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## ***PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE***

*by Richard Comnesso*

Welcome summer! It has been a long long winter and the sun makes everything a bit better. All of us are saddened by the senseless murder of Police Officer Familia. She leaves behind young children and a grieving family. Our Mayor did not think it necessary to stay in New York, but to fly to Germany and protest the G2 summit. There is no doubt in anyone's mind that he is more interested in illegal's rights than the brave people that serve this city. We are a sanctuary city for no other reason than to get votes for the liberal party.

Speaking of votes, it is imperative that you and your family and friends vote no in the upcoming election on the New York State Convention. There are several articles in this newsletter from the line organizations explaining why. One of the biggest reasons is that your pension as you know it will be in jeopardy if passed.

Our 16th Annual golf outing will be taking place on Friday August 25 at the Bunker Hill Golf Course. This year's outing will be held in memory of Lt. Charles Manganato. All of you, who have come in contact with Charlie, know of the work he has done for the 10-13. Charlie left behind his beautiful wife Carol who also is a great friend to the Verrazano 10-13. A registration form along with 50/50 chances are enclosed in the newsletter. We are attempting to get sponsors for tees for the outing. The proceeds go to the benefit of our members and the Widows and Children's Fund. From the proceeds of last year's outing we donated \$2,000 to the Widows and Children's Fund. The cost of play for a golfer is \$125.00. To sponsor a hole is \$100.00. The 50/50 chances are \$10.00 for one, \$20.00 for three. Last year's winner took home over \$900.00. If you don't golf, come join us for the BBQ. The cost is only \$35.00. Once again Dana Motors will supply a new 2017 Ford for a hole in one.

Please have a healthy and happy summer. We will look forward to seeing you at our outing or next meeting.



## **VICE PRESIDENT'S LINES - Joseph Molloy**

Hope everyone had a great 4th of July.

I finally watched the 9-11 movie starring Nick Nolte the other night. I had to stop the movie several times to clear my eyes, I clearly remember that day but could not remember any tears on my part I was too busy rushing to pickup some of my grandchildren from school. We must not ever forget that horrific day!!! We must be proactive in preventing such events. Support your brothers in blue, and the soldiers that protect us!

Have a great and safe summer!!!

Did You Pay Your Dues?

Our Annual Golf Outing is on August 25th, 2017 at Bunker Hill. Come join us and have a great time. If you don't golf, come join us for lunch.

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## **CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S LINES - Vincent Montagna**

Wednesday July 5, 2017 we went to the local Senior Citizens center and explained what to be aware of when involved in an automobile accident. We went through the procedure of exchanging Drivers license, Automobile Registration, and Insurance cards. Explaining that they must have all their own credentials in their possession at all times. Further we related that in many states the Police will not respond to an accident if no one is injured. That being said, it is to the drivers benefit to take pictures of 1) the location, 2) the other driver, 3) the damage to both vehicles and include the license plates and to indicate if you are in the right. We indicated that the other insurance company will not take responsibility until their insured corroborates the incident. I made them understand that if they are only slightly injured then and only then will the Police respond and make a Police Report. They needn't accept medical aid at that time but indicate their injury and may "refuse medical aid" and then go on their way. Try to get an accident number from the Police Officer, his name and badge number, and the telephone number of his prescient to get further information.

Further, Congratulations are in order, the grandson of Joe Sedutto of the 62 table was accepted into the US Airforce Academy. Also, the grandson of Richie Comnesso was accepted into the US Naval Academy. Congratulations to all.

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## **RECORDING SECRETARY'S LINES - Paul Gallo**

Brothers,

I recently found some interesting information on our Medicare cards, new ones are on the way.

Changes are coming to your Medicare card by April 2019. It will be replaced with one that no longer shows your Social Security number. Instead, your card will have a new Medicare Beneficiary Identifier that will be used for billing and for checking your eligibility and claim status. And it will all happen automatically - you won't have to pay anyone or give anyone information, no matter what someone might tell you.

Having your Social Security number removed from your Medicare card helps fight medical identity theft and protect your medical and financial information. But even with these changes, scammers will still look for ways to take what doesn't belong to them. Here are some ways to avoid Medicare scams.

Visit "Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services" for more information.

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## **SUNSHINE COMMITTEE - Jack Hellman**

I hope you all are enjoying your summer. I am sure we are all saddened by the recent murder of Police Officer Familia. And all the senseless shootings that are going on. We are busy making preparations for our golf outing that will take place August 25 at the Bunker Hill Golf Course. For all of you that play, try to respond as early as you can. For those of you who don't play, please participate by taking chances and soliciting a sponsor for a tee. Remember the proceeds of this outing go directly to our members. I will close by saying have a great healthy summer. Remember, if you hear of any member or their families who are sick or has passed on, please let me know so that I can send a condolence or get well card.

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## **TRUSTEE - Larry Ernst**

After another senseless ambush and murder of a Police Officer, I think we should all in these times of crazies and terrorists who are armed to the hilt be well aware of our surroundings. This goes especially to our brother and sisters in blue.

Our 16th Annual golf outing is being held at the Bunker Hill Golf Course and will be held in the memory of Lt. Charles Manganato. Many of you knew Charlie as a go to guy and a stalwart of our organization. Please try to attend or sponsor a hole. Information is included in this newsletter.





May 23, 2017

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Dear Friends:

On behalf of all New York City police officers, I wish to express our sincere gratitude for your kindness and generosity. Your donation in the amount of \$2,000.00 given to our Widows and Children's Fund is especially meaningful to us as it will enable us to continue the fine programs established by the fund, such as providing scholarship grants, holiday gifts and other financial assistance for the widows and children of all police officers killed in the performance of duty, and, given the dangerous nature of our profession, sadly, widows and children of police officers who may lose their lives in the future.

It is because of thoughtful people like you that police officers will never fail to rise to the occasion and risk their lives in defense of the community they serve.

All the members of the PBA are grateful for your support and for your help in brightening the lives of these families.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick J. Lynch".

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## **The Detectives' Endowment Association Inc.**

### **The New York State Constitutional Convention**

from Michael J. Palladino, DEA President

There is a push by some political factions in New York State to hold a new Constitutional Convention. The position of the Detectives' Endowment Association is "vote NO" on this referendum.

Not only would a Constitutional Convention needlessly cost the New York State taxpayers an estimated \$100-million, but it could jeopardize the current level of pension benefits already received by retirees and promised to active members. Public sector pensions are guaranteed against diminution thanks to powerful language present in the New York State Constitution. In the event of a Constitutional Convention, the language could be tampered with, thus eliminating that guarantee and paving the way for a reduced pension benefit.

A Convention may open up New York's Constitution to hastily thought out changes and reversal of laws and protections that in some cases took more than 200 years to put into effect; and for police, benefits that took decades to achieve.

A referendum whether or not to engage in a Constitutional Convention will be on the ballot for voters in the next election, November 7, 2017. The DEA urges you to vote NO.

### **The Purpose of the Referendum**

The unique democratic purpose of New York's periodic Constitutional Convention referendum is to implement New Yorkers' inalienable right to alter their Constitution in cases where the interests of the Legislature and The People conflict. New York's Constitution allows the people to exercise this right once every 20 years. To realize this democratic purpose, a Convention must be substantially independent of the Legislature's control. For example, New York's Constitution prohibits the Legislature from directly limiting a Convention's agenda. The agenda is placed in the hands of the people independently of the Legislature. Democratic accountability is primarily sought by granting the people three votes over the process:

To call a Convention;

To elect Delegates to a Convention; and

To ratify any Amendments a Convention might propose for their consideration.

The people cannot ratify any constitutional change in conflict with federal law, including the U.S. Constitution.

### **Constitutional Convention Milestones**

On November 7, 2017 ... a popular vote on the Constitutional Convention referendum takes place.

On November 6, 2018 ... there will be a popular vote for Constitutional Convention Delegates. Three (3) Delegates will be elected to each of the 63 Senate Districts, plus 15 additional Delegates statewide.

April 2, 2019 ... a Constitutional Convention convenes.

November 5, 2019 ... a popular vote on the Constitutional Convention recommendations.

Again, it is the position of the Detectives' Endowment Association, Inc. that a New York State Constitutional Convention is both unnecessary and dangerous to our collective bargaining rights, our pensions, our Defined Benefit plan (VSF), and to the level of our health benefits and other labor rights that we have achieved in New York State.

The People of the State of New York already have a 365-days-per-year process to amend and rectify our State Constitution with the daily, weekly, monthly, and annual legislative process. The People elect their own representatives locally, and to the New York State Senate and the New York State Assembly, and in turn these representatives make and amend State law as needed by The People. This is an ongoing process which allows for thoughtful and productive examination of the existing laws enumerated in the Constitution at all times; and it is a completely unnecessary risk and expense to engage in any additional process which may undo the hard won benefits, laws, rules, and regulations of the State of New York, which, in some cases, took us personally decades to achieve.

The last Constitutional Convention took place in 1967. Clearly, there has not been a real need in 50 years for another. But today there are loud and powerful voices looking to scapegoat public sector workers and their benefit gains, and consequently, we are facing serious risk of having our labor rights and benefits significantly diminished.

Therefore, we urge our members to vote NO when and if the Constitutional Convention is placed on the ballot in November of 2017. There are much better ways in which \$100-million or so of our tax dollars may be spent.

Dear Fellow Sergeant,

The SBA's efforts in Washington D.C., which go back to the Obama Administration, calling for JoAnne Chesimard's extradition, have finally paid off. Today, President Trump, in his Cuban policy speech, stated the following about the extradition of JoAnne Chesimard (AKA Assata Olugbala Shakur):

- "While imprisoning innocents it has harbored cop killers, hijackers, and terrorists." (in reference to the Cuban government)
- "To the Cuban government, I say, put an end to the abuse of dissidents, release the political prisoners, stop jailing innocent people, open yourselves to political and economic freedoms, return the fugitives from American justice, including the return of the cop killer JoAnne Chesimard, and finally hand over the Cuban military criminals who shot down and killed four brave members of brothers to the rescue who were in unarmed, small, slow civilian planes."
- "So to the Castro regime I repeat, the harboring of criminals and fugitives will end, you have no choice, it will end."

Thank you to President Trump for continuing to support law enforcement. It is refreshing to have the support our officers need and deserve. The SBA, as always, will continue to do everything we can to fight for our members. Stay safe

Fraternally,  
Ed Mullins  
President  
Sergeants Benevolent Association





# Sergeants Benevolent Association

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EDWARD MULLINS  
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## SAFETY ALERT

Dear Fellow Sergeant,

I was just notified of the following, please remain alert!

Yesterday M/B identified as Kurdel Emmanuel entered the 83rd precinct and attempted to take an officer's gun. Subject male was arrested with an array of charges.

Upon being interviewed by the Detective Squad, subject admitted to his actions and stated he wanted to kill a cop. Today he was released (ROR) by the Brooklyn District Attorney's Office. Once again, the elected officials of this city have chosen to fail you. They are not performing in the best interest of the people of this city and they are no doubt NOT supporting the members of law enforcement.

There is NO accountability, NO leadership and certainly NO courage from our public officials or those in charge of this department. Please, stay together, look out for those you lead and pay attention to each and every assignment. Remain cautious at all times, work in teams and back each other up on jobs.

Until you draw a line in the sand, City Hall, City Council and the puppets who continue to placate their feel good wish list will only jeopardize your safety and the well-being of your family.

Fraternally,

Ed Mullins

President

Sergeants Benevolent Association

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CELL #:	Fav #:
Defendant:	
<b>EMMANUEL, KURDEL</b>	
Sex: MALE	Race: BLACK
DOB: 10/16/1987	Age: 29/7
Major Charges:	
PL 100000: ROBBERY-3RD	
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Co-Defendant: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
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Warrant name check by (initials):	Warrant: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
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June 19, 2017**

<u>New York State Legislation</u>	<u>Senate #</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Assembly #</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<b>1- Health Ins. Protection (Retirees)</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Lanza</b>	<b>A5455</b>	<b>Weprin</b>
<b>2- COLA Enhancement Bills</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>Golden</b>	<b>*APending</b>	<b>Abbate</b>
a) Reduces Eligibility age from 62 to 55 with 5 years service	S6049	“	A	“
b) Five year additional (look-back) for older retirees	S6047	“	A	“
c) Increases the COLA from 50% to 100% of CPI (not to exceed 3%)	S60451	“	A	“
d) Raises the maximum CPI from 3% to 5%	S6050	“	A	“
e) Raises the Surviving Spouse COLA from 50% to 100%	S6048	Golden	A	Abbate
f) Increases the CAP from \$18,000 to \$25,000	S3306	Richie	A6045	Steck
<b>3- Veteran’s Supplementation (Retirees)</b> ¼% per month, up to 36 months (total 3%)	<b>S6505</b>	<b>Larkin</b>	<b>Pending</b>	<b>DenDekker-</b>
<b>4-Establish A Temporary Task Force on the Variable Supplement Fund VSF</b>	<b>S1424</b>	<b>Avella</b>	<b>A00480</b>	<b>Gunther</b>
<b>5-Repeal of the N.Y. Safe Act Excluding N.Y.C. Residents</b>	<b>S0879</b>	<b>Ortt</b>	<b>A6140</b>	<b>Butler</b>
<b>6-Ammend Civil Rights Law to Ammend Penal Law</b> <b>Re: Involuntary Commitment</b>	<b>S</b>		<b>A6805</b>	<b>Lopez</b>
<b>7-Issue Actuarial Reports with 15 Business days from date of bill draft</b>	<b>S5639</b>	<b>Golden</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>Abbate</b>

**\*COLA Assembly Bills Pending Actuarial (Fiscal Notes)**

The above-captioned bills are being aggressively supported by the National. (Some bills have yet to be assigned numbers). As bills are revised, copies will be sent to Chapter Presidents. We have submitted *Memoranda of Support* for these bills. We are supporting any legislation which benefits our retirees and their families, and we will keep you updated.

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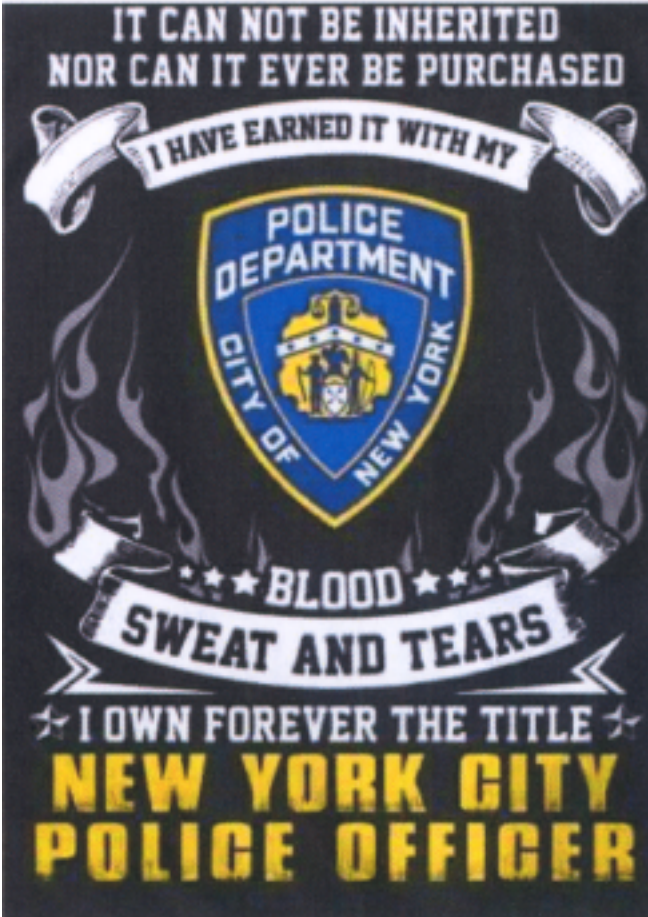
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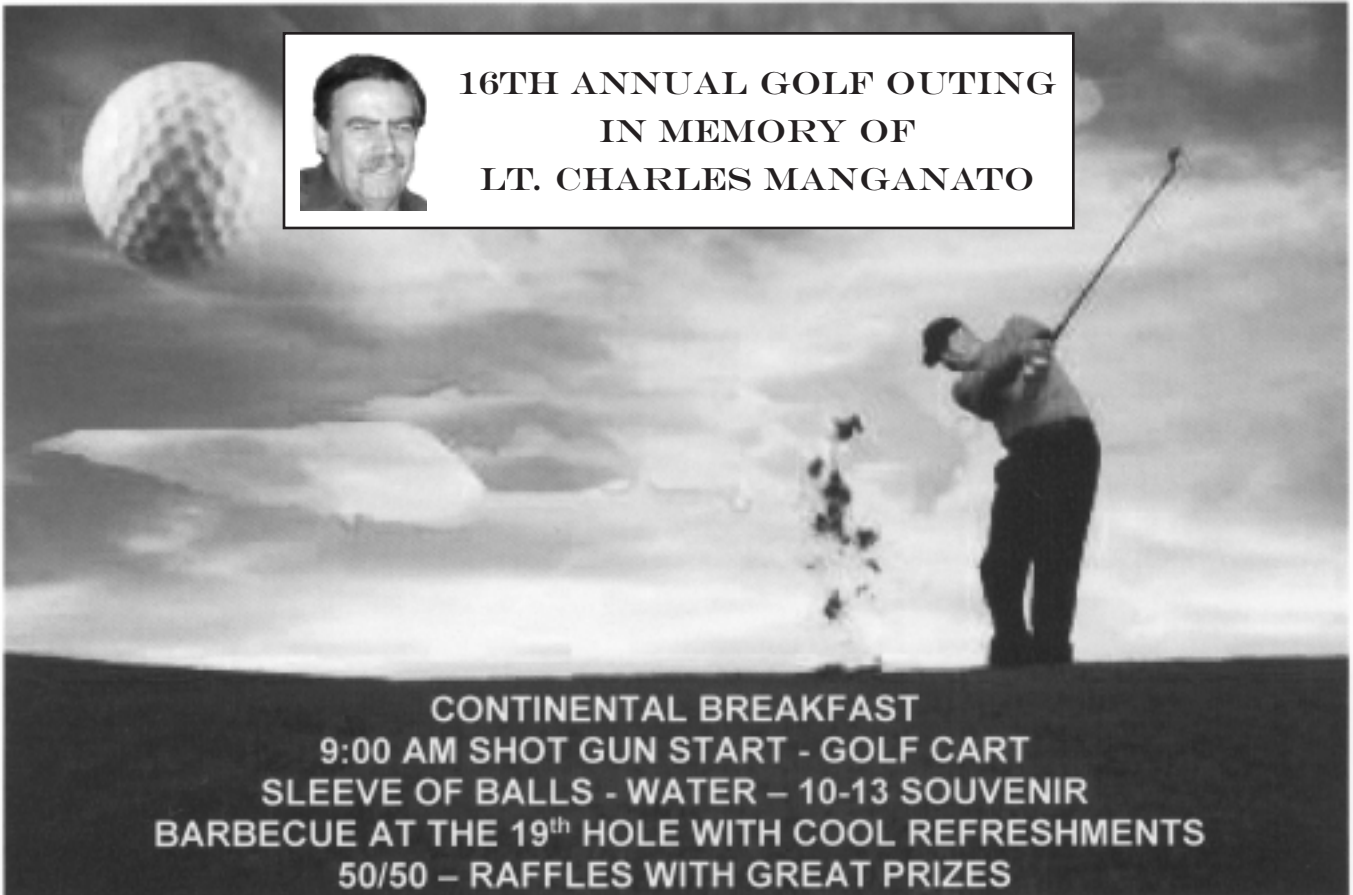
## 16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GOLF OUTING



## **BUNKER HILL GOLF COURSE FRIDAY, AUGUST 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017**



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## 16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GOLF OUTING



**BUNKER HILL GOLF COURSE  
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# The NYCPD Verrazano 10-13 Memorial High School & College 2017 Scholarship Award Application

### APPLICATION

The application is available in this newsletter (see below) or may be obtained online [www.vz1013.com](http://www.vz1013.com) or by contacting our office (347) 216 5215. It must be completed on the provided application form (see below) or it can be duplicated. Non-conforming applications will be discarded.

### SPONSOR

Applicants must be sponsored by a member of the NYCPD Verrazano 10-13 Association in good standing for the past three (3) consecutive years. A Sponsor may submit multiple applications for different children. However, a sponsor is limited to only one scholarship award selection every three (3) consecutive yearly drawings.

### ELIGIBILITY

A son, daughter or grandchild of a member is eligible for a scholarship and must be attending or enrolled in a College or University on a full-time basis (taking at least 12 credits) for the 2017 school year. Each child can only win once, but a member can sponsor another child after waiting three (3) years. High School students must be attending a tuition-paying school.

### ONLY ONE ENTRY PER APPLICANT

Only one application per applicant is permitted. If more than one application is received for the same applicant, all but one application for that applicant will be discarded.

### VERIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE

Applicants must be attending the education facility during the application year. Proof of enrollment must accompany the application.

### NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

For the 2017 school year, three (3) College scholarships and one (1) High School scholarship will be awarded in the amount of \$500.00 each.

### SCHOLARSHIP DRAWINGS

Drawings will be on a lottery basis in order to give each applicant an equal chance for selection. Scholarship awards will be drawn by the Scholarship Committee at the NYCPD Verrazano 10-13 Association holiday meeting in December. They will be drawn in full view of the members present (Alternate drawing date is the January general meeting). All applications must be received prior to the drawing date. *NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE DRAWING.*

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## NYCPD VERRAZANO 10-13 ASSOCIATION - 2017 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



(PLEASE PRINT)

### SPONSORING MEMBER OF THE NYCPD VERRAZANO 10-13 ASSOCIATION

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Year Joined Org: \_\_\_\_\_

### APPLICANT

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Give a brief statement about your Community Involvement: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

MAIL APPLICATION TO: NYCPD Verrazano 1013 Association, Scholarship Committee, PO Box 061725, Staten Island, NY 10306

# DID YOU FAIL TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017?

If so, you do not meet our membership eligibility requirements for:

**Submitting a Scholarship Application**  
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You can print out this Membership Application and submit it as per the instructions on the bottom of the form.

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<input type="checkbox"/>   2012
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## LATE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Please indicate appropriate selection(s) if you wish to pay your past dues)

## | 2017 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



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## **GOOD INFORMATION. PLEASE READ AND MAKE A COPY FOR YOUR FILES**

### **IF A MEMBER DIES - INFORMATION TO THE SURVIVING SPOUSE OR FAMILY** **(Hopefully Not Needed For A Long Time)**

Too often spouses and families are left in a quandary upon the death of a loved one. Few situations in life are more stressful than when a spouse passes. All too often we have a difficult time focusing on the issues at hand and need guidance to get the deceased affairs in order. The following is a general guide for the widow(er) or the deceased's family regarding important notifications that must be made by the surviving spouse and information you should have on hand when a retiree dies.

#### **I. PREPARATIONS BEFOREHAND**

- **GATHER ASSETS** - This doesn't mean piling them all together. It means getting a list of all the assets at the time of the decedent's death, along with copies of statements, deeds, etc. This information is needed for probate. It's also essential for filing federal and state estate tax returns, if required.
- **REVIEW IRAs** - If the surviving spouse is the beneficiary, decide whether to roll an IRA over to the surviving spouse.
- **GET GOOD ADVICE** - and get it now. The money you pay to attorneys and other advisers to resolve issues NOW can be much lower than if you deal with problems AFTER a person's death.
- In case of couples, usually most of the property is held in joint names and the survivor obtains same "by operation of law" However, there may be some items which were held in the name of the deceased only, and in that case it would be necessary to go to Probate Court to transfer ownership of that property, unless listed in a trust.
- **GET ORGANIZED NOW** - When someone dies, one of the big problems for beneficiaries is locating the things necessary to settle the estate. Make sure you know before the death occurs where to find the following documents and information. (This is just a partial list)

- Will
- Living Will
- Trusts
- Deeds (if any)
- Safe-deposit boxes (location of boxes, contents and keys)
- Life insurance policies
- Funeral and burial instructions
- Names and addresses of creditors and debtors
- List of assets and where they are located
- List of all advisers (attorney, accountant, insurance agent, stockbroker, etc.)

#### **II. STEPS TO BE TAKEN AFTER DEATH - Notifications to be made:**

1. NYC Police Pension Fund (either in writing or by telephone)  
233 Broadway, 25th Floor New York, New York 10279  
Attention: Retiree Death Benefits Unit  
Telephone (212) 693-5607/5919

Contact the appropriate Union for a possible existing life insurance policy and also for continuation of optional benefits, if qualified.

- Police Officers - Patrolmen's Benevolent Association (PBA) at (212) 233-5531
- Detectives - Detectives' Endowment Association (DEA) at (212) 587-9120
- Sergeants - Sergeant's Benevolent Association (SBA) at (212) 431-6555
- Lieutenants and above - Superior Officers Council (SOC) at (212) 964-7500

2. Contact the NYC Health Benefits Program for Special Continuation of Coverage application (coverage for life) located at 40 Rector Street, 3rd Floor, New York 10006 (212) 513-0470.

3. Contact the NYPD Operations Unit located at One Police Plaza at (646) 610-5580, for pall bearers (Funeral Director will usually do this for you) for all five boroughs, all of Long Island and Upstate New York, but not beyond Dutchess County.

4. Contact Social Security: (800) 772-1213 (Funeral Director will usually do this for you)

5. Contact Fraternal Organizations to arrange for visitors, Color Guard and possible insurance benefits

6. If a veteran, notify the Veterans Administration at (800) 827-1000 for: Grave marker, Funeral Allowance and Flag (Funeral Director will usually do this for you). If can't find discharge papers or DD 214, you will need date of Enlistment, date of Discharge, Branch & Serial Number. If deceased had 100% disability for 10 years, spouse is entitled to an additional benefit.

7. Notify your Church or Temple for announcements and to arrange for funeral. (Funeral Director will usually do this for you). Health Insurance: COBRA (Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985) COBRA has a safety net. If spouse or dependent was covered under deceased's health plan they may continue coverage under COBRA for up to 36 months. New York State in 2001 amended the Administrative Code to continue Health Care Coverage for Surviving Spouses for Life (Download Information Regarding this Amendment). This enables the deceased's spouse and/or dependents to receive coverage at the group rate. The City and the Line Organization health benefits stop at the death of the members. The rate, though high, is cheaper than the non group rate. Call: NYC Employee Benefits (212) 513-0470

**THINGS YOU WILL NEED DEATH CERTIFICATES** - Death Certificates are necessary in every step to the successful administration of a decedent's estate. (Usually Funeral will obtain certificates as part of his service at current cost). They are usually needed for:

- Pension Bureau Veterans Administration (if a veteran)
- Motor Vehicle Bureau if auto was in deceased's name. 1 for each insurance policy
- Court (If probate is needed)
- Your State Department of Revenue to obtain non-tax certificate if real property is involved.
- Bank accounts held in Trust for another 1 for each account if property held in a Trust
- Personal Records

Note: If estate is probated, some of the above will take a Letter Testamentary instead of a Death Certificate.

**MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE** (With Official Raised Seal): Social Security, (not necessary if surviving spouse already receiving benefits) Veterans Administration, if a veteran.

**LETTERS TESTAMENTARY or LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION:** Motor Vehicle Bureau, if auto is in the deceased's name. One for each bank account Brokerage house account (share of stock or bonds, etc. that were in the deceased's name alone)

**DISCHARGE PAPERS:** DD 214 - (Original needed) Social Security, if spouse was not already receiving benefits. Remember that service time counts toward qualification. They will Photostat. Veterans Administration, if a veteran

**PAID FUNERAL BILLS:** 1 copy for Pension Bureau 1 copy for Probate Court 1 copy for IRS, if taxable estate.

**OTHER THINGS THAT MAY APPLY** (usually after burial)

- Cancel any leases. (If your parent or loved one rented a home, cancel the lease after clearing out the furnishings)
- Inform insurance companies
- File life Insurance claims for any policies on the person's life, and request that the insurers send you Form 712, Life Insurance Statement (This is a statement about the life insurance that must be filed with the estate tax return).
- Make sure the car insurance company continues to cover the person's car until it's sold or transferred to a beneficiary.
- Make sure the homeowners policy continues to provide adequate coverage for the person's things until removed from the home.
- Notify companies the person did business with.
- Cancel credit cards, and close charge accounts.
- Have airlines to transfer frequent-flier miles to the primary beneficiary. (Each airline has different policy concerning this issue. Check with carrier about rules)

Consideration should also be given to making pre-death funeral arrangements. This provision, no matter how painful, should be discussed by couples and by parents with their families. Too often, spouse and children spend much too much money on a funeral and do so without really knowing what were the deceased's wishes in this regard (Place of burial, Cremation, etc.)

Consideration should also be given to having a "Family Durable Power of Attorney" (Someone to take over your finances if you become incapacitated or incompetent)

There are no words of comfort at such a difficult time, however, if you have all the necessary information at the ready it will expedite any claim that is pending, make the process run smoothly, and your stress level can be minimized.

Attached is a List of Phone Numbers that you can print out and put with your important papers.

Operations Desk	646-610-5580	SBA Health & Welfare	212-431-6555
NYCPD General Info	646-610-5000	RSA	516-564-1861
Pension Section	866-692-7733	LBA-SOC	212-964-7500
I D Card Section	646-610-5150	GHI	800-358-5500
Employee Benefits	212-513-0470	Empire Blue Cross	800-433-9592
PBA Health & Welfare	212-349-7560	Medicare Re-Imbursement	212-513-0470
PBA Caremark Drug Plan	877-722-7911	Medicare	800-633-4227
PBA Satellite	954-977-3880	Social Security	800-772-1213
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## Medicare Issuing New ID Cards in 2018

Removing Social Security numbers to prevent identity theft AARP, March 17, 2017

Medicare 10 cards will remove Social Security numbers in 2018. Medicare is preparing to stop using Social Security numbers for identification next year and will send new cards to patients with Medicare 10 numbers. The move is required by a law enacted two years ago to discourage identity theft.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) recently updated its web page to help health care providers prepare for the change. The agency plans to begin mailing the new cards with Medicare beneficiary identifiers (MBIs) in April 2018. During a transition period through 2019, providers can use the MBIs or health insurance claim numbers (which are based on Social Security numbers) on transactions such as billing and claims.

The 2015 law, the Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act, requires CMS to remove Social Security numbers from Medicare cards by April 2019.

“We’re now figuring out the best way to mail the cards,” the agency advised providers. “We’ll keep you posted about critical information so you can be ready to ask your Medicare patients at the time of service if they have a new card with an MBI.”

CMS plans a “wide-scale outreach” to let beneficiaries know that they need to bring their new Medicare cards when they get care and how to get MBIs if they lose their cards.

AARP's Fraud Watch Network ambassador, Frank Abagnale, advises consumers not to share Social Security numbers unnecessarily. “And don’t carry your Medicare card unless you are on your way to a health care appointment,” he wrote last year. “Instead, make a copy and black out all but the last four digits.”



Frank Martarella, President National 10-13



Brooklyn/Staten Island Trustee Albert (Al) Acierno addresses the members





Paul Ferrigno with wife Sheila  
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## 2017 MEETINGS

All meetings will be held at the  
Knights of Columbus S.I. Council  
22 Hillside Terrace  
Staten Island, NY 10308  
718-317-0343

Meetings are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the  
month at 7:15 PM as follows:

<del>January 18<sup>th</sup></del>	<del>July</del> — No Meeting
<del>February 15<sup>th</sup></del>	Aug — No Meeting
<del>March 15<sup>th</sup></del>	September 20 <sup>th</sup>
<del>April 19<sup>th</sup></del>	October 18 <sup>th</sup>
<del>May 17<sup>th</sup></del>	November 15 <sup>th</sup>
<del>June 21<sup>st</sup></del>	<b>December 20<sup>th</sup></b> <b>Holiday Luncheon</b>

## Annual Holiday Luncheon Meeting

Noon, Wednesday, December 20, 2017  
Nuccis South Italian Restaurant  
4842 Arthur Kill Rd (Near the Outerbridge)  
Staten Island, NY 10309  
(718) 967 – 3600



Application in this newsletter  
Selection at the Holiday Luncheon  
Presentation at the January Meeting

## Police Relief Fund Emergency Medical Squad

The Police Relief Fund and the Emergency Medical Squad is a FREE benefit that all active and retired members of the service receive (this benefit includes spouses, children and parents)

Benefits include, but are not limited to: Ambulance to/from New York City up to 250 miles; medical equipment: oxygen therapy, pulmonary aid supplies, wheel chairs, electrical hospital beds, crutches, canes, tens unit therapy and other durable medical equipment.

Police Relief Fund / 1-718-626-9320  
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(See our website for benefit information)

### IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

NYPD General Information	1-646-610-5000
Pension Section	1-212-693-5100
Out of State, call Toll Free	1-866-692-7133
PBA Union Office	1-212-233-5531
PBA Health & Welfare	1-212-349-7560
PBA Toll Free	1-877-844-5842
DEA	1-212-587-9120
SBA	1-212-226-2180
LBA & SOC	1-212-964-7500
NYPD License Division	1-646-610-5560
Social Security	1-800-772-1213
GHI	1-800-358-5500
Empire Blue Cross	1-800-433-9592
Medicare "A"	1-800-433-9592
Medicare "B"	1-212-306-7300
Caremark	1-877-722-7911
Ret.Health Ben (Rector St.)	1-212-513-0470
NYC Health Line	1-800-521-9574
VA Benefits	1-800-827-1000
ID Card Selection	1-646-610-5150

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NYC Pension <http://www.nyc.gov/html/nycppf/home.html>