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Upcoming Meetings

September 7th

October 12th

November 9th

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

June 2022

Following the June 8th meeting we will be taking our summer vacation with no meeting during the months of July and August. Our regularly scheduled meetings are set for the 2nd Wednesday of each month unless there is a scheduling issue. The calendar is not favorable this coming September to allow for preparation for the 9/11 Memorial Service therefore, we are moving our September meeting to September 7th. Please mark this date on your calendar to ensure you don't overlook this meeting as we will be discussing final arrangement for the 9/11 Memorial Service to be held at the VFW. When we return in September the Hernando 10-13 Club and Retired NYFD in conjunction with the VFW will be holding a 9/11 Memorial Service on September 11, 2021 at 9:00am. The Service will be held at the VFW located at 14736 Edward R. Noll Dr. Spring Hill, FL 34609. The service will consist of a short prayer and the laying of wreaths at the memorial year. 9/11 is Sunday this year and we hope you can attend with family members. Look forward to seeing you at summer's end.

The fiasco also known as the New York City Medicare Advantage Plan has not been settled and most likely will take quite a while. During the summer, should something substantial transpire regarding the Medicare Advantage Plan we will endeavor to forward to you by e-mail such information. As of now there is nothing to be done.

Stay safe and notify us should you need any help or assistance.

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

(June 2022)

Upcoming Meetings

Our next regularly scheduled meeting is June 8th @ 7:30pm. This will be the last meeting before the summer break. Please make every effort to attend. Stay safe and notify us should you need any help or assistance.

Please be aware that the September meeting will be on September 7th to allow for the Hernando 10-13 Club to finalize arrangements for the 9/11 Memorial Service at the VFW. Please mark this date on your calendar to ensure you don't overlook this meeting.

National 10-13 President's Meeting

The National 10-13 will be holding its President's Meeting on June 18th at "Der Dutchman" Restaurant in Sarasota. Should you wish to attend the meeting please advise the Board as a count for the lunch is need to be provided to the restaurant in advance.

The National 10-13 is selling raffle tickets in support of the Scholarship Program. Drawings are held at the quarterly Presidents Meeting for an automatic pistol. Tickets will be available at our regularly scheduled meetings. Please support the National 10-13 Scholarship Fund.

September 11th Memorial Service

Save the Date – Annual 9/11 Memorial Service in conjunction with the VFW and NYCFD will be held on Sunday September 11, 2022 at VFW Post #10209 at 14736 Edward R. Noll Dr., Spring Hill.

Annual Suncoast 10-13 Picnic

The Suncoast 10-13 club has graciously invited the Hernando 10-13 club to participate with their annual picnic. It is scheduled for October 15, 2022 and will be held @ Fred Howard Park, Shelter #6. (Some shelter from inclement weather). Sonny's BBQ will again cater the food. Cost per person has not been finalize however, last year the cost was \$15.00 per person. Given the rate of inflation I would assume a cost increase. We will need to provide the Suncoast 10-13 with the number of attendees immediately following our September 14th meeting.



Louis Hollander, a member of the Hernando 10-13 Honor Guard, on May 10th participated in the "Honor Flight" to Washington DC.

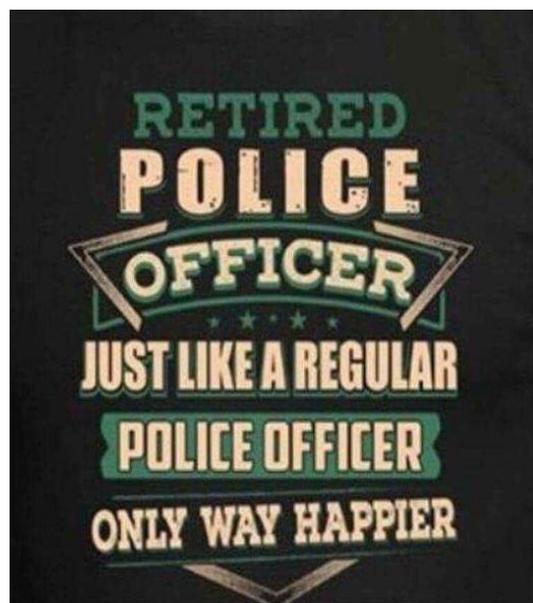
The Honor Flight Network is a national network of independent Hubs working together to honor our nation's veterans with an all-expenses paid trip to the memorials in Washington, D.C., a trip many of our veterans may not otherwise be able to take. Participation in an Honor Flight trip gives veterans the chance to share this momentous trip with other veterans, to remember friends and comrades lost, and share their stories and experiences with each other.

Louis Holland of Hernando 10-13 and Bill Wood of the Suncoast 10-13 flew from St. Petersburg, FL airport to Washington DC as part of the Honor Flight Network. They spent the day visiting several memorials and upon their return, at the end of the day, they were greeted at the airport by hundreds of people as well as the TV News media showing their appreciation for their service to the country.

Due to size limitations placed on the newsletter by the e-mail provider the inclusion of Lou Holland's remembrance of his Honor Flight and associated photos are unable to be provided in this document therefor, a separate document will be sent containing exclusively Lou Holland's description of his trip and associated trip photos.

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We would like to remind those of you who have not yet paid their 2022 dues, that without your dues we may not be able to continue providing information and services, both in person and via e-mail, on matters related to New York City that may have an impact on your pension and other services provided by the city.

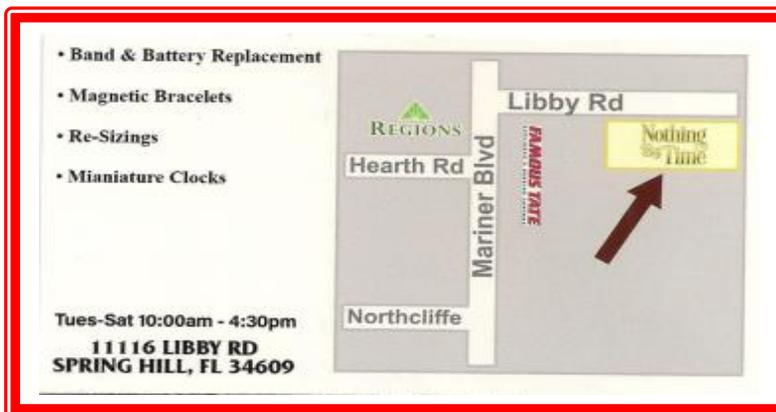
In addition, we as an affiliate club of the National 10-13 are required to pay an assessment for each member under 75 years of age along with other costs associated with membership.

We are requesting that those of you who are under 75 years of age send in your dues for 2022 in the amount of \$40.00 at your earliest convenience. For those of you over 75 years of age we request you provide a small donation to help support the club. Alternatively, payment can be made at the next upcoming meeting on June 8th.

Hope to hear from you soon and all is well with you and your family. In any event, say safe and notify us should you need any help or assistance.



NEW LOCATION



Effective **July 1, 2022**, the PBA is partnering with **Cigna Dental** as the new dental benefits provider for both active and retired members.

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Over the next several weeks, additional information is anticipated to be provided to help prepare for the use of the new Cigna benefits. We will provide any additional information we receive regarding this coverage as soon as we receive them. In addition, please monitor your mail, email and the PBA social media channels for additional updates.

The web site for this benefit information is "nycpba.org/dental-providers/

Thanks to the PBA for moving into the 21st Century with the dental benefits package however, a quick search of the provider listing shows the nearest dentist to Hernando County is in Palm Harbor.

Ed Dunbar

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Tricia, Neil & Angie

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Hours

Saturday
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Received from the NYPD Retiree Emblem/GHI Doctor & Dental Information group.

Please e-mail Bill Mac (he is a group member) at "themcmahons111@aol.com" to send him any follow-up information / correspondence. Bill and his wife, Andrea, are advocating on the behalf of all retirees who have Emblem Health.

PLEASE READ IMPORTANT NEWS

Hi all

As many of you may know, I (Bill McMahon) have been trying to work a deal out between Emblem health and Lee Health here in Florida for the last 18 months. It's was going well and then hit a stone wall with Emblem balking, delaying and then finally demanding that every single doctor have to be individually vetted. Emblem knew full well that this was impossible and could take years. This all happened after Errol Ogman became involved in the negotiations personally after promising he would get it all worked out.....

I reached out to the CEO Millennium physician Group to see if I could work out a deal with them as they are the largest group of doctors in Florida. I received an email from them stating they wanted nothing to do with Emblem health and stated why. I would suggest that everyone read it as I will post it.

I am trying to build a case against Emblem both criminally and civilly. I have asked that you please request letters from doctors that are dropping you because they no longer want to accept Emblem Health. If you cannot get your doctor's office to write one then either wright them a review on their website simply saying that you are sad that they no longer accept it or write a letter yourself stating that they have dropped you as a patient due to no longer accepting Emblem Health and include the doctors name, address, phone and any other pertinent information and email or mail them to me. THIS NEEDS TO BE DONE ASAP. Please do not turn this into a bytch fest and instead of writing posts, just take a few minutes to write up an email or letter for us.

We've been basically ourselves for the last two years helping everyone and now we need you all to help as well. This is a group effort. They unions aren't helping and we need to do this for ourselves.

LETTER from Millennium Physicians Group

Good afternoon Mr. McMahon,

Thank you for your inquiry. At this time Millennium has made the decision to not participate with the GHI/Emblem Health product as there are numerous challenges when working with this particular payor. Unfortunately, they have historically inhibited our ability to provide efficient delivery of care as well as assigning our offices and Billing Department significant administrative burdens not present with other carriers. Out of respect to you and the other first responders you are inquiring on behalf of, I will reach out to our Contracting team to see if anything has changed that may allow us to re-open the door to discussions. Either a member of the Contracting Team or I will follow-up with you after their review.

Respectfully,

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On May 3rd the Hernando 10-13 participated at the Law Enforcement Memorial Service with the Hernando County Sheriff's Office in honoring their Line of Duty deaths.



On May 17th the Hernando 10-13 participated with the Suncoast 10-13 in the Law Enforcement Memorial Service at St. Michael the Archangel Church in Clearwater. After the service a repast was held at Leo's Italian Grill.





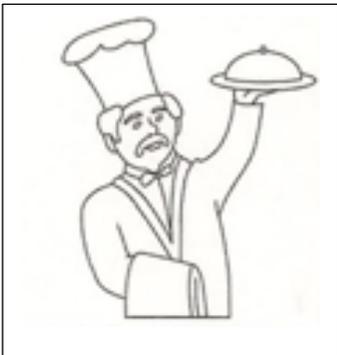
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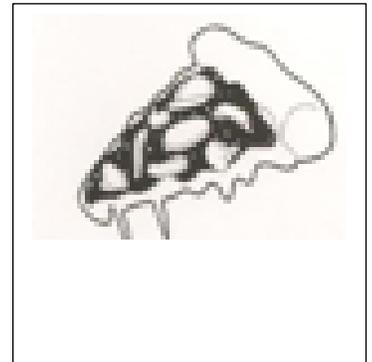
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