



Hernando 10 – 13

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The Newsletter of the Hernando 10-13 Club, Inc., An Organization of Retired New York City Police Officers All Ranks.
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Upcoming Meetings

March 13th

April 10th

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

February 2024

Last month the Hernando 10-13 Club had the honor of presenting to Nick Pingitore a plaque memorializing his induction into the NYC Retired Transit Police Sports Hall of Fame. On behalf of the members of the Hernando 10-13 Club and the Board of Directors, congratulations to Nick for receiving this honor and wish him many more years of success.

The next regularly scheduled membership meeting of the Hernando 10-13 Club is February 14, 2024 at 7:30pm. At the upcoming meeting the membership will be voting on two suggested modifications to the Hernando 10-13 Club Constitution and By-Laws. We will be having discussions and a membership vote for approval of the modifications. The suggested modifications are later in this newsletter. Please review the suggested modifications and be prepared for the vote.

On a sad note, the Board of Directors wish to offer our sympathy to the family of former Det. Arthur D. Pettus on his death. See photos later in the Newsletter.

Please make every attempt to attend the February 14, 2024 meeting and enjoy some cheer with your brothers and sisters in blue.

*Arthur Babcock,
President*



Booster Club

We would like to see your name here in the next edition of the Newsletter. Your name will appear in the Newsletter indicating your contribution for one year from this edition. A member who contributes \$100.00 or more during any Year becomes a Life Member of the Booster Club.

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IMPORTANT REMINDERS

(February 2024)

Upcoming Meeting (February 14th 2024)

The next regularly scheduled membership meeting of the Hernando 10-13 Club is February 14, 2024 at 7:30pm. At the upcoming meeting the membership will be voting on two suggested modifications to the Hernando 10-13 Club Constitution and By-Laws. The suggested modifications are later in this Newsletter and have been voted on and approved by the Board of Directors at a meeting January 18, 2024. Please mark this date on your calendar to ensure you do not overlook this meeting.

Day at the Races



We are hooking up with the Suncoast 10-13 for the annual “Day at the Races” at Tampa Bay Downs. The date is set for February 24, 2024. We will meet in front of the Grandstand Building at 11:15am. The cost is \$40.00 per person. Fee includes Entry, Racing Program, Fabulous Buffet Lunch in the Party Suite on the 3rd floor...Private betting Window.....Friends & Family Welcome..... Attendance limited to 75 people. There are a few tickets remaining.

Transit PD Reunion

NYC Transit Police Florida Reunion is scheduled for July 29th – July 30th at the Radisson Resort at Port Canaveral. We hope for a successful reunion and thank the committee for their hard work. Resort information, cost and additional information is located at (www.transitpoliceunion.com) and will also be included on the Hernando 10-13 web site. (www.hernando10-13.com) Hope to see you at Port Canaveral.



Make Your Plans Today



CONGRATULATIONS NICK PINGILORE

During the January membership meeting the Hernando 10-13 Club had the honor of presenting to Nick Pingitore a plaque indicating his induction into the NYC Transit Police Sports Hall of Fame. Great job Nick and continue the good work.



President Babcock congratulating recipient Nick Pingilore



Nick Pingilore with Award



Happy 90th Birthday




Ed Wright Director

Wishing Ed Wright, current Director of Hernando 10-13, a Happy Birthday, and wishes for many more. Ed has been a long-time member of Hernando 10-13 and performs a valuable service for the club.

Curriculum Vitae:

Retired NYPD Patrolman 1956-1977,
Personal Investigator 1972-1977,
Investigator Corrections Department (Albany)
Hernando 10-13 Newsletter Editor

The Honor Guard from the Hernando 10-13 Club represented our Club at the funeral of Det. Arthur Pettus. Photos courtesy of Rafael Diaz. Additional Photos have been posted on Hernando10-13.com under Honor Guard Gallery.

Arthur Darryl Pettus
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Attention All 10-13 CLUB MEMBERS

If your retired Transit PD or NYPD ID card is going to expire, has expired or has been lost & you wish to renew your ID Card via the mail, the application form(s) can be found at the club web site www.hernando10-13.com.

Instruction for Transit PD ID card renewals can be found on the club web site www.hernando10-13.com.

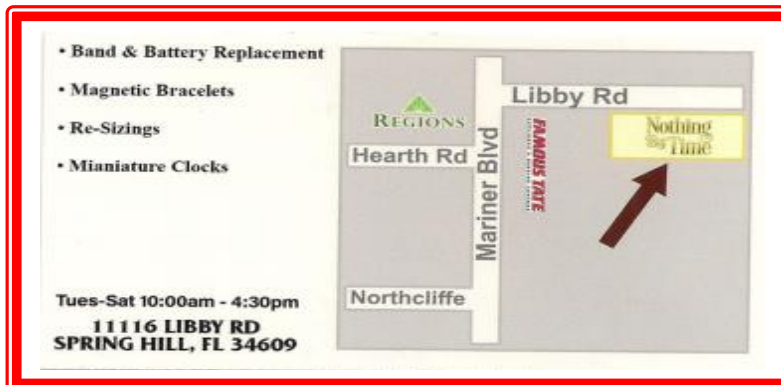
For NYPD ID renewals - The National 10-13 club has a messenger in NYC who will be going, on a quarterly basis, to 1PP to renew all NYPD ID cards applications that are received from various 10-13 Clubs.

Complete the application form found on the club web site www.hernando10-13.com and give it to your club president. Your club president will send the application directly to the messenger. Individuals CANNOT mail this form to the messenger directly. He will accept ID CARD RENEWALS from Club Presidents ONLY.

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS

AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF HERNANDO COUNTY 10-13 CLUB SUBMITTED BY MEMBER ARTHUR BABCOCK TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON JANUARY 18, 2024

The Board of Directors by majority vote on January 18, 2024, presents to the general membership for adoption, at the upcoming meeting of February 14, 2024, the following amendments to the Hernando County 10-13 Constitution and By Laws, promulgated on September 14, 1993 and as previously amended on January 9, 2002; January 14, 2004; May 11, 2005 & August 7, 2007 (hereinafter “By-Laws”).

The By-Laws are amended as follows:

ARTICLE IV DUES

Section 1 Is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following
“*Section 1.*

The annual dues shall be as follows:

- (a) \$40.00 per member. \$5.00 initiation fee upon joining
- (b) \$20.00 per Lifetime Member
- (c) Honorary Members shall not be required to pay dues.

Said amounts may be changed upon the recommendation of the Board of Directors and presented to the membership for approval at a regularly scheduled meeting.

ARTICLE VII QUORUM

“*Section 3.* Is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following
“*Section 3.*

The presence of 15 members at a Regular meeting or Special meeting shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of conducting Club business that requires a general vote of the membership.

Approved by the Board of Directors on January 18, 2024

PLEASE REMEMBER THE HERNANDO 10-13 CLUB IN YOUR WILL OR TRUST

To observe the correct method of naming the Hernando 10-13 Club in your Will or Trust, please ask your attorney to use the following terminology. “I give devise, and bequeath (amount, article, stock, etc.) to the Hernando 10-13 Club, Inc. and his successors in office a Corporation Sole, for the use of the Hernando 10-13 Club, Inc., An Organization of Retired New York City Police Officers All Ranks.

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At the January Meeting of the Hernando 10-13 Club the member enjoyed Pizza, beer and soda while listening to invited speakers.



Nickie and Trevor Barlow, Naturalized United States Citizens, walked the members through their trials and tribulations of obtaining their citizenship. It took them 14+ years of hard work dealing with the government bureaucracy. Thanks to the Barlow 's for sheading a light on the mess the government has become.

Mary Mazzuco, Florida State Committeewoman for Hernando County provides an overview of several bills currently being debated by the State legislature and the ongoing school board dispute regarding age-inappropriate book in school libraries



Shannon Rodriguez, school board member, discussed several issues the current conservatives on the board are attempting to accomplish, such as, increased transparency on disputed spending. She urges all to vote in the upcoming elections.

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