



NEW JERSEY LAW ENFORCEMENT POLICE OFFICERS BROTHERHOOD

ANNUAL COCKTAIL RECEPTION AND CIGAR SMOKEOUT...



was held on Friday, MAY 21st 2021 at the Worlds End Farm Estate in Little Falls NJ to help raise funds for officers and their families during their time of need or crisis. Portions of the proceeds were distributed among the following causes:

BLUE MASS

The Police Officer's Brotherhood has been a staunch supporter of the Newark Blue Mass over the years. We have given generous donation to officers and their families in need at the luncheon ceremonies provided by the Blue Mass Committee for those recipients and officers in attendance held after the mass at the skating rink. The POB commends the efforts of the committee and all that they do to hold such a heartfelt remembrance of those officers who made the ultimate sacrifice protecting and serving the State of New Jersey. We thank all of them for their dedication and commitment to have the Blue Mass in honor of the men and woman in blue who gave their lives in the line of duty.

BLUE SUICIDE

An epidemic that is increasingly growing across the nation and we thank **The Blue Magazine** for bring this issue to the forefront. The Blue Magazine along with the **Moment of Silence** are holding periodic meetings throughout New Jersey to discuss what we can do to help our brother and sister officers struggling with this pressing issue. The Police Officer's Brotherhood is committed to helping and putting together its program called **"No One Stands Alone"** to help officers deal with this epidemic to hopefully save lives. We have an obligation to be our brothers and sisters in blue, keeper!

BLUE AUTISM & SPECIAL NEEDS

The Police Officers Brotherhood is committed to helping children participate in programs that develop positive self-esteem and learn skills to help them lead healthy, successful lives to reach their full potential. We support such programs and services by raise funds through our many fundraising events such as this event which helps the families of officer during their time of need!

Trooper Castellano lost his life in the line of duty when he was struck by a passing vehicle on June 6, 2010. His mother, Donna Setaro, is campaigning for more highway signs & lecturing throughout the USA to bring public awareness to the **Move Over Law**, which safeguards first responders on highways.



Benefit M.A.R.C Program

Marc K. Castellano Made the Ultimate Sacrifice

Date of Birth: 7-15-1980

End of Watch: 6-6-2010

Tour: 6 years Age: 29 yrs old



Donna Setaro



We are our Brothers And Sisters Keeper!

The Police Officer's Brotherhood through its programs, services and fundraising efforts has donated over **\$185,000** to law enforcement officers and their

families during their time of need or crises regardless of their union affiliation, titles and agency they work for in order to form a band of brothers. We help support State, County and Federal law enforcement officers such as State Troopers, State Parole Officers, State and County Correction Officers, Sheriff's Officers, Municipal & County Police Officers. During these horrific times officers are being assassinated for just doing their jobs and wearing a uniform and their ultimate sacrifices serving & protecting shall not be in vain. It's time to unite and stand shoulder to shoulder with one another because

Together we will make the thin blue line stronger!

BACK THE BLUE!



Law Enforcement Award: Public Safety Director
Bloomfield, New Jersey
Samuel A. DeMaio



Labor Leader Award: Business Manager
NJ Building Laborers Local 3
Paul Roldan



Business Owner Award: Owner/President
Direct Waste Services
John Gunnello



Legislative Support Award: Senator
(Conference leader)
Kristin M. Corrado (R)

The Brotherhood held its Spring fundraiser welcoming supporters, sponsors, family members, friends, honorees law enforcement colleagues, and members of the business community throughout the State. The guests attending were met by Bloomfield's Finest of the Motorcycle Squad. Those attending came from several trade labor unions and police groups STFA, Fop's, PBA's, SOA's, several dignitaries and corporate CEO's to raise funds for officers and their families during their time of need or crises. The event was sponsored by **LiUNA, NJ Building Laborers Union Local 3, Jimenez Cigar Lounge, and The Worlds End Farm**. The event was coordinated by **Jerry Conan, Director of Communications** for the NJLEPOB. The Master of Ceremonies was the POB Ambassador **Michael Sica Jr. Past President and Delegate of PBA local 199**.

Those attending engaged in good conversation, food, drinks, music and nice hand rolled cigars while networking with one another in a relaxing country club setting. The pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence was held for those in the military and law enforcement officer who made the ultimate sacrifice serving and protecting our country.

Michael welcomed those in attendance Police Officers Brotherhood's charitable endeavors and accomplishments helping officers and their families in their time of need and honoring those who made the ultimate sacrifices could not be done without all of you! There was a short program regarding the following honorees. **Law Enforcement Lifetime Achievement Award:** Bloomfield Public Safety Director **Samuel A. DeMaio, Labor Leader Award:** Business Manager, **Paul Roldan** LiUNA North Jersey local 3, **Business Owner Award:** Direct Waste Services **John Gunnello** and **Legislative Support Award: Senator Kristin M. Corrado** for thier contributions, donations helping, supporting and working with the law enforcement community as well as the legislature. The Honoree's humbly accepted their special recognition and commended the POB for its continued commitment in helping officers and their families during their time of need or crises regardless if the officers are members of the POB. A special thank you and recognition was given to **Nelda Pozo-jimenez** from **Jimenez Cigars** for their donation, sponsoring and supplying the cigars for this event. The Jimenez family has committed and supported the POB from the very begining of our formation. They saw first hand the positive impact the brotherhood has had on officers and their families in need and those officers killed in the line of duty.

It's time to bring back the true meaning of "The Brotherhood"

Donna Setaro's countless hours educating the public about the Move Over Law through the M.A.R.C. Program has prompted Assemblyman Eric Houghtaling and Assemblywoman Joann Downey to sponsor legislation (A-3890) which was passed and sign into law by Governor Murphy. The law allows for points and additional fines for violators. Donna presented them with Blue Line Flag Clocks for all their help to the cause



Michael Sica explained The POB is an independent non-profit Law Enforcement Organization formed to bring together the frontline law enforcement officer and the civilian community together forming an alliance to help all officers, their families and the victims of crime. The POB is governed by active and

retired/former Law Enforcement Officers throughout the State. The POB is not a labor union (Collective Bargaining Unit) or lobbying group and does not compete with the PBA, FOP, SOA or STFA. Our purpose is to unite law enforcement officers throughout the United States and give donations to all law enforcement officers regardless of their Union affiliation to bring back the true meaning of "the brotherhood". The POB has helped raise and donated over **\$185,000** to law enforcement causes. For further information or if you're interested in becoming a member, making a donation or want to become a sponsor for the POB go to our website www.NJLEPOB.com or call **1-866-965-5372**



"Together we can make the thin blue line stronger"