

Knights donate toys to Kids

November - December, 2009

Many lodges in the New York Order (Grand Lodge) of Knights of Pythias distribute toys each holiday season at various hospital. Profiled below are two recent examples.

Knights donate toys to psychiatric center

The Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan Habibi Temple 72 donated toys to the Rockland Children's Psychiatric Center in Orangeburg.

The members of the club selected Harvey Rosenshein and Fred Peltz to head a committee to purchase toys and supplies for the Rockland Children's Psychiatric Center after learning of their holiday needs from an article printed in The Journal News. Toys were purchased with funds collected from membership dues and other fundraising activities.



On December 17, 2009, Rosenshein and Peltz delivered the toys along with club members Morty Hirsh, Roger Siegel, Mike Sukenick and Bruce Sicherman (Pictured above).

Delivering Toys at Winthrop Hospital

Representatives from the Knights of Pythias delivered toys at Winthrop Hospital from the Dixie Fund on Thanksgiving morning, November 26, 2009. Esquire Good Fellowship Lodge created and supports the Dixie Fund specifically to purchase or receive donations of toys to present to children at hospitals throughout the New York metropolitan area. Pictured left to right are Past Deputy Grand Chancellor Ed Goldsmith from Esquire Good Fellowship Lodge, Harmony Lodge Chancellor Commander Joe Sherman, Grand Chancellor Jerry Bernzweig and Jerry's grandson.

