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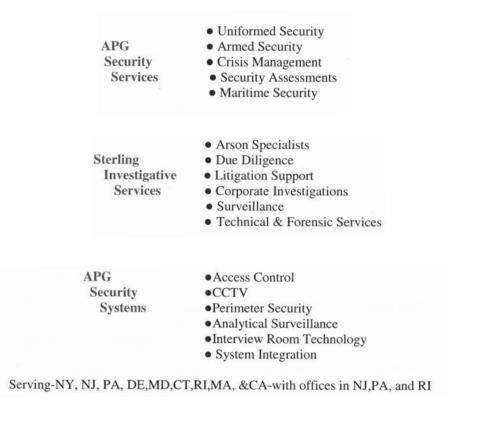
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

by Richard Commesso

Well the warm weather has ended quite suddenly and mother winter is just around the corner. Jack Hellman and I were at the N.Y.P.D. National Convention at the Villa Roma. A good time was had by all. President Frank Martarella and his lovely wife Vivian were gracious hosts. It was good to see many of our brothers from all over the country and exchange stories. It was sad to note that our brothers in the Carolina's were hard hit by the recent hurricane. The Verrazano 10-13 made a donation to the fund to help these brothers in blue that suffered such a tragic loss of property.

Our golf outing was held at the Bunker Hill Golf Course and was a great success. Thanks to the work of Jack Hellman, Vin Montagna, Joe Molloy, Carlo Imperato, Paul Ferrigno and John Donohue. What made this outing an even bigger success was the help of Vivian and Frank Martarella. Brian Kelly of Sterling Investigative Services and APG Security was once again more than generous in donating a scholarship and many golf items. It was Brian's father Colonel David B Kelly who hired me to run his company for many years. Col. Kelly was a General in the U.S. Army and fought with Gen. Patten during WW II. A great man who is sorely missed. Many thanks to all those who participated in the 50/50 which was the largest ever. It was won by Bob Zuffi a long time member...

After many meetings and conferences, the Board of Directors of the Verrazano 10-13 has convinced me to run for another term. I still have to break the news to my wife Irene. I still feel that new blood and new ideas are needed in our organization. We have many talented members who could do an excellent job in this organization. I only wish that they would step up and consider running for office.

In the coming months, we have many speakers lined up. Vin Montagna has been instrumental in lining up politicians and other guest speaker to address us.

This has been a bad year for us with the health of many of our members. We have lost several members, many of which were very close to me. Jack Hellman is now recuperating from surgery and a call or note would cheer him up.

Hoping to see many of you at out next meeting and don't forget our Holiday Luncheon Dec. 19th at Nucci's.



VICE PRESIDENT'S LINES - Joseph Molloy

Our Annual Golf Outing was a great success!!! Our membership is about 350 (280 Paid/Comp) (70 Unpaid)

The average amount of attendees at our monthly meeting varies between 50 and 70 members, let's all make an effort to bring a friend to the next meeting! Elections are coming up we could use some fresh blood to get actively involved in our club.

Medicare Part D beneficiaries who have high prescription drug expenses currently have to pay more once the total cost of their medicines reaches a certain threshold.

Medicare beneficiaries with high annual prescription drug costs will get some relief a year earlier than expected as a result of the budget deal President Trump signed early Friday.

Part D beneficiaries who have high prescription drug expenses currently have to pay more once the total cost of their medicines reaches a certain threshold. That's due to a quirky aspect of Part D called the coverage gap, also known as the "doughnut hole."

The doughnut hole has been narrowing each year since the Affordable Care Act (ACA) was passed in 2010. The gap was scheduled to close in 2020, when beneficiaries would be expected to pay 25 percent of the cost of all their prescriptions while they were in the gap.

Under Friday's budget deal, the doughnut hole will now close next year. Beginning in 2019, Part D enrollees will pay 25 percent of the cost of all their prescription drugs from the time they enter the gap until they reach catastrophic coverage.

For 2018, the threshold for entering the doughnut hole remains at \$3,750 worth of drug costs. Once a Medicare enrollee passes that limit, he or she is in the coverage gap and will have to pay 35 percent of the cost of brand-name drugs and 44 percent of generics. They will continue to pay those costs until their out-of-pocket spending reaches \$5,000. Once they hit that limit, they'll no longer be in the doughnut hole and will pay no more than 5 percent of their drug costs for the rest of the year.

Congress made the early close of the doughnut hole possible by requiring certain pharmaceutical manufacturers to pay more of the costs for enrollees who are in the coverage gap. Currently, brand-name drugmakers pay 50 percent of enrollees' brand name drug costs while they are in the coverage gap. Under Friday's budget law, they will now pay 70 percent.



TREASURER'S LINES - Lawrence Ernst

Summer is over, hope everyone had a great one. Looking forward to the holidays, try to plan ahead so you are not running around at the last minute like me shopping on Christmas Eve. Our treasury

is fine and the good news is our President and his board will continue for another year. I am the newcomer and from what I have seen, I am joining a great group, with a great leader, no one has worked harder to make this club what it is.



RECORDING SECRETARY'S LINES - Paul Gallo

News Article Child identity thefts. The new identity thefts are targeting children's Social Security numbers. They open up a line of credit, get loans, and credit cards. The problem is this does not get identified until years later when the children try to open up their own line of credit. They then find out they have bad credit ratings, due to credit cards late payment and or loan defaults. It then takes a lot of effort and

money to clear up their names. So what can be done!! A Credit Freeze can be placed on their names and Social Security numbers. This stops anyone from opening up a credit card or loan in their name. Contact the following credit reporting companies and ask for a Credit Freeze. They are : Equifax, Transunion and Experian. This cost no money to place a freeze. The only cost is \$5.00 when and only when you request the freeze to be lifted so an account can be opened IE new credit card or loan when the child is of age. You can obtain all mailing info on line for the three companies. Should you require any additional info contact me at the meetings.

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CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S LINES - Vincent Montagna

C O P From the British "Constable On Patrol."

This year's golf outing was a tremendous success. A young fellow named Chris and myself were big winners of the drawings. I again met some friends from years gone bye. In this publication you will see a listing of the "TEE" sponsors and a new advertiser who has NYPD family ties. As always, should you need these type of services, please give our advertisers and sponsors a shot. There is a dedicated "HOT LINE" to NYPD Pistol License Section for MOF retirees only. Should you need to call them when renewing your license, you must, to ensure confidentiality, call our association phone number and you will be given their number. If you are interested in subscribing to SPRING 3100 Magazine, send \$18.00 to: SPRING 3100, ONE POLICE PLAZA, ROOM 904 D, NEW YORK, NY 10038. Or call 646 610 5751. It was a pleasure having Retiring Surrogate Judge Bob Gigante attend our last meeting. He gave us much needed information regarding how to forward possession of our hand guns to someone we wish upon our demise. Should we not prepare for this, our hand guns will be confiscated by NYPD until proper procedures through the Surrogate court are followed. Very time consuming and tedious. "*Nothing further to Report*."



SGT. AT ARMS - Paul Ferrigno

Hi all,

Let me begin by saying that a good time was had by all who attended our annual Golf Outing. The weather was beautiful, the food and drink was good and plentiful. We can thank Jack Hellman's nephew for the cater-

ing. As he did last year, another job well done.

Once again, it was a great success, financially and otherwise, due mainly to the efforts of our president, Richie Commesso. Believe me, it is not an easy task and I'm sure the Board, the membership and all that attended the outing thank him for all that he does. A thank you also to all the board members for their contribution.

I personally would like to thank Vivian, wife of National 10-13 President Frank Martarella, for all the help she gave me with setting up the prizes on the Raffle Table in an orderly and presentable manner, selling raffle tickets and drawing the prize winners. Thank you, Vivian.

On a sad note, during the last week of September, we lost another member, Joe Manfra. He was a dear friend and a very decent person. He will be remembered in my prayers and I am sure in those of his other friends. May He Rest In Peace.

On another note, a bit of information on new Medicare Cards, which many of you already have received.

Protecting Your New Medicare Card

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services [CMS] has begun issuing new Medicare cards starting in April, 2018. Medicare recipients will not all receive their new cards at the same time. "We will be getting our cards according to a state-by-state schedule that will last from April 2018 to April 2019. The new cards will use random numbers instead of your Social Security numbers as your identifiers.

It won't be a foolproof precaution, but it will go a long way toward protecting your identities. It will be up to you to keep your new card safe. The bad guys can still use it to submit fake claims for reimbursement.

Beware new scams, says the Federal Trade Commission, which has offered these guidelines to Medicare cardholders:

- Don't pay for your new card. It's yours for free. If anyone calls and says you need to pay for it, that's a scam.
- Don't give personal information to get your card. If someone calls claiming to be from Medicare, asking for your Social Security number or bank information, that's a scam. Hang up. Medicare will never ask you to give personal information to get your new number and card.
- Guard your card. When you get your new card, safeguard it like you would any other health insurance or credit card. While removing the Social Security number cuts down on many types of identity theft, you'll still want to protect your new card because identity thieves could use it to get medical services.



TRUSTEE - Carlo Imperato

Hope you all had a great summer. Our golf outing was a great suuccess and we thank all who participated. On another note, I would appreciate your attention and respect when we have a speaker at our meetings. People take time to come to give us important information and deserve to be heard. It is disrespectful and immature to talk during their speeches.

On Saturday, Oct 13, 2018, the National Police Museum will open in Washington DC. It is located at 444 E Street, NW. For more information, check out www.lawenforcementmuseum.org.



TRUSTEE/SUNSHINE LINES - Jack Hellman

Hope you all had a great summer. The golf outing went very well thanks to all that participated, especially our Board of Directors and our National President Frank Martarella and his lovely First Lady and wife Vivian. I guess all you snow birds are getting ready to fly south. Wishing you all a

happy and healthy winter. I am sad to report that we had a few deaths in our organization. As you know elections are coming up this November for our Board of Directors. All incumbents are running. No other names have been given to me as candidates. It is not too late to place your name for consideration for a position on the Board. Many thanks to our President Richie Commesso for agreeing to run for the Presidency. He is the glue that holds this organization together. It took a lot of coaxing to convince him to run again. This is a great organization that has done many good things. We recently made a donation to our brothers and sisters in the Carolinas that were devastated by the recent storms. We also helped out one of our members in Puerto Rico. Be proud of yourselves that you are members of the Verrazano 10-13. Just a reminder, pay your dues for 2019 and those of you who haven't paid foe 2018 please do so. Also a reminder of our annual Holiday Luncheon Wednesday December 19 at Nucci's.



TRUSTEE - William "Harpo" Silvestri

This is the last Newsletter for the year 2018. Hope all our members and their families had a great summer.

As many of you are already aware, our annual Golf Outing held in the last week of August was once again a great time for all that attended. The 50/50 was a huge success. The prize was in excess of \$1500.00. Good Luck to the winner.

The Raffle Table did well also. This was due to a good number of you, our membership, actively participating.

The funds we raise at this event helps keep our meetings and yearly membership costs to a minimum. Our dues and monthly meeting costs will remain the same for 2019.

These funds also assist in maintaining our scholarship awards and donations to causes deemed worthy by the board and our membership.

Sadly, last month we lost two members, my dear friend Joe Manfra and Thomas Boyd, whom I didn't know personally but, had many friends. Please keep them in your prayers and may they both Rest In Peace.

Hope to see you all at our next In a meeting.

Stay safe.

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Retired members can receive a 8% discount off their Verizon Wireless monthly bill.

Retired members should contact Verizon Wireless Customer Service at (800) 922-0204 / press option 4 for "Other Options" / hold to speak with an Account Representative and inform them that you are looking to enroll in the retiree discount for law enforcement. You will need to provide them with a Profile ID number; the Profile ID number is 2766591. You will also need to provide them with your account number (this is your 10 digit cell phone number) and your account password. The account representative will give you a couple of options on how you can register on-line for the discount. There are other possible discounts you can sign up for; such as an additional 3% discount by receiving a paperless e-mailed monthly bill.

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."

New Gun Licensing Procedures at the NYPD

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Effective January 1st, 2018 the NYPD License Division began new procedures to renew your current licenses for both Handgun licenses and Rifle/Shotgun permits. It also applies to new license applications. It is a paperless process. It requires you to fill out and submit the forms, pictures, and payments <u>online</u>.

According to the License Division, about one (1) month before your license is due to expire, you will receive a letter in the mail from the License Division. It will contain a <u>unique identification number specific to</u> <u>you</u>. Please keep their letter until you have completed the entire process. You will need the identification number and the online address they provide to log in to the License Division system. Follow their instructions to complete and submit your application and related paperwork.

For those of you without internet access, please ask a relative or close friend with internet access, to assist you. If that is not possible, the Club plans to set-up a computer at the range to assist in the renewal process. You are responsible for submitting the required documents with the correct information.

I'm sure you have many questions about the process including: signatures, notarization, payments, and photos. Read and follow the instructions online.

We don't have all the answers yet. Problems will come up and it will probably take several months to work them out.

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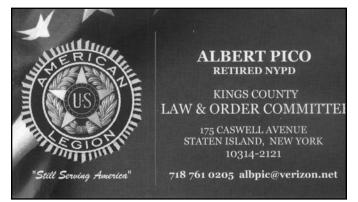
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American Museum of Natural History	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CPP (?) or 20 Pct - W82 St bet Columbus & Amsterdam
Coney Island Amphitheatre	No	No	No	No	60 Pct - W8th & Surf Ave
Bronx Zoo	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	52 Pct - Mosholu Pkwy & Webster Ave
Javitt's Center	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MTS - E39 St bet 8 Ave & 9 Ave
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Q: What's worse for you: sugar or artificial sweetener?

A: Americans consume a daily average of 22 teaspoons of sugar - that's about three times the recommended amount for most adults. You may think you are ahead of the game because you're not stirring it into coffee or sprinkling it on cereal, but think again: Sugar is in 80 percent of the products at the grocery store, including savory items like soup, beans and bread.

When artificial sweeteners came along, many of us thought, Great – they have no calories! But food isn't just calories. Different foods have different effects on our bodies. Artificial sweeteners are typically 200 to 600 times sweeter than sugar. They stimulate your taste buds, send signals to your brain, affect your hormones and slow your metabolism.

Both sugar and artificial sweeteners are potentially addictive, but artificial sweeteners may be likelier to make you get hungry, eat more throughout the day and develop diabetes. Sugar is OK in limited amounts and in the context of a healthy diet. Avoid highly processed store-bought foods and watch out for added sugar.

-MARK HYMAN, MD, Functional Medicine Specialist

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON MEDICARE PART B REIMBURSEMENTS

It has been brought to our attention by the City's Office of Labor Relations (OLR) that the Medicare Part B reimbursement amounts that will be issued to PBA Members during April 2018 may be less than what our Members paid in standard Medicare Part B premiums, excluding penalties. Therefore, you may be eligible for additional reimbursement.

This applies to individuals who fit at least one of the following criteria:

- Your 2017 monthly Medicare Part B premium was between \$110.00 and \$134.00.
- Your Medicare Part B, and/or your dependent's Medicare Part B, effective date is prior to 2016.
- · You and/or your dependent did not receive Social Security benefits; therefore, you were billed directly for Medicare Part B Premiums.
- You were newly enrolled in Medicare Part B in 2017 and did not receive the higher reimbursement because you are a Line of Duty Survivor.

In the coming weeks, you will be receiving an important letter from the City regarding the Medicare Part B premium reimbursement discrepancy. By the time you receive the City's letter, you should have already received your Medicare Part B reimbursement, either through direct deposit to your bank account, or in the form of a check by mail. We urge you to follow the instructions which will be provided to you in the City's letter.

We will keep you apprised of any additional developments concerning this matter.

NYPD PISTOL CARRY PERMIT LIST OF PARTICULARS

You will receive a letter 2 to 4 weeks before your expiration date describing how to get onto NYPD application renewal web site to renew your carry permit. After your application is complete you will receive an e-mail of acceptance. Your renewed Pistol License will come to via USPS within 2 to 4 weeks later. Yes your license will have expired, but patrol force has been notified of the dilemma. This letter will include:

- a) Your name
- b) Your status as retire
- c) Your pin. This is needed to continue returning to your personal renewal application.

You will need to copy and upload the following:

- 1) 2 Passport type photoes of yourself
- 2) Driver's License (obverse and reverse)
- 3) NYPD ID Card (obverse and reverse)
- 4) Current Pistol License (obverse and reverse)
- 5) Letter from spouse / significant other having "no objection to having a firearm in our house"
- 6) Request for "Public records exemption of publication"
- 7) Statement you are familiar with the Penal Law regarding falsified statements and about safeguarding a firearm.
- 8) Photoes of your safe with the open door and closed door if you have five or more firearms.
- 9) Birth Certificate
- 10) Social Security Number

11) DD 214 if applicable























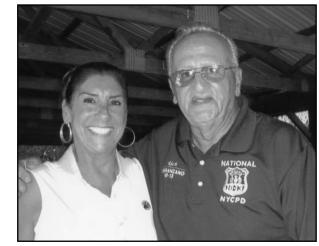


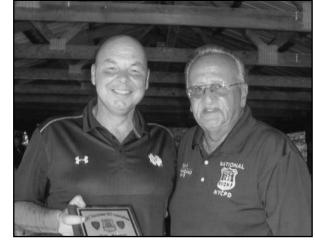






















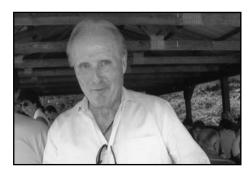


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Vinnie Montagna at 2018 Golf Outing with friends of long ago.

USPS honors first responders with a stamp



First Responders Stamp

The U.S. Postal Service went to the Aerial Fire Depot and Smokejumper Center in Missoula, MT on September 13 for the first-day-of-issue ceremony for a stamp that honors first responders.

"Our nation's first responders rush into life-threatening situations for the benefit of others," said Guy Cottrell, the Postal Inspection Service's Chief Postal Inspector and dedicating official. "The Postal Service is pleased to honor their skill, dedication and unfailing bravery with this stamp."

Artist Brian Stauffer worked with art director and designer Antonio Alcalá and designer Ricky Altizer to create this stamp. As a contributing artist to *The New York Times, Time* magazine, *The New Yorker* and other publications worldwide, Stauffer's illustrations are best known for bridging traditional and digital realms to create a conceptual take on social issues.

Our take:

It is wonderful that the Postal Service is honoring first responders. They don't receive enough credit and recognition. Congrats, USPS. However, I doubt if the Postal Service personnel saw anyone at the smokejumper base outfitted like the folks on the stamp.

By the way if you have not bought any stamps lately, these babies will set you back \$0.50.

10 Steps to Help Protect a Spouse

COUPLES CAN EASE THE BURDEN ON TOMORROW'S SURVIVOR BY DISCUSSING KEY FINANCIAL MATTERS TODAY. HERE ARE STEPS TO GET YOUR AFFAIRS IN ORDER

Gather financial papers. Store deeds, passports, insurance policies, estate documents and the latest statements from financial accounts in a fireproof box at home, where survivors can easily find them.

2. Make a "must call" list. Compile contact information for your accountant, lawyer and other financial professionals who need to be contacted when a spouse dies.

3. Share passwords. Keep a master list of all usernames and passwords so your spouse can still have access after your death.

4 Update beneficiaries. Make sure beneficiary designations for your pension, 401(k), IRA, brokerage accounts and life insurance proceeds still reflect your wishes.

5. Check credit cards. Make sure your name is on the credit card account. In most states, when your spouse dies, you won't be responsible for any debt on a card that's not in your name. But you also won't be able to use it, and will have to reapply for credit in your own name.

6. Set up advance directives. You both will ignate the person you want to make medical decisions on your behalf if you are incapacitated. You'll also need a living will that spells out what measures you want the doctor to take to prolong your life.

Designate a money person. Each of you will need a financial power of attorney so you can name a trusted person to make money decisions for you if you're unable to do so.

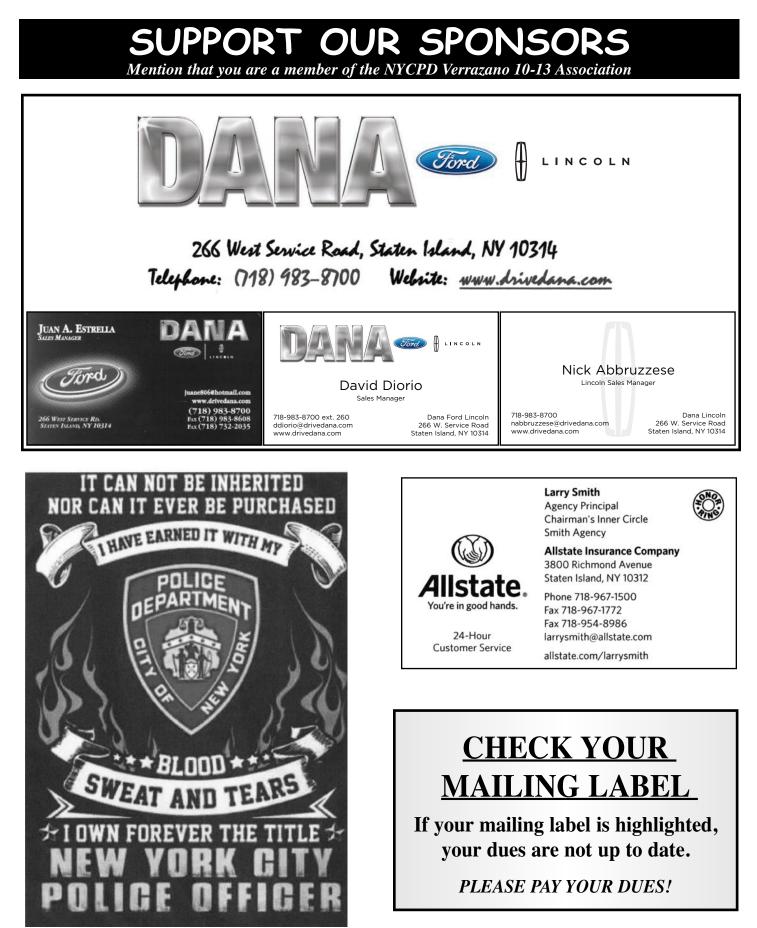
Review wills and trusts. Do this every few years or when there's a significant change in your life, such as a sizable increase or decrease in your finances. If you don't have a will, get one.

D Discuss funeral plans. This can save thouspands of dollars by letting the surviving spouse—who may need the money—know it's OK not to choose the most expensive funeral.

10. Learn how bills are paid. Keep a list of how bills are paid so the survivor doesn't miss a payment or overdraw an account.

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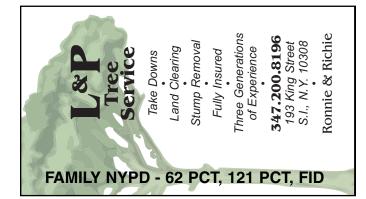
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https://ouf.osc.state.ny.us

WARNING New cameras have been installed on every city bus. Every time the driver opens the door the camera flashes, and if you happen to be parked or even standing by a bus stop it will be a \$250.00 ticket! More so if you are driving in a bus lane and there is a bus behind you, the driver can click a button to take a picture of you that will cost \$350.00. Notify your family and friends, the city is **NOT** notifying the public about this.

SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS Mention that you are a member of the NYCPD Verrazano 10-13 Association

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The NYCPD Verrazano 10-13 Memorial High School & College 2019 Scholarship Award Application

APPLICATION

The application is available in this newsletter (see below) or may be obtained online <u>www.vz1013.com</u> 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.

ELIGIBILTY

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 2019 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 tuitionpaying 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 SCHOALRSHIPS AWARDED

For the 2019 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.

----Cut along dotted line----

NYCPD	VERRAZANO 10-13 ASSOCIATION	- 2019 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
DEPARTMENT PLOTE A	(PLEASE PRI SPONSORING MEMBER OF THE NYCPD	
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Last Name:	First Name:	MI: Home Phone: ()
Address:	City:	State: Zip Date of Birth:
Cell Phone: () _	Email:	Relationship to Sponsor:
School Attending:	D	ate: Give a brief statement about your
Community Involven	nent:	

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

New York City Verrazano 10-13 Association, Inc.

Comprised of Retired & Active NYPD Police Officers of all ranks

(501 (c) (3) Not-For-Profit Organization)



P.O. Box 061725 Staten Island, New York 10306 Telephone: (347) 216-5215



Website: www.vz1013.com

Email: <u>Info@vz1013.com</u>

2018 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 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:15 PM as follows:

January 17th February 21st

March 21st

June 20th

-<u>18th</u>

-<u>16th</u>

April

May

JulyNO MEETINGAugustNO MEETINGSeptember 19thOctober17thNovember21stDecember19th -

Christmas Luncheon

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 Emergency Medical Sqd 1-718-626-9321 (See our website for benefit information) Annual Holiday Luncheon Meeting

Noon, Wednesday, December 19, 2018 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

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

IMPORTANT WEB SITES

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