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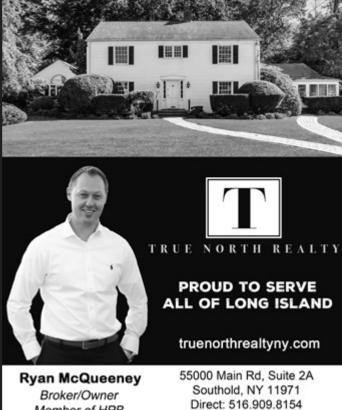




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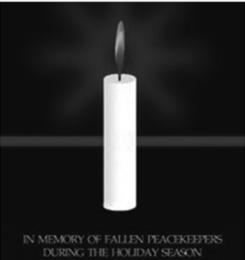
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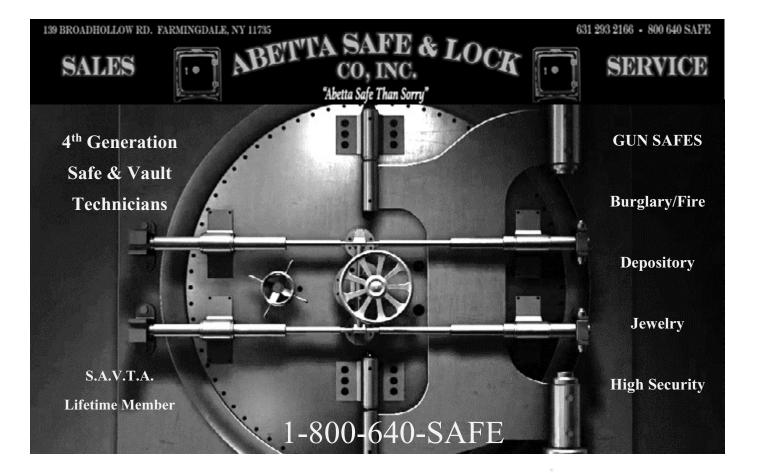




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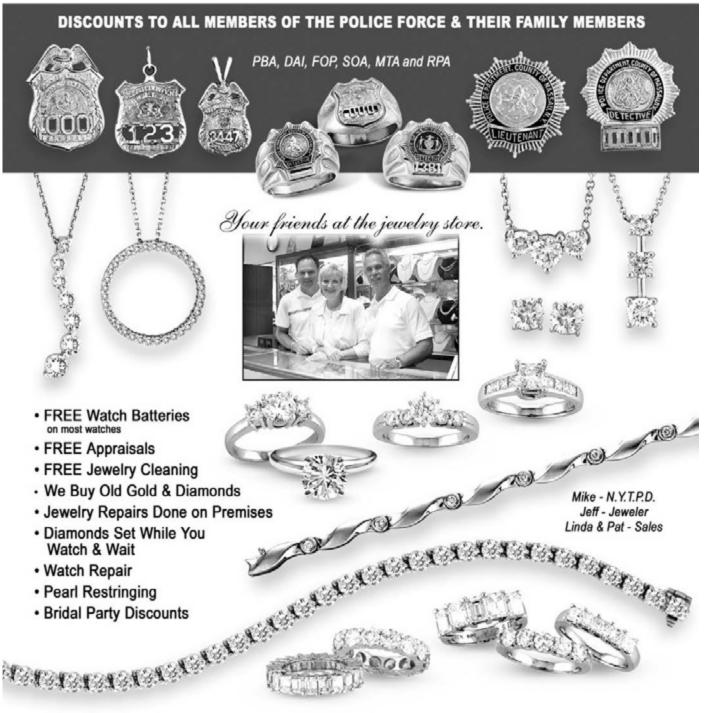
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