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President's Message

by Thomas Shevlin

HYPOCRISY AT ITS BEST

In today's scary environment where politicians, communities, and media have turned the Police into the villains, you would hope you at least had the support and backing from your own Department. Unfortunately, this is not currently the case in our Patrol Division. We just got back from the Albany and Washington DC Memorials, where we honored our fallen heroes and supported their families during very difficult times. I was very proud of the participation from our entire PBA, however it was disheartening to see the lack of brass from the Patrol Division, but this is not surprising. We have a Chief, who seeks to regularly go after the hardworking men and woman in blue. He thrives on ruining good honest careers and killing morale.

Let's take a quick look at this Chief's resume. Years back a fellow Police Officer and his wife lost their newborn baby. Instead of reaching out to see how they were doing, or even showing up at the funeral services, he went and checked on this Officer, who was out sick, to make sure he was home during work hours. More recently, the 8th Precinct Officer's had a tragedy occur when a baby died in their arms. Instead of reaching out and checking to see if everyone was ok, this chief was more concerned with possible overtime and questioned why peer support was needed. The list of examples goes on and on.

NCPD Patrol Officers are the backbone of this department. These men and women risk their lives daily to provide safety to our community. I am calling on the Department, and if need be, the County to reassign this Chief to a position where he can no longer damage the heart and soul of our great Police Department. If we want our Police Department to continue to be one of the best in the Country, we need to support our Police Officers, not look to tear them down.

Be safe and always back each other up mentally and physically.





Editors Article

by Sean Mulligan

Your sustained support has not gone unnoticed. As we've heard from a few retirees, this newsletter is a lifeline to the Nassau County Police Department. It has gone digital and no longer will be available in the traditional printed format. But it is not dead. Simply different.

The main factor was financial, pure and simple. It costs anywhere from 10-14K for a newsletter. Plus, postage. And that was PER ISSUE. Ten issues a year made it unsustainable. We killed a small forest each month for the Newsletters to sit in the precincts, still boxed up and unread.

We switched to a quarterly issue as well. The authors

of these articles were writing pieces every month aside from the summer and most of the time the information was outdated and obsolete. Today, digital information is immediate and swift. We couldn't ignore that.

As for advertising, we have a program where we can display your business ad 24-7 on our updated website. Thank you for your past patronage. Please contact us if you are interested in adverting with us. And you can continue sending your classified ads.

Finally, I want to convey our thanks to you all.

Please remember this:

We're Different, not Dead.

short of amazing. We did our best to let the families know we will always be there for them and we will NEVER FORGET THEM. It was great to share experiences and stories with members of other Police Departments from around the country and to see the reactions on their faces when we told them what we do for each of our fallen members families. Even better was to hear them saying out loud "Hey, the Nassau PBA does it right!!!"

In closing, I really would hope that every Officer of our department would make a trip to Washington DC for Police Week, especially if we are placing a hero on the wall. I hoestly believe that it will be an experience that you will never forget. I know the positive impact it had not only on me as a person, but as a Police Officer. I promise, you will not regret it. Thank you for all the great work you do each and every day. Be safe...

Financial Secretary

by James Shanahan

I want to take this time to reflect on the month of MAY, the month where we remember our fallen heroes. I want to thank the men and women of law enforcement who protect and serve, and risk it all for complete strangers along with remembering those who have paid the Ultimate Sacrifice. Our Police department placed 4 names of heroes on 3 memorial walls this past month and we should ALWAYS remember them and those who have passed before them.

I made my first trip to Washington DC for POLICE MEMORIAL WEEK 10 years ago, it made a trememdous impact on how I looked at things. To see Officers from different departments from around our great nation come together as a family and remember our heroes was nothing short of incredible. To be a part of that Blue Family gave me such pride and purpose. I returned home with a new perspective and one that I would cherish moving forward in my career. I also tried to explain to co-workers how important it is to experience POLICE WEEK in DC, especially when your Police Department is putting a HERO/HEROES on the memorial wall.

I was horored and blessed this year to be up close and personal with the families of Robert D. Negri Jr,

Matthew A. Perlungher, Charles C. Vroom IV, and Hector M. Nunez. I cannot thank enough The PBA Widows and Orphans committee members that basically spent 2 weeks away from their own families even on Mother's Day! The members of our department who were the ambassador and escort for each family were nothing

Legal Report

by Milan Rada, Esq. with John Hewson, Esq

THE HEART BILL EXPLAINED

As I am sure you are all aware, Gov. Hochul signed the amendment to the Heart Bill into law as part of the budget for the State. While we were all understandably disappointed that the same exact bill was vetoed at the end of 2022, the comments at that time indicated that the bill should be included as part of the 2023 State Budget, and true to those comments, after being added to the budget, it was now passed and signed into law with immediate effect. With the law now being signed, it is important to go over the details of the Heart Bill in order to dispel any of the rumors that are circulating regarding what it covers and how it will operate.

For starters, this Heart Bill and its amendments contained two different sections of the Retirement and Social Security Law. Section 363-a is the section that covers members of the NYS Police and Fire Retirement System, and it is directly the section that covers Nassau County Police Officers. This section was amended to indicate that if an officer becomes disabled from duties due to an impairment of the heart, then that disability will be found to be presumptively incurred in the performance and discharge of duties but also found to be the natural and proximate result of an accident. This is the section that changes your heart bill entitlement from a 50% claim to one that pays 75% of final average salary. This is a huge success in coming to equity with your brothers and sisters in other systems that already enjoy the benefits of a 3/4 Heart Bill.

Of course, there are requirements that go along with this bill, as there are with any others. It should be noted that this bill requires a member to be "presently employed" when they file for the benefit and the disability must start while presently employed. This mimics other heart bills where members must be "in service" when they apply for the disability, so it is not a clause that is without comparison in other systems. Further, it was part of the discussion process towards getting the bill passed and ultimately signed. The Retirement Systems did not want to leave open a presumption that could be utilized by members retired for many years or who develop their heart conditions years after retiring from the job. As such, it is designed to protect the active members who incur heart conditions while working, presumptively as a result of the rigors and stresses of the job, and who ultimately cannot continue to work as police officers due to the condition.

The second thing that needs to be stressed is that the bill does still require an actual "disability" from work. Thus, if a member has a heart condition, but that heart condition is fixable or treatable either through surgery or medications, then that member is not permanently disabled despite having the heart condition. This is exactly the same as any other impairment such as a back injury. It should go without saying that if your medical condition or injury can be repaired or treated in order to continue your career, then the Retirement System and case law requires that a member entertain any reasonably safe and prudent treatment to correct the disability.

The third major aspect to this disability bill is that the presumption is rebuttable. What that means is that a member is presumed to have contracted their heart impairment as a result of the work activities, but the burden shifts to the Retirement System to disprove that causal link, if it so chooses. Thus, although the burden is always on the applicant to prove that he or she is disabled from duties, the member does not have to prove that work caused the heart disease or heart impairment. This is similar to the 9/11 Presumption where members do not have to prove that their 9/11condition was caused by their exposure. They are given that fact. However, much like the 9/11 presumption, the Retirement System can counter the presumption only with competent and reasonable evidence to the contrary. In this situation it could be things such as family history of heart disease independent of police work or a condition that is generally congenital or genetic as opposed to stress induced. This situation should be addressed on a case by case basis, but it is no different than any other Retirement System which also has the ability to rebut the Heart Bill presumption, if they so choose. Until claims are filed, we do not know

how hard the NYS Police and Fire Retirement System will challenge these cases or if they will be able to rebut the presumption. In cases where there is no family history or no other known etiology or cause for the heart impairment, there should be no reasonable way for the Retirement System to rebut the presumption.

It should be noted that the Retirement System and Comptroller's office did an assessment of the bill before it was passed and signed, as it does with every bill regarding the Retirement System and benefits. In this instance, the bill clearly highlights three major advantages to members: 1) the member does not actually have to have a heart related accident on the job; 2) the member's disability is not related any specific accident on the job; and 3) the member failed to provide notice of the disability. In addition, not only does the disability pension increase from 50% to 75%, but the death benefit tied to a heart related death will now increase from the continuance of the performance of duty benefits at 50%, and it instead is now a Special Accidental Death Benefit of 100% of final average salary minus applicable Workers' Compensation and Social Security benefits. This is another huge addition that the bill provides.

The second statute and section of the law that the bill created is Section 809 of the Retirement and Social Security Law. This section is equally as important for our officers, but it is even more important for other members of the Retirement System that are affected and covered under their own Heart Bills. This would include members such as court officers who already had a 3/4Heart Bill, but it was functionally nonexistent because of the current case law on the issue. This section of the law completely fixes the errors made by the Appellate Division, Third Department, in its perversion of the case law on heart impairments. In one of the seminal cases on a heart bill related issue, the Third Department ruled in 2010 that, although a heart related presumption existed and read that the condition was presumptively the result of an accident on the job, the law also required that the heart related disability had to be caused by and the result of an accident incurred on the job. That could not have been a more twisted way of eliminating the heart related presumption. Thus, the importance of Section 809 is that it codifies into law that for heart bills under the RSSL, heart related disabilities shall be presumptively incurred in the performance of a member's duties and as a result of an accident under the law with the added notations that an application for benefits SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED to show that the member sustained an accident or other incident related to the performance of duty or that notice of any accident was provided as part of the disability. In short, this section gave back the presumption to members throughout the state that had lost the effectiveness of their presumption through case law.

As for the rebuttable presumption, this is an aspect of the law that has existed since the bills inception, and it is clearly language that exists in other agencies heart bills as well. General Municipal Law 207-k covering police and fire in the NYC systems also contain the clause at the end of the statute "shall be presumptive evidence that it was incurred in the performance and discharge of duty, unless the contrary be proved by competent evidence." How that presumption is fought by the Retirement System is up for debate, and each System may handle their cases differently. Thus, some agencies may be more liberal in awarding the benefit than others, but we do not know how the NYS Police and Fire Retirement System will challenge these cases, or which and if they will challenge these cases, until the claims are filed and litigated. In the meantime, this is a major shift in the landscape for heart impairments in our favor! The Retirement System is already attributing increased costs to the system based on the new heart bill which means it believes that many more 3/4 claims will be awarded based on the approval of this bill.

Ultimately, each case must be assessed on a case by case basis. I have already received a ton of phone calls since the passage of the bill. Many of those questions are answered in this commentary on the bill. One of the main ones that hasn't been addressed yet is which heart conditions are covered and can I win with what I have? Once again, that depends.

For as long as heart bills have existed, not every heart condition has been covered under the bills despite the language seeming to suggest otherwise. This falls in line with the idea that the presumption is rebuttable by the System. The heart bills have been historically designed to protect members who come onto the job and pass a physical examination with no otherwise disabling heart condition, but while they are working develop a heart condition that ultimately disables them from work. The conditions they endeavored to cover are those that the general medical community believes are caused or aggravated by the incredible stresses associated with law enforcement and firefighting work. Therefore, the conditions that are generally attributable to genetics or congenital defects or cannot competently caused by stress will not be covered and have never been covered under these presumption style bills. Thus, if a member has a doctor that believes they have a condition that should or could be covered, we will send that doctor a copy of the typical heart bill related conditions for the doctor to comment on the applicability of the patient's condition to those conditions. If the doctor can make an argument why it is a valid heart bill condition then fighting for that disability to be covered will be our utmost goal.

In general, the types of conditions that are covered consist of Coronary Artery Disease, disabilities due

to Hypertensive Heart Disease, and any Myocardial Infarctions (heart attacks) whether directly caused by work activities or not. There are other conditions that can be covered in the presence of hypertension or coronary stenosis as well, but they are assessed on a case by case basis much as an orthopedic impairment would.

Overall, in our opinion, this is a huge achievement for the members of the Police and Fire Retirement System across the entire state. Members of both the Police and Fire System as well as the Employees' Retirement System will benefit from the improvements and amendments made to the heart bills statewide. We do not know how the Retirement System will react to these claims or whether they will be capable of rebutting the presumption successfully, but the bill by itself increases the potential benefits for police officers and their families in the unfortunate instance that they become disabled or worse due to a heart impairment. A massive amount of kudos is due to the hardworking members that have lobbied upstate for years on this undertaking for the betterment of their brothers and sisters in the System. As always, it is an honor and privilege to represent the men and women of the NCPBA, and especially when they lead the way on issues affecting police officers throughout the state.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the new heart bill, if you hear any rumors regarding its ineffectiveness or what it contains, please do not hesitate to contact our office at 516-941-4403 or 516-941-4404. Please stay safe out there...



After countless years of the PBA Newsletters being put out we have now entered the 20th Century "Welcome to the New Digital PBA Newsletter" The PBA Newsletter will now be put out quarterly basis

HAPPY SUMMER!!

FIRST PRECINCT UP AND COMING EVENTS

Fishing Trip - June 28th - 1300 to 1700 Leaving out of Captree State Park on the Captain Eddie B III Fishing Food Refreshments and a lot of Laughs! Please contact Neil Krauszer **Picnic** - July 30th - 1100 to 1600 at Camp Coleman Babylon Tpke Freeport \$25 per family/extended family included A head count is needed so please contact Any of the 1st PBA Reps.

CONGRATULATIONS

Melissa and Brian Law on their Baby Girl Skylar

Will Julich and his wife Natalie on their Baby Boy Jack

FAREWELL

Mike Gironda to CIRRT

Nicholas Stephani to CIRRT

Andrew Mirenda to Highway

Ashley Churchill and Cody Pelcher to Police Academy – Both of them will be an asset to the Future Police Officers

Chris Scanzano to the Squad

Don't Forget where you came from The First will always be your home !

BIG SHOUT OUT

Kenny Gallagher on your return to the First Pct.

We all know Kenny was in a serious auto accident. Through hard work and determination Kenny returned to the First after 6 months !

Thank you to everyone for ALL the thoughts and prayers during his recovery time!

WELCOME BACK KENNY!!

- John Bilello PBA Trustee

ATTA BOY

On March 27, Officer Maniet received a DPA from the desk, with specifics to maintain vigilance of the Uniondale Post Office. Officer Maniet with the utmost professionalism and dedication to service did assume a position of surveillance from concealment in dense foliage (a shanty bush) located across the street. A short time later, Officer Maniet observed two individuals circle the block, following which they attempted to steal mail form the post office. Officer Maniet jumped into action and following a brief struggle placed both defendants under arrest with the assistance of Officers Delaney, Nigro, and Camidge. Rumor has it, Officer Maniet left a pile of crayon wrappers in the bush where he maintained surveillance. Great job, Rambo. On April 12, Officers Kushner and Ziccardy conducted a VTL investigation on a clown car filled with 6 perps. During the course of their investigation, Officers observed a sprite bottle loaded with lean in the center console of the vehicle. Further investigation yielded a loaded 9mm firearm from the waistband of one of the gang members. Being able to place 6 under without incident, including ripping a gun off the perps' person is no easy task. Great work.

On April 13, Officers Turbush and McGrath conducted an investigation in the vicinity of one of our 5-star hotels. While conducting the investigation the fare in the rear of the taxi decided to beat feet before subsequently being placed under arrest by Officers. Search of the vehicle yielded a loaded .45 caliber handgun.

On May 12, Officers Knauer and Howard conducted a VTL investigation and recovered a loaded 9mm ghost gun with a loaded 30 round mag. Further search of the defendant's found them to be in possession of over 10 gramsofcrack. Multiplegang members were placed under arrest and a loaded ghost gun was taken off the streets.



Second Precinct by James Springer

In May I was fortunate to attend the National Police Memorial in Washington D.C. Since I was first sworn in as a Police Officer I was always told by senior officers that this was something every cop should experience at least once in your career. Well, it took almost 19 years for me to realize how right they were.

Attending this year's event came with mixed emotions. Excited to participate but remembering that Nassau county had 4 members placed on the wall at the National Police Memorial. One of which was the 2nd Precinct's own. Bob Negri, who sadly passed away from 9/11 related cancer. Whatever your politics or thoughts of the city, once you arrive it's hard to deny the distinct awesomeness of our nation's capital. It was such an amazing backdrop for all the events that followed.

The Candlelight Vigil on the national mall was something I didn't know would affect me so much. A sea of police officers all standing attentive as the sun set while over 500 names were called who made the ultimate sacrifice. Both anticipating and dreading as the state of New York was called to have its fallen announced. Afterwards, with the sun completely set, the national mall was again lit by the glow of candlelight honoring our fallen. Cops, Union Reps, Inspectors and Chiefs all standing alongside each other, it seemed like rank was less important as they lit each other's candle.

The following day we all gathered once again. Fittingly for us in front of Kelly's Irish Times (we need a Nassau RMP door in this bar). We marched to the National Police Memorial, the United States Capitol building in the background, where bagpipes seemed to play louder then I'd ever heard before. Standing with the families of our fallen was an honor.... However, one I wish would never be necessary. Another great thing to observe was the bonding that occurred between the families of our fallen. They endured such a marathon few weeks attending ceremony after ceremony. Traveling together everywhere. At first strangers, they now have a relationship that will last a lifetime.

It's amazing how so many strangers can gather in a city, a memorial or even a bar and instantly have so much in common. And that's the greatest part of our profession. Even though 2 cops have never met before... they already have so much more in common than anyone could in any other profession in the world. We may not have shared experiences together, but we do have the same experiences. We can instantly relate to all the good and bad that comes with serving our communities.

After spending a few days at this year's event it's hard to not feel reminded that we chose the most honorable line of work there is. Lately, we often feel like the "Jobs Dead". However, when we are all standing together the Job is a strong as it's ever been. Believe me, from a now "Senior Guy", attending the National Police Memorial will give you a renewed sense of love for being a Police Officer and is something every Police Officer should experience at least once in their career.



Fifth Precinct by Sal Milone pbanewsletter@yahoo.com

As the newsletter comes to an end, and warmer weather has set in, plenty of changes have taken place in the Fifth and Department. By the time you read this, hopefully some positive (and well deserved) changes to our paychecks have taken place. I also hope everyone will be in a slightly better mood from it. It's difficult sometimes for the things we're asked to do and to be under constant scrutiny, internally and from the public, yet we continue to show up day in and day out and answer the call as professionals.

Congratulations to PO Verde who recently made the move to Marine Bureau. You will be missed in the Fifth - stay safe!

Another well deserved congratulations to PO Gomez on her move to Aviation as a Flight Medic. Rumor has it you were tired of Derby telling you when to get oil changes that you gave up RMPs all together - and I can't say I blame you. You will be missed - stay safe up there. With more movement inevitably coming - remember that no matter where you go, there's no place like the Fifth and you always have a home here. Until then, Lord help the RMP printers.

Congratulations to PO Borysewicz and his wife on the birth of their baby boy Jay! I don't know how you're going to fit a baby seat in the vette, but if anyone can pull it off it will be you!

Another congratulations to PO Tarlecki and his wife on the birth of their beautiful baby girl Zoey! Both mom and baby are doing well.

The PBA recently made trips to Albany and Washington DC for memorials for our fallen Officers. Matt Perlungher, Hector Nunez, Charles Vroom IV, and Robert Negri were all added to the wall of fallen officers in both Albany and Washington DC. This was my first trip to both locations and it is truly a humbling and emotional experience. We were able to meet family members of fallen officers across the country at Police Week. You can hear their pain, but you also can see their appreciation they have for the blue family that supports them. It's a reminder that no matter what, we never ever forget their sacrifice and their families. At any moment, it could be one of us and we must always show up to support them. If nothing else, SHOW UP.



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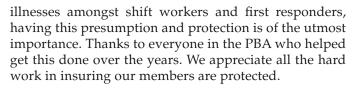


We have a lot of new faces to the Precinct between officers and recruits. Please reach out to senior officers or others around you if you have any questions. Stay together and back each other up - always.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2023

6/22 2nd Annual PIGPONG Roast 6PM 12/2 Kids Christmas Party 12/13 5th Christmas Party

All parties held at The Platt. Auditions for the role for Santa Claus will be held by Edmond Cetto Jr. Plenty of time to bulk up as well so pay your gym dues.





Year 2 of Law Enforcement Night at the Ranger game was a success. Members of the 7th Precinct flocked to Madison Square Garden to see the blueshirts take on the Los Angeles Kings. The game was filled with goals, fights, ejections, and most importantly a Rangers 5-2 win, making this an event worth attending.

Congratulations to Officer David Pyes on another recognition by the Mothers Against Drunk Driving, STOP-DWI, & The Governors Traffic Safety Committee. Officer Pyes was honored with Recognition of Excellence for his proficiency in DWI arrests.

Congratulations to Officer Christian Sherlock and his wife on the birth of their son, Alexander Matthew. Christian was also recognized as Cop of the Month for March. Officer Sherlock and Officer Kyle O'Halloran helped apprehend a subject involved in numerous larcenies from autos. Nice work gents!

Best of luck to Sgt. Tim Gozaloff on his transfer to the academy. We are sad to see you go but know your knowledge and expertise will lead to proficient recruits.





The importance of establishing a presumption for the Heart Bill in Nassau County can't be stated enough. This was a long fight in Albany and a much needed win for our membership. With the prevalence of heart related A special thanks to everyone who braved the elements for the Polar Plunge at TOBAY Beach. Another great showing from members of the department including 7th Precinct cops, medics, and supervisors. See you all next year!



In the twilight of his police career, senior cop Rob Vergara is paving a new legacy. On a trip to Paris, Rob introduced a little Nassau County to Harry's Bar. An establishment that originally opened on 7thAvenue in New York City in 1911, Harry's was dismantled and rebuilt in rue Daunon in Paris. Harry's is known for its classic mahogany finish and its large collection of police patches. Thanks to Rob, Nassau County Police Department now adorns the walls of this classic establishment.

Another summer means another season of 7th Precinct Volleyball at Cedar Beach. The precinct team, The Unloaded Coronas looks to defend the beach every Wednesday night throughout the summmer. Hope everyone has a safe and happy Summer! See you in the fall! There is a lot to report since we have gone to quarterly issues for the PBA Newsletter. The PBA newsletter will no longer be issued via paper and only will be issued electronically. The Bureau has been extremely busy since the New Year started. We celebrated the 12th anniversary of Geoff Breitkopf's passing at his memorial site on March 12th. It's hard to believe that it's been that long since Geoff passed, but you wouldn't be able to tell in the size of the showing at his memorial. Every year the attendance at the memorial keeps on growing which just shows how strong the unity is throughout the Bureau. That month we also participated in the annual Special Olympics Polar plunge where BSO plunged and stayed in the water for a total of 4 minutes.



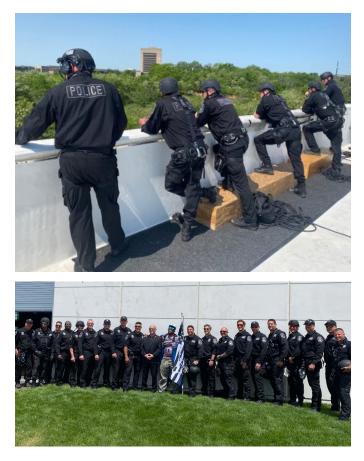
OPEN HOUSE

It's been four years since BSO rappelled at Open House week. The department was able to make a rappel tower at the new Police Academy and BSO put on one of their finest shows ever. This year we were able to debut Mustache Man Steve Churchill and Keane the Machine as Dead Man, our inverted repellers JJ Collins from Massapequa and Muscle Man B Rod, and our tie off knot boys Ron Dog Curaba, Mikey Disco Balls Roseto, and Pretty Boy Danny Reyes. Shoutout to Craig Wulff and our Rappel Master Kevin Higbie who ran the show!



A contract is finally signed off on after five years of waiting. Payments should have arrived on June 1st and now we patiently wait for the retro checks to arrive. It was a long process but the new PBA board and Tommy Shevlin did what they promised and got us both longevity and a contract. The next step will be a universal health care plan for all members along with a contract extension.





SAVE THE DATE

Mark your calendars now because this years Christmas Party is going to be one you won't want to miss. Join us December 15th at Oheka Castle as BSO brings down the House. We're gonna party like it's your Birthday!

The BSO Bass Tournament will be held on October 21st and 22nd this year. See Kevin Higbie, Rob Psomas or Mike Keane for further information.

GOOD GRAB

On May 4, 2023, while patrolling the second precinct, officers Conley and Fagan of the Criminal Intelligence Rapid Response Team, heard the broadcast of an auto accident with injury. Second precinct officers advised over the radio frequency, that two victims at the auto accident scene, had succumbed to their injuries of the accident and the individual of the second vehicle had fled scene. Officers Conley and Fagan began canvassing the area in an attempt to locate the individual who fled on foot. While canvassing, they observed a male standing in a rear parking lot of a closed building, in close proximity to the accident scene. The individual was observed to have a cut on his head and blood on his shirt. Officers requested an ambulance to administer medical attention and requested a show up of the individual they located. Second precinct officers transported a witness of the accident to officer Fagan and Conley's location. While awaiting the witness and conversing with the individual they located, officer Fagan and Conley observed him to have slurred speech, blood shot eyes and a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his breath. The witness arrived at their location and confirmed the individual was the driver of the second vehicle involved in the accident. Field sobriety and PBT tests were performed on the individual, which showed positive clues of impairment. Officer Fagan and Conley placed the individual into custody and transported him to the hospital for medical attention.



SHOUT OUTS

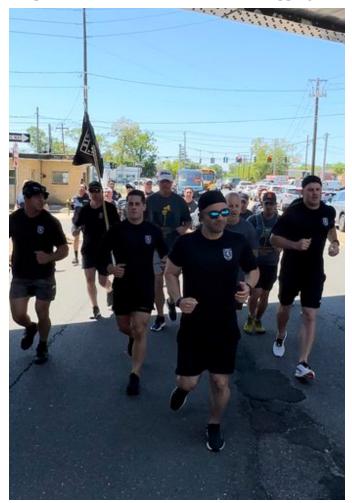
On Thursday May 25th The Bureau carried out their annual tradition as they have been doing for over 30 years representing the Nassau County Police Department, and had nearly half the unit participate in running the Special Olympics Torch Run. We would also like to congratulate all of our CIRRT new arrivals which include Top Cops of the year Oliver Balena and John Sarro, First precinct plainclothes teammates Nick Stephani and Mike Gironda. We also can't forget BSO's own Ryan Mahon and Joe Russo who wanted to get a taste in every unit and completed the trifecta by being members of COPE, BSO, and finally CIRRT. CIRRT is now back at full strength with 20 members strong! Congratulations to Brian Witt on his move to Marine Bureau. Witt wanted to take a break from the plainclothes and tactical work for the summer and get some sun rays with the boys on the boats on his temporary assignment to Marine Bureau! Congratulations to our newest members to the Precision Firearms Team (Sniper) Brian Rodriguez and Danny Reyes.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Congratulations to Brian Alexander and family on the birth of their son Colter "Colt" Alexander who was born on May 11th 2023 weighing in at 7 pounds 8 oz, and 21.5 inches long.

TORCH RUN

The Bureau of Special Operations represented the NCPD in the Special Olympics Torch Run where they ran 20 miles in the benefit for the Special Olympics. Big Shoutout to BSO's own Brandon Gambler who completed all 20 miles of the run without stopping!









by Victoria A. Ojeda, President 160 1st Street - #566 - Mineola, NY 11501 www.ncpdhs.org www.facebook.com/ncpdhs Check out our Instagram @ncphispanicsociety

Summer is a time that most of us cannot wait to indulge in BBQs, trips to the beach, camping, pool parties, and the like. The most important part of summer is time spent with family. We pride ourselves on being more than just a fraternal group by ensuring that we are constantly together for informal gatherings which keeps us close. The Society, whose membership is predominately of Hispanic descent, invites all to join us. Thursday, June 22, 2023 will be an open meeting at The Avenue Event Space in West Hempstead. Latin food is provided with a cash bar. Welcome begins at 1900, meeting at 1930, followed by a fellowship, and, of course, there may be a little dancing after!

Our Annual Prom Boutique Event in April was another great success shared with the LI Volunteer Center, NC Guardians Association, NCPD Pride, and NCAWP. Over 500 students were provided formalwear for prom and graduation, with some receiving donations through their respective schools while most "shopped" at our Police Academy. The Field House was transformed into a full shopping experience, complete with a DJ and photobooth! I am proud to say that the NCPHS had the most volunteers throughout the weekend including setup, event, and pack up. Thank you, NCPHS Members!!!

On June 12th, 2023, we will be participating in the First Annual Fraternal Associations Night Out at BrewSa Brewing Company on Freeport's Nautical Mile. The three-hour open bar (beer) begins at 6pm, and includes food, games, and giveaways. This will be an amazing night, highlighting all of the Fraternal and Religious Organizations, Affiliated Groups, and Clubs, while giving you an opportunity to join one or all. \$25 in advance via Venmo to @NPVA-Treasurer or \$30 at the door. And, bring cash for raffles! Discounted bar after 9pm.

On October 5th, 2023, we will hold our 9th Annual Scholarship and Awards Gala at Jericho Terrace. You asked and we answered- this year we are extending the party!! Shorter program for more time on the dance floor! Our entertainment is always memorable so don't miss out. Tickets are \$150 with a discount for current dues-paid members- that should motivate you to get your membership done!

HONOREES

Law Enforcement Officer of the Year: PO Daniel Reyes, BSO

Career Achievement Award: Past President and DET Wilson Marrero (Ret.), GIS

Distinguished Person of the Year: Mario Doyle of Doyle Security Services

Our youth leadership award was given earlier in the year to Eagle Scout Nicholas Baez of Valley Stream. However, we are still looking for our Memorial Scholarship awardee(s). See application in PBA Scholarship Booklet.

Unidos Progresamos United We Progress

Nassau Police Post 1050 American Legion

by Robert Steinroeder

GREETINGS

We are always proud to say we are the oldest "Line" organization. Membership is for Veterans Active and Retired who were employed by any Law Enforcement Agency, Local State & Federal, including Court Officers and Civilian members, like AMT's, EMT's and Crossing Guards. Meetings are the Second Tuesday at NOON (Lunch provided plus a beverage of your choice) meeting at the American Legion Hall, 294 Bellmore ROAD,East meadow (Just south of Hilda St.) Our Next meeting is JUNE 13th So where have you been? No snow on the ground, time for you to show up!

Post 1050 was PROUD to present a wreath at the Law Enforcement Police Memorial Ceremony on the Lawn at NCPD Headquarters on May 18th The Fallen will NEVER be forgotten.

Veterans, remember, Not only do you have your current Health Coverage and if applicable, Medicare (over age 65) but you also have coverage thru the VA. Some exams have to be done at the VA Northport LI facility but for regular Flu shots, and a list of other regular checks can be accomplished at the Veterans section located on the North side of Nassau University Medical Center.

Do you have a question as to what you are entitled to? ASK ! If we don't have the answer immediately we'll find out! There are a long list of entitlements available to Veterans that go unused , VA Benefits are NOT just for the handicapped.

Like all other organizations, our Post takes the summer off. No meetings in July and August Please mark your calendar NOW for the September 12th meeting (location above).

A reminder....Sunday JUNE 11, between 11-3PM is Open House for RETIREES at the New Police Academy, 1 Law Enforcement Way, on the East end of Mitchel Field The Open House for FAMILY DAY was last May 20th Last year the first Open House for RETIREES was a HUGE success. refreshments served. Come on out!!

If you haven't seen the new facility you will be Proud of how far NCPD has come with this top shelf facility. Ya gotta see it to believe it !

Please be kind enough to contact me via email shown below if you plan to attend our June meeting. The "head count" helps with ordering lunch. Thanks, Bob Steinroeder

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Retiree Column

by Joe Failla JoeFaillaNCPBA@aol.com

Hello boys and girls, I hope you are all well and enjoying the spring like weather now that winter is finally over. I opened the incoming box and this is what I found;

Hi Joe, I just got my Newsletter in today's mail and poured a cup of coffee and sat down to read it after lunch. My tribute to Don Robbert was printed-listed as written by me, thank you, but the "SNOW STORM" story is NOT mine as posted. I was partnered with Lou Reimo for those long days and nights and we have our own tales to tell.* Having read it, I would guess it came from Pete Benjamin? A well written tale it is!

*Lou picked me up at home and we made it in before our shift started. We were asked to stay over because the 3 x 11 shift was having trouble getting to work. At one point, I was dropped off with a box of flares and a cup of coffee on the closed W/B on ramp at South Oyster Bay Road to keep traffic from driving on to the LIE. At 2100 hours, the boss pulls up saying "Gee, I know that you guys have been out here a long time but the 11 x 7 guys are having trouble getting in, can you stay longer? If so, how long can you stay?" Standing in the wind and swirling snow, I made a big movement to check my watch and answered "June!" \$\$\$\$ Be well.

- Jim Ruland

Good morning gents, I wish to thank Joe Failla and Jim Ruland when they sent the story out recently. Ah yes...... the Snow Storm.....the year, if I can remember, was about 1978. So why did I write the story? Everything that you read was my story and my tribute to Augie as my good friend and partner riding our wheels within the 5th Pct. and on other jobs with just the two of us on our bikes. The Wighaus family was a wonderful family and quite often we were all together. I do even remember seeking some of the adventures he and I sought throughout All this goodness came to wonderful fruition.

So yes, Augie was a wonderful friend and I still miss our adventures. I still always remember the month and day Augie died. I do remember when all of the adventures came to life yet again when I was sitting on a bench in a beautiful park directly in front of the Neckar River in Heidelberg, Germany, writing a passage to Augie. I wanted to pass the writing of Augie to Joe Failla to insert in the Nassau County PBA Newsletter. It was the first page I heard, but I wasn't able to have the Newsletter in Germany.

It was there that I lived and the sorrow of two people having passed within the calendar..... my father died on March 25th and Augie died on March 27th. I will never forget those two and God Bless Them Both.

Sincerely, Pete Benjamin

MORE FROM THE BOX

Hey Joe, It was a hot and humid August day in '74. I was on Motorcycle Patrol of the First Precinct riding a '69 Harley 1200 twin cylinder in the Bellmore area before noon. I was sweating under the helmet, my legs and feet were roasted from the engine heat as the sun, heat and humidity beat down. Even the engine seemed sluggish breathing in the muggy air. I picked up a cold cut sandwich and soda and looking for a place to eat in peace without hearing; "Hi, I hate to bother you while you're eating but..."

I rode westbound on the Southern State. I soon saw the right side grass shoulder rise to a hilly wooded area with a shaded dirt path and drove onto it. Soon, as I was sitting in the shade, eating and watching the traffic whisk by below and listening to the heat click from the cooling engine, an obviously overheated car passed by spewing steam and coolant in its wake. I watched it disappear into the heat waves coming off of the roadway. (Cue music from "The girl from Ipanema"). Shortly after, looking westward, a vision of loveliness walked towards me. A long ponytailed brunette wearing sandals, short-shorts and light weight blouse tied in a figure enhanced calypso style, was heading towards the last exit. She spotted me sitting there, smiled and walked up the hill. "Hi, I hate to bother you while you're eating but...." said she. "NO BOTHER at all, would you like half a sandwich?" Came out of my "always ready to help" mouth. She smiled again, declined the offer and explained that she was on her way to her boyfriend's, just off of the Merrick Avenue exit, where he was to "work on her car." This was long before anyone had cell phones and not wanting to tell her my radio didn't work, I suggested that she wait in her car while I went to Charlie's house and send him back to help her.

At Charlie's house, I found the front door wide open and a note on the closed screen door that read, "Fern, I'm upstairs on the right, come on up, I have a surprise for you!"

I knocked loudly. Charlie called out, "Come on up and see my surprise!" I yelled up the stairs, "Sorry Charlie, this is the Police, put down you surprise, put on your skivvies and get down here. Fern has a surprise for you. She's broke down on the Parkway!" A very red-face driveway mechanic was soon on his way.

- Jim Ruland

Jim I remember one such hot day. I was stopped at a light and a car pulled alongside. I looked at the driver, she opened her window and I thought that I could actually feel the A/C hit my face as her perfume filled my head.

She said, "Officer, you really look cool riding that motorcycle." I replied "Lady it's like riding on the hood of your car." The light turned green and I was into the wind.

FINAL SIGNAL 11

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

On November 30 2022 we lost, SGT Robert F. Bialobrzeski, Serial 3878, Records Bureau, who served from January 21, 1968 until April 14, 1983.

On December 28, 2022 we lost INSP Douglas H. Sternberg, Serial 1872, Third Precinct, who served from October 1, 1953 until May 17, 1979.

On January 6 we lost PO Thomas J. Powell, Serial 3058, Fourth Precinct, who served from September 26, 1961 until January 7, 1985.

On January 15 we lost PO John T. Linton, Serial 8184, Highway Patrol Bureau, who served from October 17, 1997 until April 8, 2021.

On January 21 we lost DSGT Henry W. Wheeler, Serial 3164, Arson Bomb Squad, who served from June 15, 1962 until September 12, 1988.

On February 19 we lost DET Vincent C. DiStefano, Serial 2105, Second Squad, who served from May 16, 1965 until February 21, 1991.

On February 21 we lost, PO Thomas N. Mansuetta, Serial 3662, Third Precinct, who served from April 29, 1966 until July 25, 1991.

On March 2 we lost PO Richard D. McCall, Serial 7504, Highway Patrol Bureau, who served from August 27, 1993 until February 28, 2008.

On March 18 we lost, PO Daniel L. Baron, Serial 3560, Bureau of Special Operations, who served from August 6, 1965 until March 14, 1985. On March 25 we lost LT Barbara D. Beckerman, Serial 3936, Sixth Precinct, who served from April 26, 1968 until February 13, 1992.

On April 4 we lost DSGT John J. Walsh Sr., Serial 2510, Missing Persons Section, who served from April 1, 1957 until January 6, 1984.

On April 24 we lost, PO Frank W. Wruck, Serial 3702, Seventh Precinct, who served from April 29, 1966 until June 11, 1992.

May they rest in eternal peace.

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.

Be Sure to visit our website www.nassaupba.org



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On February 7, 2023, New York City Police Officer, Adeed Fayaz succumbed to injuries after being shot by a subject selling a car on Facebook marketplace. PO Fayaz is survived by his loving wife and their two sons, 4 years and 3 years old. Thank you for supporting his family.

Sunday, June 25, 2023 at St. Anthony's High School.

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Police/Fire Service Vehicles, Antiques

Show starts a 9:00 am. Vehicles Must Be On The Show Field By Noon To Be Judged.

Spectator Admission \$5 • Entertainment, Food & Raffles.Show Entry \$20.Vendor spots available: \$40-10ft. \$60-20 ft.
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Dr. Ray Mascolo (631) 901-3608 or email cccarclub@aol.com

Directions: Northern State Pkwy. Exit 41 - Wolf Hill Rd. West (Toward South Huntington), Travel one quarter mile and turn right onto Pigeon Hill Rd. Car Show is in the School Parking Lot on the left.

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PARTY RENTALS – Moon Bouncers, Dunk Tank, Striker, Snow Cone, Cotton Candy, Popcorn, Spin Art, Hot Dog Cart and More. Make your next event or party something to remember. Great for birthdays, block parties, team events or any special occasion. Special Rates for the law enforcement family. For Information call Alan Hirsch (Sgt. COD - AIS) (631) 678-8603

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SOUTHOLD HOUSE RENTAL – Completely renovated and meticulously maintained home on the north fork. This beautiful home is within walking distance to a private bay beach, and near all NOFO wineries to enjoy the vineyards. The home has plenty of room for families and friends seeking the country life and comes with 4 bedrooms and 2 full baths. The home also has; Central A/C, WiFi, Hardwood floors throughout, Dining room (with a wood fireplace), Family room with Cable TV, EIK (Island), Washer & Dryer, Outdoor shower, Front deck, Large yard and back deck. For availability and rental information, please contact Kristie at 516-319-3146.

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• NOTICES

★ First Precinct Romeo Club ★

(Retired Old Men Eating Out) Breakfast First Thursday of the month at 9:30AM Mediterranean Grill 195 Bedford Ave, (Corner Grand Ave.) Bellmore, NY 11710 516 221-8721

★ Second Precinct ★

Retirees Breakfast 10AM - Second Tuesday each month Hauppauge Palace Diner (corner Rte 347/Rte 111)

★ Fourth Precinct Retirees Luncheon ★

2ND THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH 12:30 PM J PAULS TERRACE CAFE 239 Merrick Rd., Oceanside, NY 11572

★ Fifth Precinct ★

Retirees Brunch 11AM - First Wed., each month • Massapequa Diner

\star Bi-Annual 5th Precinct Luncheon \star

Will be held this spring and fall. All former 5th Precinct members are invited. If interested in attending, please contact Bill Meehan via e-mail at billkathunited@yahoo.com

★ 6th Pct. Retiree Breakfast ★

The last Friday of the month at 10:00 am at the Bagel Chalet located in the Macys shopping center at 36 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Commack. Jerry White - speedster516@optonline.net

★ 7th Pct. DYNO Breakfast ★

1000, 1st Monday of each month "Come catch up with old friends!" Nautilus Diner 5523 Merrick Road, Massapequa, NY

★ Eighth Precinct **★**

BREAKFAST CLUB Meets 1st Monday of the Month Embassy Dinner, Hempstead Tpke., Bethpage - 10:00am

★ Old" 8th Precinct Alumni ★

Stop in for Lunch and or a drink at Jackie Reilly's (where it all began) 2nd Thursday of each month at 12:30pm

★ Highway Patrol Bureau ★

DINO BREAKFASTS SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH 10AM at Hauppague Palace Diner Rte. 347 just east of Rte.111, Hauppauge

★ Highway Patrol Golf Club ★

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★ Eighth Squad Alumni ★

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★ Amateur Radio Club ★

Are you interested in radio? If so, the Nassau County Police Amateur Radio Club is now on the web at www.qsl.net/kb2uyp

★ Attention All Veterans ★

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\star NCPD Lacrosse Team \star

If Intersted in playing, please call Chris LaMonica 631-379-6232

★ BSO Breakfast ★

BLD Restaurant, 299 Hawkins Ave., Ronkonkoma on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 0930.

• NOTICES

★ Blue Knights Int'l ★

Law Enforcement Motorcycle Club, Inc., New York Chapter X FOP Lodge NY-010-Nassau Blue Knights Have a motorcycle or plan on buying one, it's never too late to make NEW friends. New members (active & retired) from all Law Enforcement Agencies are always welcome. Club meetings are held twice a month, with mid-week and weekend rides. For details call HOTLINE 631-932-5699 www.blueknightsnyx.com

\star Wanted \star

Retired members of the Department who live or rent in The Villages, Florida. We have located well over 50 members. If you have not already contacted us, please do so. Send e-mail or call Ralph Giardina -- hoplax@ aol.com, 516 993 2922 or John Neary--jgneary@yahoo. com 772 559 1534. We are also interested in locating any other members who live in the central Florida area. Please join us for fellowship and mutual good and welfare.

★ Nassau Police Anglers ★

Interested in fishing, beginner or experiences, Many fishing trips throughout the year, local and exotic locations. Visit us at www.npanglers.com Meetings 3rd Monday of the month at Syosset Woodbury Park in the Community Center At 1930 hours Contact President John Klesseraht (516) 369-2804 www.npanglers.com

\star Nassau Police PBA Ice Hockey \star

The NCPD PBA Hockey Team and F Troop Hockey Club are always open for new players to join. The teams play once a week during the Fall/Winter and Spring seasons. Games are played in the morning or early afternoon, Monday through Friday, at Newbridge Arena and the Freeport Recreation Center. Contact

Bryan Monette 7th Pct (516) 639-6664 or Rob Sacco 4th Pct (917) 620-3453 for info. League information and schedule can be found at www.hotshotsicehockey.com

\star Wanted \star

Active or retired members of the department Interested in joining a law enforcement motorcycle Club.Visit www.ridiotsmc.com , click on CONTACT and fill out the form for further details.

\star Raising The Shield \star

Active, Retired, All Law Enforcement is welcome to attend this non-denominational meeting of Brothers and Sisters in Christ. Now more than ever the Christian Law Enforcement Officer needs a Strong Biblical Foundation along with Godly Support and Encouragement to maintain a positive attitude and guide our actions as we Protect and Serve. We meet at 9am on the 2nd or 3rd Saturday of each month at Grace Church, 450 Edgewood Ave, Smithtown, NY 11787. For further info contact Anthony Paolicelli 516-319-3048 / BADA6100@msn.com God Bless Law Enforcement and Stay Safe!

\star Seventh Precinct Golf Club \star

Active and Retired members of the Department, family and friends welcome to play with us, no matter your level of play. Very casual fun day with friends. We play first Wednesday of the month after 11 am at Spring Lake Golf Course, 30 E. Bartlett Rd, Middle Island NY 11953. Interested? Send email to: golfclub_7th@yahoo.com

★ Port St. Lucie NCPD Retired ★

We are a group of retired dinosaurs for the N.C.P.D. We are from the east coast of Florida known as the treasure coast, consisting of Palm Beach County, Martin County, St. Lucie and Indian River County.

We meet for lunch on the fourth Saturday of the month (excluding July and August). The restaurant is Bone Fish Macs located at 662 SE Becker Rd., Pt. St. Lucie. Telephone # 772-344-MACS. We have a private room and the food and service are terrific. (seperate checks)

★ Centurion Cruisers Collector Car Club ★

The Car Club was formed in 1996 for Law Enforcement Members only. Currently having 135 members with many different makes, models and years of collector and specials interest cars from 1911 to 2022. We meet monthly for cruise night meetings and host and attend

other Cars shows as a group to support the hobby. We've hosted with great success many events over our 26 years to benefit Law Enforcement Officer's families, Autism, St. Jude's and many other worthy causes. Open

to all L/E Officers, Nassau, Suffolk, NYPD, Police, Courts, Corrections, etc. Contact Det. Frank Ruvolo at 1SQD for info or check: centurioncruiserscarclub.

shutterfly.com



TERMINATION PAY AND PAY FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION

Initial Beneficiary Designation(s) **OR** Change of All Prior Beneficiary Designation(s) (check one box only)

I hereby revoke any previous beneficiary designation(s), if any, for my termination pay and pay for unused sick leave and direct that the monies payable for termination pay and unused sick leave be paid as indicated below.

| Name | Social Security Number |
|---------|------------------------|
| Address | Telephone Number |

NAMING THE BENEFICARY

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)

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| This form must be signed and a I, the undersigned, reserve the right | otarized in order to be valid. o change the beneficiary(ies) without the consent of said beneficiary(ies) |). |
| Signature of Insured | Date | |
| State of | | × |
| Sworn before me this | day of 20 | |

Notary Public

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 | TOWARDS POI | LICE OFFICER: _ | <i>101010</i> | | |
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| ASSISTAN | T DISTRICT | ATTORNEY | | · | |
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| CASE PREPAR | | | | | |
| WAS ENOUG | H TIME PUT IN | ITO THE PREPA | RATION OF THE CA | \SE? | |
| WERE YOU C | ONSULTED DU | IRING THE PREI | PARATION OF THE | CASE? | |
| WAS YOUR IN | PUT IN THE C | ASE AND/OR P | LEA BARGAINING U | JSED OR HONORED? | |
| COMMENTS: | | | | | |
| OVERALL RAT | TING: | | | | |
| EXCELLENT | GOOD | FAIR | POOR | UNACCEPTABLE | |



Administrative Headquarters 180 Froehlich Farm Blvd., Woodbury, NY 11797-2923

516-496-0400 • 1-800-416-5454 • FAX: 516-496-1073

CONVENIENT LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT NEW YORK CITY AND LONG ISLAND

Date

Re:

Dear Dr.

Police Officer is protected by a contractual provision known as "medical review". As part of this process, the Nassau County Police Surgeon will call you to discuss the officer's ability to return to work in a "light duty" capacity. Please be advised that all officers are required to work 10 - 12 hour shifts answering phones and interviewing complainants that enter the station house. If the surgeon articulates any reduced work schedule or special accommodations for your patient, please request that this information be put in writing and submitted to you for agreement before you state your opinion on your patient's ability to work.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Very truly yours, FUSCO, BRANDENSTEIN & RADA, P.C.,

By:

Milan Rada, Esq.

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 | ME | SERIAL# | | - |
|---------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---------|------|
| DATE OF APPOINTMENT | | COMMAND | | _ |
| SC | HEDULED TIME OF APPOINTMENT | TIME SEEN | | _ |
| I#_ | | | | |
| EX | AMINED BY (NAME OF SURGEON) | | | |
| M | AO SUPERVISOR VISITED (IF APPLICABLE) | | | |
| 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 exa use a tape to measure for atrophy, test for reflex loss, make you wal | k on heel/toes, test straight leg rai | 2 | ess, |
| | etc.)? | | | |
| 4. | How long did the medical exam take? | | | |
| 5. | Were you ordered to either Restricted Duty or Full Duty? | | Yes | No |
| 6. | Was the Police Surgeon aware of the duties and responsibilities of y | rour position | | |
| | before you were assigned back to full duty? | | Yes | No |
| 7. | If you were ordered back to work, who gave the order, Police Surge | eon or MAO Supervisor? | | |
| 7a | 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 prof | essionally? If not, please provide c | letails | |
| 10. | Were you asked to complete any forms by the Police Surgeon? If yes, what forms? | | Yes No | |
| 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 y | | Yes | No |
| | Did you feel that this was a full and complete discussion? | | | |
| 13. | Did the Police Surgeon or MAO Supervisor make any suggestions | that you seek treatment | | |
| | with any doctors or physical therapists? | | Yes | No |

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.

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/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 516-573-2700 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:

<u>NASSAU COUNTY COMPTROLLERS</u> – 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.