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MEETINGS ARE HELD 2ND & 4TH FRIDAYS OF EACH MONTH (EXCEPT AS NOTED) AT OUR CASTLE HALL:
 AOH HALL, 2750 GERRITSEN AVENUE, BETWEEN FLORENCE AND EVERETT AVENUES, BROOKLYN, NY 11229

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS TAKE PLACE PRIOR TO REGULAR MEETING AS SCHEDULED.

WATCH THE BEAM FOR DETAILS

Next Meetings:

Fri., May 13, 8:00 p.m.
 Knight of the Shield
 (Closed) @ AOH
 See page 3

Fri., May 27, 7:30 p.m.
 Movie & Dinner Night
 (Open) @ AOH
 (See page 3)

Fri., June 10, 8:00 p.m.
 Installation of Officers &
 Charitable Awards
 (Open) @ AOH

Fri., June 24, 8:00 p.m.
 End of Season Dinner
 @ AOH (TBD)

Book of Remembrance
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Help the Order & FDR grow.
 Sign up a member today. See page 5.

Read the Beam on line FDR's Website at:

<http://fdrlodge613knightsopythias.com/Resources/bulletins.php>

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In Case of Death, Call:

PACDGC Lewis Smith, c/o Boulevard
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**Deadline for Next Beam
May 13**

We Mourn The Loss of

Lawrence Friedman (11-23-21)

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Help Grand Lodge Spread the Pythian Word

When you have an item of interest for Grand Lodge's
website -- <http://>

knightsopythiasnewyorkgrandlodge.com or
www.kopny.com, please send your information and/or
pictures to webmaster CGTrib Corey Bearak at
Bearak@me.com. ALSO, check out the "All Events
Calendar" on the Grand Lodge website.

A Word from Our

Chancellor Commander

My Pythian Brothers:

April was eventful. Were you among the many members, spouses and fellow Pythians who attended Swords of Defense presentations by Rex Lodge to the Grand Chancellor and his predecessor and presentations by Pelham University Broherhood Co-op City and Ramapo Lodges of the Ladies of the Knight to their wives - all hosted by our FDR Lodge April 8. We held our 2nd Nominations and Elections April 22 followed by delightful Passover desserts curated by Ira Spiegel and Craig Shink; congratulations to our my fellow re-elected officers, new trustee Stanley Sherman and Grand Lodge Rep (for 2023) Bobby Kaufman. See page 3 for more about our May 13 special "Knight of the Shield" arranged by Warren Nadel, the movie and dinner Craig Shink is putting together for May 27 and our Tuesday, July 26 night at Citi Field for a Mets-Yankees game to our support our Foundation (Corey Bearak has our tickets.). On Page 5, learn how you can support our Book of Remembrance. Contact Craig Shink for your Diabetes Calendars.

Fraternally Yours,

PC Dr. Howard Lax

Grand Lodge is on



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Can't Miss Event:**

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[http://
fdrlodge613knightsopythias.com/](http://fdrlodge613knightsopythias.com/)

"Knight of the Shield"

FDR Lodge #613

Cordially Invites You to a Closed Meeting Where FDR Will Present
Shields

To

GC Harvey Rosenshein & PSC Randy Silverman
& Special Award to PGC/GT Don Rosenberg

Friday, May 13, 8:00 p.m.

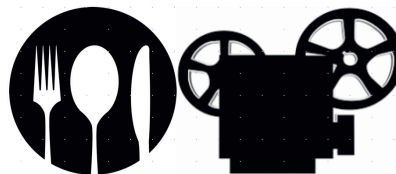
at AOH, 2750 Gerritsen Ave., bet. Florence & Everett Aves., Brooklyn, NY 11229 -- Collation to Follow

RSVP CGTrib Corey Bearak at Bearak@me.com

FDR Lodge's Movie Night for
Members & Spouse/Significant Other
Friday, May 27

at our new Castle Hall.

Movie to be announced
preceded by Italian dinner
followed by desert.



FDR LODGE DINNER & MOVIE NIGHT

I will attend on Friday May 27 _____

Name(s)

Phone:

Please RSVP to SOG Craig Shink at
CraigShink@gmail.com no later than April 8.
Questions? Please call Craig at (347) 351-3251



Join FDR to see the

Mets v. Yankees @ Citi Field
Tuesday, July 26, 2022, 7:00 p.m.



to support Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

80pp FDR Members; \$115pp non-members for

Net proceeds benefit the Foundation. Reserve now with \$25 per ticket payable to "Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation." Balance due April.

Mail hold your seat reservations to CGTrib Corey Bearak, PO Box 135, Glen Oaks, NY 11004
For More information CGTrib Corey Bearak at (718) 343-6779 or Bearak@me.com.

Happy Anniversary

21: Sheldon & Ellen Krumholtz
30: Jeffrey & Helaine Goodhartz.

Happy Birthday

1: Arthur Mitnick; 2: Carol Joseph & Felice Nadel;
3: Karen Bernstein & Morris Rubinfeld; 4: Rose Smith;
7: Alan Rosenfeld; 9: Elaine Davidson; 26: Allen Goldberg;
27: Rhonda Geenberg; and 31: Nancy Steinberg.

The Beam editor asks all brothers and widows who have not shared their birthdays and anniversary dates (we now milestone so you might wish to share the year) to please send or email their information to CGTrib Corey Bearak, P.O. Box 135, Glen Oaks, NY 11004 or email: Bearak@me.com. Also make sure we have your up-to-date telephone numbers and emails. Please use the form below.

Please Print:

Members Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Wifes Name: _____ Wifes Birth Date: _____

Anniversary Date: _____ Telephone No: (____) ____ - ____ Email _____

Don't wait for Your copy of The Beam. Review our Lodge website calendar for our upcoming events at: <http://fdrlodge613knightsofpythias.com/Events/>

Grand Lodge Membership Committee (Open to any Pythian) Thursday, May 5, 7:30 p.m.

at Grand Lodge, 71 South Central Ave., Suite PH1, Valley Stream, NY 11580
Please bring your ideas and they will be discussed in an open and friendly atmosphere. Please RSVP (& direct any questions) to committee chairs GMA Errol Lewis el719@aol.com or CDGC Dr. Alan Rosenfeld alanrosenfeld@verizon.net.

Provide your email address to get e-notices of events, meetings, & the "e-version" of The Beam.
Send your email to Bearak@me.com

Bayview Nemo Benevolent Assoc. news

Family Plots Available

Buy a Family Plot and provide for your family members who are unaffiliated with FDR Lodge and save \$\$\$\$\$. We have plots available in Beth Moses and Beth Israel cemeteries. For more info contact: PDGC Lewis J. Smith, 1700 Coney Island Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11210, or call (718) 633-0400

Bayview-Nemo Benevolent Assoc.

A deceased member in good standing and his spouse are each entitled to a grave in one of our cemeteries. The family receives \$750 for the member and \$500 for the spouse after the monument is erected or engraved. If the member or spouse was not buried in a Bayview-Nemo deeded property, the benefits will go to the family upon receipt of a death certificate. A widow remains in good standing by making a one-time payment of \$100.

Grave reservations are \$200 for a surviving spouse at the time of need. A couple can reserve a pair of graves in advance for \$400. The families of all internments pay a cemetery fee of \$50.

For further information on our Benevolent Association benefits please email our Cemetery Chairman, Lewis Smith, at SMITTYLJS@VERIZON.NET. If immediate information is required, call him at (718) 633-0400.

Help Your Lodge Grow and Remain vital. Brothers, we provide exciting events and meaningful meetings and raise considerable sums for our charities. All this and the benefits of membership. You know the deal. Spread the word. Bring a friend, a family member or co-worker. A Three-in-One Rank makes joining virtually painless. Get your prospective members (names and contact information) to SOG Craig Shink (347) 351-3251. Use Application in the March Beam, on our website or ask our Lodge Secretary for one.

Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

of FDR Lodge 613

2022 Book of Remembrance

Dear FDR Lodge members and friends,

We welcome the Third Annual Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation Memorial Publication.

The Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation will print its Fourth Annual "Book of Remembrance" to provide a meaningful and solemn opportunity for you to memorialize your beloved family members, loved ones and special friends. For those of you who cannot get to services during the holidays, you will be able to use this FDR publication at home to recite the Yizkor payers. The Book of Remembrance is one of the traditions that we can be proud of. FDR will mail a copy of each Book of Remembrance to all those who participate in this special charitable endeavor.

As we approach the Spring and summer, we recognize the High Holy Days will be upon us soon.

Our faith and heritage encourages us to perpetuate the memories of loved ones by giving charity during the High Holy Days.

Your donation to Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation will help us continue to support our charitable goals. As most of you are aware, your contributions are tax deductible.

Please complete the form below to include the names of all those you wish to memorialize. Please make all checks payable to "Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation".

Sincerely,

PC Ira Spiegel
President
Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

PCDSC Robert Kaufman
Chair
Book of Remembrance Committee

Please note the printer's deadline is August 15, 2022.

The minimum donation is \$10 per name. Please send your check payable to:
"Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation" to: Ira Spiegel KoP, 1419 E. 101st St., Bklyn, NY 11236
In Memory of:

Total Donation \$ _____ Donor's name(s) _____

FDR Calendar for 2022 - Clip & Save it

All meetings are Fridays except where otherwise noted

- ▶ Fri., May 13, 8:00 p.m. FDR presents Shields to GC Harvey Rosenshein, PGC Randy Silverman, & PGC/GT Don Rosenberg at (Closed) AOH
- ▶ Fri., May 27, Dinner & Movie Night (OPEN) at AOH. (See Page 3)
- ▶ Fri., June 10, 8:00 p.m. Installation of Officers Charities and Scholarship Awards (OPEN) at AOH
- ▶ Fri., June 24 Year End Dinner, time/location TBD
- ▶ Planning Meeting & CC Appreciation TBD

- ▶ Sun., June 26, 1:00 p.m. Grand Chancellor's Dinner at @ Temple Avodah, FDR cost: \$115/couple
- ▶ Wed.-Thu., July 13-14, Grand Convention, Crowne Plaza Suffern-Mahwah, NY
- ▶ Tue., July 26, 7:10 p.m. Mets v. Yanks at Citi Field to support Foundation. \$115pp - FDR members \$80pp, RSVP & for info, contact Corey Bearak (718) 343-6779 or Bearak@me.com.

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias Domain of New York

Cordially invites you to attend

A Testimonial Dinner

In honor of

*Hon. Grand Chancellor
Harvey Rosenshein*

Sunday, June 26, 1:00 p.m.

*at Temple Avodah
3050 Oceanside Road
Oceanside, NY 11572*

*if you want to attend
RSVP -- by May 27 --
to SOG Craig Shink
347-351-3251.*

\$115 per FDR Member couples
\$57.50 per FDR member
\$115pp non-members
Black Tie Optional
Proper Dress Attire

Avoid a Conflict that Makes You Miss a Can't Miss Event: view updates on our website calendar: <http://fdrlodge613knightsopythias.com/Events/>

Support Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

Contribute \$5.00 or more in someone's honor (birthday, anniversary, graduation, other occasion) or memory to include your special message in The Beam.

Mail check payable to "Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation" to: PACDGC Lewis Smith, c/o Boulevard-Riverside, 1700 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn NY 11230.

Important Message from FDR Financial Secretary PC Dean Mamet:

Any member who has not yet paid their dues for the 2021-2022 Pythian year is subject to suspension.

By now these members should have known that they have to pay dues annually, whether they received a notice or not.

No excuses.

Please see list below.

2022 Diabetes Calendars available.

Calendars are good for entire year. Cost per Calendar is \$20 for the entire year. To purchase a Calendar, please send \$20 for each Calendar you wish to purchase with a check payable to: "KoP Diabetes Research Assn." and mail it to: SOG Craig Shink, 1 Willow Place, Great Neck, NY 11021

If any questions or need information, please call SOG Craig Shink, President of the Knights of Pythias Diabetes Research Association at (347) 351-3251.

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