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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

## Fri., June 23, 8:00 p.m. Installation of Officers for 2023-24 Scholarships & Charitable Awards @ our AOH Castle Hall (open) Collation to follow - see page 3

#### **Remember Your Loved Ones**

In time for the High Holy Days FDR Lodge 613 continues the Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

#### Book of Remembrance

#### Sun., Aug 23, 2:00 p.m. Brooklyn Cyclones Baseball @ Maimonides Park

[See Chancellow Commander's Message for details, including how to RSVP & event confirmation.]

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http://fdrlodge613knightsofpythias.com/Resources/bulletins.php

#### FDR Lodge #613 Officers for 2022-2023

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SIG Craig Shink (347) 351-3251;

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In Case of Death, Call:

PACDGC Lewis Smith, c/o Boulevard Riverside, 1700 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11230 (718) 633-0400

Deadline for Next Beam August 18

#### We Mourn The Loss of

Irving Prager (4-19-23)

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#### Help Grand Lodge Spread the Pythian Word

When you have an item of interest for Grand Lodge's website --

http://knightsofpythiasnewyorkgrandlodge.com or www.kopny.com.

ALSO, check out the "All Events Calendar" on the Grand Lodge website.

#### A Word from Our

#### Chancellor Commander

My Pythian Brothers:

Thank you to PADGC Warren Nadel for organizing our Friday, May 12 Knight of the Shield -- please see article on next page. Do join us for our Friday, June 23 (revised date) Installation Officers of and announcement of Scholarship Charitable Awards, also at AOH. Wednesday, June 14 outing to Citi Field to see the Mets and Yankees Square off and benefit our foundation was SOLD OUT! Thank you event organizer CGTrib Corey Bearak. We are attending a Sunday, August 20, 2:00 p.m. outing to see Mets "High A" farm team Brooklyn Cyclones; limited tickets are available. \$10/ member & guest (after FDR subsidy); \$18pp nonmembers; email Bearak@me.com if interested.

Please support our annual Book of Remembrance to remember your dearly departed loved ones and benefit our foundation; see page 4 for details.

FDR plans an end of summer BBQ --Aug. or Sept. Saturday date TBA. Please contact me (917) 207-3600 eves or via email, i4nsic@aol.com, if you'd like to attend.

Please read the Beam and look at our website for upcoming and/or new programs.

Fraternally Yours,

PC Ira Spiegel

View Grand Lodge on Facebook at: https://www.facebook.com/ KnightsofPythiasNewYorkGrandLod

#### Avoid a Conflict that Makes You Miss a Can't Miss Event:

view updates on our website calendar: <a href="http://">http://</a>

fdrlodge613knightsofpythias.com/

#### FDR Lodge #613

Cordially Invites You to Attend an Open Meeting Where FDR Will Present

Donations to its Charities & Scholarships (Through its Foundation) &

Install its Officers for 2023-2024

Friday, June 23, 8:00 p.m. (OPEN)

AOH, 2750 Gerritsen Avenue, Brooklyn NY

#### FDR Lodge #613 "Shields" Grand Chancellor



FDR Lodge 613 held its 16th Annual Knight of the Shield Grand Chancellor honor night – Friday, May 12, 2023 at its AOH Castle Hall. [Past Grand Chancellors flank current one with their shields: (Left to Right) Past Grand Chancellor Harvey Rosenshein, Past Deputy Supreme Chancellor Sir Roger Siegel, Supreme Inner Guard Craig Shink, honoree Grand Chancellor Sir Charles Pakula, Past Chief Deputy Supreme Chancellor Robert Kaufman, Past Deputy Supreme Chancellor Sir Michael Sukenick.]

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 is not buried in a Bayview-Nemo deeded property, the benefits goes 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 ourBenevolent Association benefits please email our Cemetery Chairman, PACDGC Lewis Smith, at smittyljs@verizon.net. If immediate info is required, call Lewis at (718) 633-0400.

#### **Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation**

of FDR Lodge 613

#### 2023 Book of Remembrance

Dear FDR Lodge members and friends,

We welcome the Fourth 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 use 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 PCDSC Robert Kaufman

President Chair

Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation Book of Remembrance Committee

Please note the printer's deadline is August 15, 2023.

The minimum donation is \$10 per name.

"Kings FDR Tolerance	Please send your check payable to: Foundation" to: Ira Spiegel KoP, 1419 E. 101st St., Bklyn, NY 11236
In Memory of:	
Total Donation \$	Donor's name(s)

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 SIG Craig Shink (347) 351-3251). Use Application below, on our website or ask our Lodge Secretary for one.

#### **Knights of Pythias**

#### To: Franklin Delano Roosevelt Lodge No. 613, Knights of Pythias, of Domain of New York I respectfully apply for membership in your lodge by INITIATION

I declare upon honor that I	believe in a Supreme Being, that I am not unl	awfully engaged in the w	holesale or retail sale of intoxicatin	ng liquors or narcotics and that
I believe in the maintenance	e f order and the upholding of constituted auth	hority in the government i	n which I live. Moreover, I declare	e upon honor that I do not
advocate nor am I am men	aber of any organization that advocates the over	erthrow of the Governmen	ıt of the Country in which this Orde	er has a legal existence, by
force of violence or other i	ınlawful means, and that I do not seek by force	e or violence to deny to ot	her persons their rights under the l	aw of such country.
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Written and signe	d by my own hand this	_ day of	201	
1) Do you believe in the	existence of a Supreme Being?	2) Are you	of sound bodily health?	
3) Have your previously	applied for the membership in the order	of KNIGHTS of PYTH	IAS? If so, when and where?	
4) Are you willing to tak	e upon yourself a solemn obligation to k	eep forever secret all t	hat you may hear, see or be inst	tructed in - an obligation
that will in no way conf	lict with your conscience?			
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	of the above application, certify		_	ecessary
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#### 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.

#### FDR Calendar for 2023 - Clip & Save it All meetings are Fridays except where otherwise noted ► Tue., or Wed. June 14, 7:10 p.m. Mets v Yanks at 2023 ► Wed-Thu, July 19-20, 8am-6pm Grand Convention Citifield to support Foundation. SOLDOUT. ► Sun.-Wed, July 30 - Aug, 2, 2023 Imperial DOKK ► Fri., June 23, 8:00 p.m. Installation of Officers, Convention at Crowne Plaza Suffern-Mahwah, For Charities & Scholarship Awards (OPEN) @ AOH. further details contact Imperial Prince Roger Siegel. ► Sun., June 25, 12:00 noon. Grand Chancellor's ► Sun., Aug 20, 2:00 p.m. BK Cyclones Baseball Dinner at @ Temple Avodah. 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: PACDGC Lewis J. Smith, 1700 Coney Island Avenue, Brooklyn, NY

#### 11210, or call (718) 633-0400 Happy Anniversary Happy Birthday 2: Murray & Theresa Klein; **JUNE** 4: Kevin & Bela Post 1: Ira Kleinburd; 6: Melvin & Judith Barenkopf; 2: Lee Liebowitz; 4: Marsha Kleinburd; J 13: Ira & Jeannie Schoulder: 9: Sybil Epstein; 14: Louise Gold; 15: Marlene Canarutto; U 15: Robert & Renae Kaufman: 16: Ken Rappaport; 17: Morris Gewirtz: 20: Starr Siegel; N 17: Allan & Rhonda Greenberg; 21: Helaine Goodhartz; 22: Paul Joseph; 27: Michelle Е 19: Steven & Bernice Pelman#1; Rothstein. 20: Michael & Marcia Krug; 23: Roger & Starr Siegel JULY 27: Lewis & Rose Smith. 7: Judith Barenkopf; 11: Jenny Palatnik; 20: Warren Nadel & Annette Schoen; 28: Bernice Pelman. JULY 4: Alan & Jill Rosenfeld 11: Raul & Jenny Palatnick; **AUGUST** Α 2: Edmund Singer: 16: Linda Klein Fingerman; U 20: Arnold & Marlene Belkin; 17: Noel Netel; 22: Charles Kobrin; G 27: Charlie & Helaine Kobrin; 24: Allan Greenberg & Barbara Klasewitz; U 29: Ted & Heidi Pashko; 25: Irene Hochfeld; S 31: Ronald & Sybil Epstein. 29: Robert Klide.

now milestone so you might wish to share the year) to please send or email their information 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.				
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