

A Member of the New York 10-13 Associations of America, Inc. A National Organization of Retired & Active New York City Police Officers.

Greetings to my Brothers/ Sisters in Blue,

Medicare Part B 2023 Reimbursement:

Medicare-eligible retirees and their Medicare-eligible dependents will be reimbursed annually for the standard Medicare Part B amount, excluding any penalties and late enrollment fees, and subject to be prorated.

2023 Medicare Part B reimbursements will be issued in April 2024. Please check your bank account/statement (or the mail, if you are receiving a physical check).

If you already submitted your Medicare Part A & B card to the Health Benefits Program, this payment is automatic, and you will receive it annually.

IRMAA 2022 Reimbursement:

IRMAA 2022 annual reimbursements were issued during the 3rd week of October 2023.

Medicare-eligible retirees and their Medicare-eligible dependents can submit an IRMAA application if they paid above the standard amount of \$170.10 per month. If you did not pay more than the standard amount, then you are not eligible for IRMAA.

If you are currently receiving your pension check through Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT) or direct deposit, your reimbursement was deposited directly into your bank account. This is separate from your pension payment. If you don't have EFT or direct deposit, you should have received a check in the mail.

Please submit the IRMAA 2022 Reimbursement Application, along with all required documents,

electronically to: https://nycemployeebenefits.leapfile.net

https://www.nyc.gov/site/olr/health/retiree/health-retiree-medb-irmaa.page

Joseph Zadroga, a tireless warrior for Sept. 11 first responders and the father of the first cop whose death was attributed to a Ground Zero-related illness, was fatally struck by an SUV in New Jersey.

There is a new procedure for former members of the HPD and TPD to obtain their retired law enforcement ID card. The cards are still being issued by Transit Bureau but there is no longer a need to appear in person at Transit Bureau HQ in Brooklyn.

At least one month before your card is due to expire (or if your card has already expired) call Housing Bureau at 212 432 2680 or 212 432 2461, or Transit Bureau at 718-610-4660, Inform the PAA that you're calling to obtain a new HPD or TPD ID card. The PAA will ask you a series of questions and ask for a contact telephone number.

About a month later you will receive a call from Transit Bureau ID card section. You will have to email them a copy of your driver's license, your current ID card, and a digital photo of yourself from the waist up in front of a neutral colored background (no hats or sunglasses please).

After processing, a new ID card will be mailed to you via certified mail. If you have any questions, contact Transit Bureau at 718 610 4660 or email them at: TBHQPERSONNEL@NYPD.org.

If you need help, 9/11 Health Watch is here to help if you are having difficulties in accessing World Trade Center Health Program services, or have questions about the World Trade Center Health Program or the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund.

Go to https://www.911healthwatch.org/if-you-need-help/ to ask your question or explain the problem you are having, and they will contact you.

Tax Relief for Victims of Terrorist Attacks -Publication 3920. Disability payments, including Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) payments aren't taxable if they're for injuries incurred as a direct result of any terrorist attack (including the Oklahoma City, September 11 or 2001 anthrax attacks) against the United States or its allies. However, you must include in your income any disability payments you received or would've received in retirement if you hadn't become disabled as a result of a terrorist attack.

Tax Forgiveness for People who Died: Federal income tax liabilities of people who died from wounds or injuries related to the Oklahoma City or September 11 attacks are forgiven. Federal income tax liabilities of people who died from an illness related to the 2001 anthrax attacks are also forgiven. Income tax is forgiven going back to 2000 (1994 for victims of the Oklahoma City attack) whether a person was killed in an attack, died later as a result of an attack or by participating in rescue or recovery operations. A minimum of \$10,000 in relief is provided if the deceased person's total tax forgiveness is less than \$10,000. To find out which years are eligible for a credit or refund, see the enhanced <u>Publication 3920, Tax Relief for Victims of Terrorist Attacks</u> (September 2014). (<u>IRS Website</u>)

Todd Scott the man convicted in one of the most notorious cop killings in New York City history was just denied parole, a move hailed by the tragic Finest's family.

Todd Scott, who is serving 25 years to life behind bars for his role in the 1988 assassination of 22-year-old rookie Officer Edward Byrne, will remain incarcerated at Shawangunk Correctional Facility in Ulster County.

FEBRUARY 2024

From NY Post - City cops are getting beaten at a record-setting pace — a disturbing and dangerous trend fueled by radical protests, an influx of criminal migrants, bail reform, anti-cop rhetoric and soft-on-crime prosecutors, experts told The Post.

The number of cops hurt by suspects surged 20% in 2022, when 4,724 uniformed officers suffered injuries in attacks, compared to 3,933 in 2021.

But the law enforcement nightmare grew worse last year, when 4,077 cops were hurt by suspects in just the first nine months of 2023 — on pace for a record-breaking 5,436 injuries, the latest NYPD stats show. The data for the last quarter of 2023 has not been released.

"Well over 5,000 cops were attacked and injured last year – that's not only a record, it's a full-blown epidemic," Police Benevolent Association President Patrick Hendry told The Post.

Saint Patrick's Day festivities will be taking place at the MIDFlorida Event Center. The event date and times: Friday, March 15 from 5-10 p.m. and Saturday, March 16 from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. This is the event that we participate in the parade. The parade will be held on Saturday March 16th @ 11am. 9221 S.E. Event Center Place Port St. Lucie, Florida 34952 The parade opens the Saturday festivities at 11 a.m. and marches right into where the festival begins at noon. Please let me know if you wish to participate. We will NOT have a float this year. It's not a long walk.

Our annual BBQ will be held on April 6, 2024 from 12 noon – 5 pm. Sandhill Crane Park 2355 S.E. Scenic Park Drive Port St. Lucie, FL 34952. It's \$10 per person. You can pay the day of the BBQ. We also need donations of new items to be raffled off. If you wish to donate a basket/ etc. Let me know. Yearly, I sign the contract and it states no dogs allowed. But year after year, the parks and recs department notices that we have dogs in attendance. **NO DOGS ALLOWED** Please let your pets at home, if you arrive with your pet, you will be asked to bring your pet home.

The NYAmer 10-13 Associations 2024 the scholarship application and instructions are enclosed at the end of this newsletter. For those members who have children and or grandchildren getting ready to enter college, apply for the scholarship.

Our 2024 dues are overdue. If you have already paid, thank you. If not, please submit your check of \$25.00 and mail to Treasure Coast 10-13 PO BOX 85-7854 Port Saint Lucie FL 34985 or simply bring it to our next meeting. If you are a new member and have joined after the month of August, your dues are carried over to 2024.

If you have recently changed your home address, telephone number or even your email address. Can you please simply email me those changes?

Also for the members who have businesses who advertise in our newsletter and wish to continue for the 2024 years, please submit your payment to Maria our treasurer. Please let Maria know that the money is for the advertising in the newsletter.

Advertising: business card - \$25.00 for the year half page ad - \$50.00 for the year full page ad - 100.00 for the year.

If there are any members who want to organize an outing or an event, please let the board know. We are always open to fresh ideas.

Respectfully yours, Al Hickey



An officer comes across a man who is clearly under the influence.

He says to the man, "We're going to have to give you a drug test." Without hesitation, the man replies, "Cool, which drugs are we testing?"



We have a new/updated National website www.ny1013amer.org

Treasure Coast 10-13 has a website as well https://www.treasurecoast10-13.com/

We are also on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/TC1013/



Donations!

Charles Pusey
Martin Motherway
John & Elida Buckley
Anthony Valicenti
Bruce Cramb
James Oxley



50/50

WINNERS

Al Z & Jay R

donated their winnings back to the club



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

JOE CORRIGAN - 1ST LARRY BENENATI - 2ND ULSTAN MAC MCCABE - 4TH GEORGE HADDOCK - 8TH TIMOTHY HEINES - 8TH RAY GARDELLA - 11TH VICTOR CORTEZ - 11TH PHILIP MORGAN - 12TH TED SERGIO - 13TH JACK CUTRONE- 18TH BRUCE CRAMB - 19 ROBERT FITZSIMMONS - 20TH EDWARD GERRY - 20TH JOSEPH RAMIREZ - 20TH BILL WAHL - 20TH JOSEPH D'ESPOSITO - 22ND SALVATORE INCANDELA - 22ND KARL LOUHISDON - 23RD LES LEIBOWITZ - 24TH ERIK CROSS - 26TH IVAN GUANILL - 27TH DAVID SUCHARKSI - 29TH

<u>FEBRUARY</u> APPOINTMENTS

MURRAY OBACK 3/2/67
ROBERT FITZSIMMONS 3/3/69
RAYMOND LEDDY 2/03/84
WAYNE OXLEY 2/9/68
PHIL MENDEL 2/1/70
RUSS QUALLIOTINE 2/26/73
MARTIN MOTHERWAY 2/26/73

Next Meeting

Tuesday February 27th - 7:30 pm

Port St Lucie American Legion Post 318, 1000 Savanna Club Blvd. Port St. Lucie, FL 34952. (Savanna Rd & US1 behind Speedway Gas Station.

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Sickness & Distress



Anyone who knows of someone in need of assistance or a posting in this column, please call Al Hickey 772-408-2166 or Larry Marren 561-601-9440

Important Phone Numbers

NYPD General Information	646-610-5000
NYPD Operation Desk	646-610-5580
Pension Section (Art 1)	212-693-5100
Pension Section (Art 2)	646-610-6824 / 8192
ID Card Section	646-610-5150
Employee benefits	212-513-0470
P.B.A Health & Welfare	212-349-7560
P.B.A retiree	877-977-3880
D.E.A Office	212-587-1000
D.E.A Health Benefit	212-587-9120
S.B.A Health & Welfare	212-226-2180
L.B.A	212-964-7500
C.E.A	212-791-8292
Social Security	800-772-1213
EmblemHealth (GHI)	800-358-5500
Empire Blue Cross	800-433-9592
Medicare Reimbursement	212-513-0470
Medicare Part "A"	800-433-9592
Medicare Part "B"	800-333-7586
Aetna Medicare PPO	888-267-2637
NYC Healthline	800-521-9574
NYPD (D.I.F)	646-610-5580
VA Benefits	800-827-1000
Spring 3100	646-610-5751

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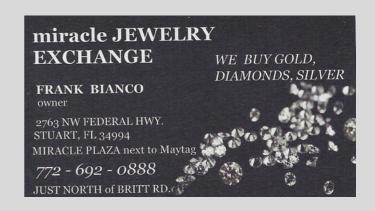


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NYAmer 10-13 Associations

Instruction sheet for the scholarship applications

Eligibility

The Scholarship Program is open to any and all family members of NYPD Retirees who are members in good standing of any 10-13 club associated with the New York 10-13 Associations of America, Inc., including their adopted children. All applicants must be entering their first year of college. Applications must be completely filled out to the best of ability, sponsored and notarized. All applications must be submitted and received, or post marked on or before July 15th of the current year.

Personal Information

- 1. Your full name, social security number, and telephone number.
- 2. Your street address, city, state, and zip code.
- 3. Date of Birth and gender.

Sponsor Information

This section is to be <u>completely</u> filled out by the Retired NYPD Officer, who is sponsoring your application.

Education Information

School presently attending

- 1. The name of the high school you are presently attending.
- 2. A contact name at the school and their telephone number.
- 3. Your grade point average (GPA), weighted and un-weighted.
- 4. Your State Aptitude Scores (SAT), FCAT, ACT, etc.
- 5. You must provide proof of the above scores. You may do so through any Official Record made available to you by the high school you are currently attending.
- 6. The date you are scheduled to graduate.

School Planning to attend (this must be provided)

- 1. The name of the school you are planning to attend, with the address.
- 2. Contact name at the school and their telephone number.
- 3. What is the start date of your first semester?

Certification

The application must be signed by both you and your sponsor, and <u>your signature must be notarized</u> that all the information provided is true to the best of your knowledge. If further information is required you may be contacted by one of our trustees.

Additional Information

Once you have completed your application, send it to: NYAmer 10-13 Association - C/O Alfred Boettjer, C.O.O. 1000 Galleon Street Port St. John FI 32927. You have the right to submit any additional and supporting information you feel may be helpful, with the understanding that all items submitted become the property of the "Association" and will not be returned. All supporting information must be verifiable, that which is not will have any value. All applications will be graded by the TRUSTEES based on scholastic achievements and community involvement which is voluntary and not specifically required by the school for graduation. Arrangements for the award will be made through the educational facility and in accordance with their guidelines. If you should need to contact the "Association", you can do so at the above address or send an email to alcoastalpba@aol.com

There are five scholarships, valued at \$1,000 each, being awarded for the highest scoring applicants - regardless of gender. Each applicant is eligible for one of the five scholarships, if chosen.

We gratefully appreciate the submission of your application and wish you the best in your continued education.



NYAmer 10-13 Associations

1000 Galleon Street Port St.John, FL 32927 2024 Scholarship Application

Personal Information

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Street Address	City	State Zip Code		
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Be Notarized				
How did you hear about the NYAmer 10-13 Scholarship and, how are you related to the retiree sponsoring this application?				
Please add your e-mail address				



Treasure Coast 10-13 Inc. PO Box 85-7854 Port St. Lucie, FL 34985-7854

Application For Membership - \$25.00 / Year

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IF ASSOCIATE MEMBER – WHO RE	EFERRED YOU?	
DO YOU WISH TO RECEIVE THE NE	EWSLETTER BY EMAIL? YES NO (Please circle one)	
SIGNATURE		

NEW FLORIDA LAW ENFORCEMENT FIREARM'S QUALIFICATION & HR218 PROFICIENCY COURSE Minimum Passing Score: 32 rounds of 38 rounds

STAGE 1: Hip and Two-Hand High Point from the Draw **1-yard line to the 3-yard line**; 6 rounds in 6 seconds

STAGE 2: Two-Hand High Point from the Compressed Ready Position *3-yard line*; 4 rounds; 3 seconds per string

STAGE 3: Primary and Support Hand Extended from the Draw with Reload *3-yard line*; 6 rounds; 5 seconds per string

STAGE 4: Two-Hand High Point from the Draw **7-yard line**; 4 rounds; 5 seconds per string

STAGE 5: Two-Hand High Point from the Draw with Reload **7-yard line;** 12 rounds in 20 seconds

STAGE 6: Two-Hand High Point from the Draw **15-yard line;** 6 rounds in 15 seconds

This new FDLE course of fire is final, and this is just typed up as a go by for retirees to start practicing for their HR218/ LEOSA qualifications starting July 1st, 2024. Official FDLE Form 86A's we be printed and published by June 2024.

We will notify the membership if any additional information is received.

2025 Nypd Reunion Luncheon

Day/Date/Time:

Thursday, February 6th, 2025 (12:00-4:00pm) Location: International Event Venue Tampa 6463 W. Hillsborough Ave Tampa, FL 33634 813-806-0026

https://internationaleventvenue.com

Cost: \$62 per person (Must prepay by check OR you can Zelle payment.) PAYMENT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AT THE DOOR. Please DO NOT STAPLE OR TAPE any checks.

*Be sure to List the names, phone numbers, mailing address, and email address of <u>each person</u> covered by the payment. If you are not pre-paying for a table of 10, please include which command/commands/boro you prefer to be seated with.

Price includes Sit down lunch and 2 hours of beverages including Sodas, Water, Gatorades, and Coffee. 2 hours of OPEN BAR included. Background music will be provided.

If you plan to attend, please mail checks made out to:
NYPD W/E coast Florida Reunion Luncheon LLC 12765
Meadowbreeze Drive
Wellington, Florida 33414
OR
You can also Zelle payment of \$62.00/person to: 561-460-697

Once payment is received, I will then reply with "confirmed."

Cancellations: Must be submitted by January 30th, 2025

Refunds: Contact Kristina Notghi. Requests will be considered but are not guaranteed.

Table/Group/ Individual Reservations:

Table: 10 people to a table (Please list a MAIN contact person for your table.)

<u>Group</u>: If you are part of a group less than 10 and would like to sit together, include checks from each member of your party along with each individual's name, phone number, mailing address, and email addresses.

<u>Individual</u>: If you are **not** reserving a full table of 10 and are **not** part of a small group, you will be assigned to a table. If you wish to sit with or near a command ie: 24th Pct, Intel, PBBX, Mounted, etc... please include the command the command/boro/etc. when sending in your check. I will do my best to accommodate. <u>Do not forget to include your phone number, mailing and email addresses.</u>

NO Walk-ins, payment will NOT be accepted at the door. Thank you

If you have any questions regarding this event, please feel free to contact me below:

Kristina Notghi:

561-460-6975 (text message for quicker response.) OR

email me at:

Kristy90@msn.com

Thank You so much and I look forward to meeting all of you at our first West Coast luncheon :) It will be a blast!



N Y C	FLORIDA REUNION 2.0 The Original Transit Police Reunion for Over 20 years	N Y C
T R A N S I T	JULY 28 TH to JULY 30 TH 2024 RADISSON RESORT AT THE PORT CAPE CANAVERAL, FL IN RECOGNITION OF THE THE CLASSES OF 1972, 1973, 1974 AND THE CANINES OF THE K9 UNIT SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR THE NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT POLICE HISPANIC SOCIETY	TRANSIT
POLICE	SUNDAY 7/28 CHECK-IN 1600 HRS & REGISTRATION MONDAY 7/29 CHECK-IN 1600 HRS & REGISTRATION WELCOME BUFFET DINNER \$ 40 TUESDAY 7/30 CHECK-IN & REGISTRATION REMEMBERANCE DINNER \$ 50 STANDARD ROOM \$ 174. DELUXE ROOM \$ 206 INCLUDES ALL TAXES AND FEES CREDIT CARD NOT CHARGED UNTIL CHECK-IN	POLICE

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htps://transitpolicereunion.com



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Regardless of rank, any one of us can have a personal crisis. Help is available.



more info: www.NYPDnews.com/BLUE741741

Help is available for many issues including:

- * Stress and anxiety
- * Depression
- * Suicidal thoughts
- * Financial situations
- * Sleeping issues
- * Alcohol and prescription concerns
- * Family, relationships & more

It is not hopeless and you are not alone. You have options.

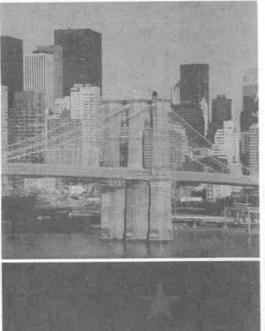
Options for help:

- * Lifeline: 800.273.TALK (8255)
- * Law enforcement text BLUE to 741741 (others text TALK)
- * NYC Well: Text, call & chat www.nyc.gov/nycwell
- * Call 911 for emergencies

NYPD specific:

- * Employee Assistance Unit: 646.610.6730
- * Chaplains Unit: 212.473.2363
- * POPPA (independent from the NYPD): 888.267.7267







When you help your brother or sister officer, you are also helping his or her family, friends, and the community at large.



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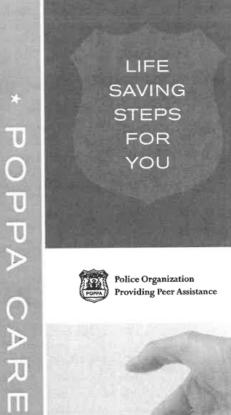
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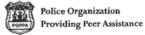
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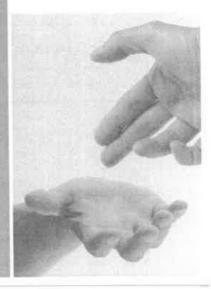
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