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Message from the President... William A. Bourguignon



It's great to see summer finally upon us and to know that we can all begin enjoying some well-deserved time with our families in the nice weather.

I'd like to start by congratulating all of our newly promoted First Grade Detectives. We are currently at 36 First Graders; a direct result of the strong working relationship I have built with County Executive Blakeman and his willingness to work with us in addressing issues that impact the Detective Division. I also want to personally thank County Executive Blakeman for being a man of his word and for his continued support of our members. I want to thank Commissioner Ryder as well for his accessibility, for always taking my calls and meetings, and for consistently doing what's right for our members.

As many of you know, we will be out of contract on June 30, 2026. I want to assure each and every one of you that we are committed to securing a

contract that truly reflects the work you do every single day. You have my word, we will get that done.

I also want to take a moment to thank my entire Executive Board for the hard work they put in every single day representing our Detectives. Their dedication, professionalism, and commitment to the DAI does not go unnoticed, and I am proud to serve alongside them!

Our home golf outing was a great success. Thank you to our board, delegates, and especially our outing Chairman, Trustee Tom Roche, for a job well done. The 74th Annual DAI Picnic is also in the books, and once again it was an outstanding event. A special thank you to Trustee Sean Keeffe for his leadership in making the picnic another tremendous success, along with our board and trustees. I would also like to recognize our office manager, Nicole Jordan, who is truly the glue that holds all of our events together. Thank you, Nicole, for everything you do.

Our board was also proud to represent the DAI at both the New York State Police Memorial and the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial in Washington, D.C. These events are powerful reminders of the sacrifices made by our fallen brothers and sisters. We stood united in honoring their legacy and ensuring their service is never forgotten. I am proud of how our board represented the DAI and its members. We also pause to acknowledge the passing of retired Second Deputy Commissioner of Police, John G. Kennedy, who passed due to health complications from his time spent in lower Manhattan during the 9/11 rescue and recovery

mission. May he rest in peace, and may his family find comfort during this difficult time.

I want to recognize the hard work of our First Vice President, Chris Kelly, who continues to represent us in Albany. Chris has been fighting tirelessly alongside other law enforcement unions throughout NY State and the Police Conference of New York to secure meaningful improvements to Tier 5 and Tier 6. His dedication requires many nights away from his family, working to both stop anti-police legislation and advance policies that support our profession. Thank you, Chris, for your commitment.

Before we know it, September will be here. Be on the lookout for details regarding our away Montauk Golf Outing in September, and be sure to secure your foursome early. Last year's inaugural event was a great success, and we are looking forward to making it even better this year.

Lastly, I want to reiterate something that I've said before: please do not listen to rumors regarding the contract or any other matters involving the DAI. This board is accessible, our doors are always open, and we are always available by phone to answer questions or address concerns.

Stay safe, and continue to look out for one another, not just on the streets, but in your day-to-day lives. We all face challenges, and it's important that we support each other through them. At the end of the day, we are all we have—but more importantly, we are all we need when we stand together and support each other.

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1st Vice President...

Christopher G. Kelly



Hello all, hope you and your families are happy and healthy. Summer is here have fun and be safe.

As another legislative session ends in Albany, I am proud to report that this year was progress and meaningful victories for law enforcement professionals across New York State. While we celebrate these accomplishments, we also recognize that our work is never finished. The grind never stops. Every gain we make is the result of years of advocacy, relationship-building, and the collective efforts of PCNY who refuses to stop fighting for those who wear the badge.

Congratulations to all of our newly promoted First Grade Detectives. This achievement reflects your hard work, dedication, professionalism, and commitment to excellence in law enforcement. Your promotion is a well-earned recognition. On behalf of the Nassau County Detectives' Association, we commend you on this significant milestone and wish you continued success in your careers.

Before reflecting on this year's legislative successes, I would like to take a moment to remember John Kennedy, a great man whose

passing is deeply felt by all who knew him. His dedication, character, and commitment to others and this job left a lasting impact on our community and the law enforcement family. We honor his memory and extend our heartfelt condolences to his family, friends, and colleagues.

I would also like to recognize the solemn importance of the police memorials in Albany and Washington, D.C. These memorials important tributes to the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their communities. They remind us of the courage, dedication, and selflessness that define our profession and ensure that the fallen are never forgotten.

As the PAC person for the Nassau County Detectives' Association, I have had the privilege of working alongside some of the most respected advocates in the labor and law enforcement community. I would like to personally thank my mentors and friends from the Police Conference of New York (PCNY), including Jeff Gross, Mike O'Meara, Pete Patterson, Bing Markee, and the entire legislative committee that spends countless hours walking the halls of the Capitol, meeting with legislators, educating policymakers, and ensuring that our voices are heard. Their knowledge, experience, and commitment have helped move important legislation forward and continue to make a difference for law enforcement officers throughout New York.

This year's session produced several significant wins for our members. Most notably, long-overdue Tier 5 and Tier 6 pension reforms were finally advanced. These improvements will provide meaningful financial relief and retirement security for thousands of public employees and law enforcement professionals. The reduction in pension contribution rates for many members represents a major step toward correcting inequities that have burdened Tier 5

and Tier 6 employees for years.

Additionally, the increase in pensionable overtime limits provides a more accurate reflection of the realities of modern policing. For Police and Fire Retirement System members, the pensionable overtime cap was increased from 15% to 25%.

Other important accomplishments included continued progress on issues affecting recruitment and retention, improvements to retirement security, support for military veterans, and efforts to restore fairness and balance to laws that directly impact public safety professionals.

While not every legislative priority crossed the finish line this session, significant momentum was built on several key initiatives that remain top priorities for law enforcement. The relationships established and strengthened this year will continue to serve us well as we prepare for next year's session.

None of these accomplishments happen by accident. They happen because union leaders, PAC representatives, active members, and our statewide partners remain engaged. Whether attending meetings, participating in advocacy days, contributing to PAC efforts, or simply taking the time to contact elected officials, every member plays a role in our success.

As we look ahead, the Nassau County Detectives' Association remains committed to fighting for fair pensions, competitive benefits, workplace protections, and legislation that supports both public safety and the dedicated professionals who provide it.

Thank you to our members for your continued support. We celebrate the victories of today while preparing for the challenges of tomorrow.

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As we head into the summer months, I wanted to take a moment to reflect on some recent events, accomplishments, and issues that are important to our membership.

Our annual Home Golf outing at Hempstead Country Club was a tremendous success once again. Year after year, this event provides an opportunity for our members to come together outside of work to enjoy a great day with friends and colleagues. Thank you to everyone who participated and helped make the outing another memorable one.

I would like to also congratulate all of our members who were recently designated to First Grade. This achievement represents all of your hard work and dedication. It is well earned.

The month of May was marked by remembrance and reflection. Members attended the NY State Police Memorial Ceremony in Albany as well as the National Police Week in Washington, D.C. This year, the SOA successfully honored Lt. William Krupa by having his name added to the Memorial Wall both on the State Level

and Nationally. I had the privilege of working directly for Lt. Krupa during my career and cannot say enough about the man he was. He was a respected leader, true professional, and someone who genuinely cared about the people he supervised. Those of us who had the opportunity to work with him were fortunate. It was moving to see his service and sacrifice recognized and his memory will continue to live on through those lives he touched.

We also mourned the loss of former Second Deputy Commissioner and DAI First Vice President John G. Kennedy. His funeral was attended by a large number of members of the department which speaks to the respect he earned throughout his distinguished career and life. May he rest in peace.

On the legislative front, we saw meaningful progress in Albany regarding Tier 5/6 pension reform. Much of the success is attributable to the tireless efforts of our First VP Chris Kelly who continues to spend countless hours advocating on behalf of our membership and retirees. I would also like to recognize the invaluable work of the Police Conference of New York (PCNY), whose leadership and persistent advocacy were instrumental in helping move these reforms through the legislative process.

In my role as 2nd VP, I continue to assist members with disciplinary matters, sick leave concerns, MAO reviews, and contract related issues. Much of this work occurs behind the scenes, but it remains one of the most important functions of our association.

Recently, we have seen an increase in issues involving MAO and Police Surgeon

determinations. Members who are out sick should make sure they get and keep all relevant medical documentation, adhere to the Department sick leave policy, and remain mindful that MAO home visits are possible. If you are directed to appear before MAO, pay attention to the details of your visit and notify a delegate with any concerns as soon as possible. Please keep in mind, anyone who has a documented line of duty status injury, whether full duty, restricted or out. Triad investigators are still actively monitoring members. Please be guided by your workers comp attorney as well as any restrictions your doctor has given you.

I encourage members who are contacted by IAU to notify a delegate immediately. Preparation is critical. Know your reports, review your paperwork, and treat every interview with the same level of professionalism and preparation that you would bring to the courtroom. The most important thing is to protect yourself, stay prepared, and keep your delegates informed. Early communication often allows us to provide the best possible assistance and representation.

To our newly promoted and assigned Detectives, welcome. If you have any questions about the association, your benefits, contractual rights or simply want to introduce yourself, please stop by the office. Our door is always open.

As we enter the summer months, I ask everyone to remain vigilant and look out for one another. The work we do can both be demanding and unpredictable. Watch each other's backs, stay safe both on and off duty and never hesitate to reach out when a fellow member needs assistance.

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Treasurer

Eric E. Sperling



Hello everyone, Goodbye Spring and welcome Summer!!!

The contract is soon to expire, and your Board is ready to get our Division what we all deserve. Each one of us is working tirelessly every day to make our lives better as we move forward together. Remember, rumors are what they are—rumors! If you don't see a President's message regarding contract negotiations, hear it at an open meeting, or receive it directly from one of the Board members, I wouldn't bother entertaining it.

I want to congratulate all of our members who received the 1st Grade designation. It's great to

see your hard work and dedication rewarded.

We recently completed our Police Memorial observances in Albany, Washington, D.C., and here in Nassau County. It is always an honor for me to stand for the fallen, and I hope all the families throughout the country see that our Brothers and Sisters in Blue never forget our fallen. May God bless them all.

We recently held our Home Golf Outing, and it was another huge success. Thank you to everyone who attended—first and foremost, our members; our loyal sponsors, who always assist us in making our events great; and the Golf Committee, led by our Trustee Tom Roche. You and your team did a great job.

Our picnic is upon us. It will be held on June 11th at Wantagh Park, and I know Trustee Sean Keefe and his team will make it as successful and enjoyable as they always do. There is a lot of work that goes into this event, and we do it to give back to all of you. I hope you all come down, bring your family and friends, and enjoy a great day of good food, good company, and the opportunity to catch up with old friends and co-workers.

Chris Kelly and I recently attended AFD's Golf Outing. It was wonderful seeing all the retired guys, my friends, the legacies, and my father's

friends, whom I've known since I was a little kid, and hearing all of their stories.

Information regarding our NCPD DAI Away Golf Outing will be sent out shortly. The 2nd Annual Montauk Outing will take place September 28–30. It's a great time, and I hope to see everyone who attended last year. We also welcome all new attendees—you will not be disappointed.

We recently lost a Nassau County legend. Retired Commissioner and former NCPD DAI 1st Vice President John Kennedy passed away. Rest in peace. I would also like to extend my condolences to all of our members who have lost a family member. May they all rest in peace. On a very personal note, I would like to remind any of you who are going through a tough time or feel alone in a dark place that you are not alone. Call me. Call any of us. Always. My dear friend of 30 years and former NYPD co-worker, Suffolk County Lieutenant Richard Grice, took his own life. May he rest in peace, and may God watch over his family.

Sadly, there have been 45 line-of-duty deaths in our country this year. Please watch your backs and the backs of our Brothers and Sisters in Blue. Keep up the hard work! It does not go unnoticed. My phone is always on if anyone ever needs anything.

Recording Secretary

Vincent Chiarelli



I had the privilege of attending both the Albany and Washington, D.C. Police Memorials this year to honor our fallen heroes. Each year, more names are added to the walls, serving as

a solemn reminder of the sacrifices made by law enforcement officers and their families. The families truly appreciate seeing the sea of blue that comes together to support and remember their loved ones.

We also received some great news regarding improvements to Tier 5 and Tier 6. This is finally a step in the right direction, but by no means are we finished. We will continue working to make Tier 5 and Tier 6 even better in the future. Congratulations to all of those who accepted the buyout. Wishing you a long, healthy, and well-deserved retirement!

Congratulations as well to the detectives who were designated to 1st Grade. We are now at 36 First Grade Detectives—a testament to the hard work and dedication of our members.

I hope to see everyone at the DAI Picnic on June 11th from 1200–1700 hours. It's always a great time filled with good food, great company, and plenty of laughs.

As a reminder, there will be no open meetings in July or August. Our next open meeting will be held on September 24th.

Also, save the dates! Our 2nd Annual Montauk Golf Outing will take place September 28th–30th. We are looking forward to another great event and hope to see many of you there. We will be sending out an email with exclusive early sign-up dates for members before registration is opened up for all foursomes.

I wish everyone a safe and relaxing summer. Have a happy and healthy Independence Day!

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Sergeant at Arms

Joseph A. Philbin



Summer is finally here after what seemed to be a brutal winter! I hope everyone is taking some

well-deserved time off with family and friends. We will never get this time back, make the most of it! You and your hard work have made this the safest county in America multiple times, make sure you are taking the time off and recharging your batteries that helped the county have that title.

Along with the good weather, we have some great wins to be happy about! We have had some Tier 6 reforms that are huge wins. We are all aware of the struggles of Tier 6 and our fight for Tier equity up in Albany. Years of conversations, carefully selecting the candidates we are going to support, and putting money and time behind those candidates have paid off. The biggest changes are a reduction of contributions from 6% to 5.75% for those earning over \$125000, which means more money back in your pocket while you're working. Also, an increase from 15% to 25% of overtime being included in your FAS. This is a 60% increase from the prior law! As a Tier 6

member myself, this is such a huge increase that I never thought we would get this fast. While we are thankful for these improvements, we are in no way done arguing to make Tier 6 better. We will continue to fight for Tier equality so that you can retire in comfort. I want to congratulate 1st VP Chris Kelly on this because he has been directly involved in the fight and working to make this a reality.

This year's golf outing was a great success. Seeing so many of our young detectives getting involved in the events is an amazing thing to see. It builds our camaraderie and our strength as a union. Trustee Tom Roche did an amazing job setting up the event! I am looking forward to Trustee Sean Keeffe's work on the annual DAI picnic, which is always a great time.

Thank you all for the hard work you do every day. My phone is always on 516-506-2902.

Trustee's Corner...

Thomas A Roche



Spring is here, and the weather is starting to warm. The 2026 DAI home golf outing at Hempstead Golf Club has come and gone, and by all accounts, it was a success. The weather was beautiful, the location was pristine, and the food was delicious. I would like to thank all the delegates who helped make this event a hit. This is a very important

event for the union, and it is a team effort. To all the members who participated, thank you. I hope this outing met your expectations and exceeded them. Next will be even better, and hopefully, more members will attend. The buyout has come and gone. Anytime you run into a retired member, they are always happy, but the buyout members are even happier. I wish all these new retirees all the happiness in the world. Members work for 20, 30, or even more years, and once they finally retire, there is a smile on their faces that does not leave. When you ask them how retirement is, you hear the same thing: it is great, you should try it, and they wish they had retired earlier. That is what we are all working for: financial security in retirement. One day, we will all have that smile. With the retirements came some movement to special squads. Congratulations to the members who were able to move those squads. I wish you the best in the new squad, and I am sure that you will be an added bonus to your new squad. Hard work pays off, and we are seeing this as members work hard to reach the squads, they set their sights on. We also saw some promotions of

members to the level of Sgt. Congratulations to those members who got promoted. I hope your time in the Detective Division was a positive one that you hold close to your heart. We hope you stay a member of the union and maybe even come back as a D/sgt to help assist in making the division even better than it is. All members of the division have to work together to recruit the best and brightest to replace those who left. We will be out of contract on July 01, 2026, hopefully contract negotiations will go quickly, and we will be able to settle this distraction quickly. Without a contract, members are distracted from the reason we took this job: to help victims in their time of need, no matter the day or time. The goal of the union is to make the Detective Division a career path to retain the best the job has to offer.

The state made some changes to Tier 6, which was a win for the members and their families. Always remember to be safe and remember to laugh every day. My phone is always on for you.

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Trustee's Corner...

Nikolas Budimlic



DAI ANNUAL PICNIC & UPCOMING LAW ENFORCEMENT NIGHT

A sincere thank you to DAI Trustee Sean Keefe and all of our delegates who helped make this year's Annual Picnic a tremendous success. Events of this size require a great deal of planning, coordination, and hard work, and we appreciate everyone who contributed to making it such an enjoyable day for our members and their families. As we look ahead, our next major event will be the 52nd Annual Law Enforcement Night, which will be held on Thursday, October 29, 2026, at 6:00 PM at Leonard's Palazzo in Great Neck, New York.

Over the past several months, I have been working with our DAI delegates to identify deserving nominees for this year's honors. I would like to extend a special thank you to Brandon Hillman (Narcotics), Eddie Hctor (MCS), James Malone (Homicide), Mike Echavarria (3SQ), and Mike O'Brien (1SQ) for taking the time to meet and provide recommendations to the DAI Board.

We encourage everyone to reserve their tables early, as this is always one of our most well-attended events of the year.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer, and we look forward to seeing you in October!

Trustee's Corner...

Sean M. Keefe



I am sure everyone is looking forward to summer. It feels like it has been a long winter. There were definitely some great wins up in Albany this year. There were some great movements this year for Tier 6. It is great to see the benefits increase for our membership. I know Chris has worked hard to advocate for the membership.

As we all know, the contract is coming to an end. The entire board is definitely focused on negotiating the best contract possible. When you get a text from someone that seems to have some in-

side information, from an unknown source, try to take a breath. There have already been a few of them that have circled around, and I am sure there will be more.

Enjoy the summer and be safe

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Biography

Ms. Zuvich graduated summa cum laude from Hofstra University. She received her law degree from St. John's University School of Law where she attended on a scholarship from the Thomas Shortmann Academic Scholarship Fund, 32BJ Employee's Union.

Ms. Zuvich also holds the following distinctions:

- 2008 Suffolk County Woman's Bar Association's President's Award
- 2010 Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition "Celebrating America: An Inter-Generational Heroes' Celebration"
- 2011 Doris S. Hoffman Outstanding New Lawyer Award
- 2011 Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition "A Hero in Service, A Hero at Home"
- 2012-13 Suffolk County Woman's Bar Association President
- 2016 New York Times Magazine Top Attorneys in Metro New York Rising Stars
- 2018 Lawyers of Distinction Excellence in Estate Planning Law
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1st Squad

"The First Squad is not for everyone" started as sarcasm between myself and D/ that has since moved on but there was always humor and truth in the comment. This is the First Squad and we want to welcome D/Slash TJ Uvena and D/Lt Chieco who transferred from the 5SQ, as well as Detective Patrick Aquilina and Detective Kaitlyn Bazarewski who just came to us from the 5SQ and 4SQ, respectively. Congratulations to Steve McCarthy and John Hirschberger for their recent moves to Crime Scene and ELS, respectively. I'm sure the two of them will continue to take the pride of being a First Squad Detective with them. They are both great dudes and they'll be missed. Congratulations to Gus Sovaras on his promotion to Sergeant. We had some great laughs in your short time here, good luck in the 2nd. I'm am very confident Gus will always be a cops cop.

These changes come on the heels of two recent retirements, Detective First Grade Frank Ruvolo and Detective Lieutenant Frank Sabella. Frank Ruvolo, we wish you all the happiness, peace and relaxation retirement can bring. Frank Ruvolo's last drink was a packed room with people he impacted throughout his very long career and we are anticipating having the same celebration for Frank Sabella.

Frank Sabella, all of us here wish you the best of luck and you more than deserve all life can bring to you. On the cusps of starting my 25th year in law enforcement, I want to personally and publicly thank Frank for being the greatest boss that I have ever worked for. Most of all I want to thank you for being a great friend to the First Squad members. Under your tenure, The First Squad was known as the place to be. Detectives and Detective Sergeants all wanted to work for Frank and The First Squad was the biggest recruiter of cops to the division. You had two First Grade Detectives, the most any precinct squad ever had. Under your leadership, our Detectives were in HQ or at the Legislature several times a year for recognition. Detectives were encouraged to work, to earn and you always advocated for your men, and women. You overwhelmingly have the gratitude and respect of everyone that has ever worked for you in the First Squad. As a delegate, we didn't always see eye to eye and to be fair, I don't think any boss or union representative ever will on every issue. That's the nature of the business. However, we always backed a solution and I knew you always had your men's best interests at heart. I was your Detective for over 5.5 years, your guy's delegate for nearly 3 years and I'll consider you a friend for life. Thank you, Frank, you are and always will be 1st Squad Family.

The DAI Montauk trip and Law Enforcement night are scheduled for the fall. The First Squad both past and present usually make a large

attendance. I encourage anyone to make it to these events if they can.

Anyone who worked with Jim Healey, he just said "Good Morning" as only Jim can. That's my shoutout to my retired partner and friend. It also wouldn't be a First Squad article without mentioning Nick. That's it buddy, you got mentioned and that's all you get this time, not everything can always be about you.

Have a safe, healthy and happy summer,
Fidelis Ad Mortem - MOB.

3rd Squad

Congratulations to Det. Andrew Niemczyk on the birth of a healthy Boy and Det. Derrick Coleman on the birth of his son as well! Farewell and good luck to Det. Chris Burke who left for SORA. Welcome to Det. Victoria Linsalato who came to us from the First Pct. A shout out to 1st VP Chris Kelly and the entire DAI board for working tirelessly to push for changes in Albany along with the other unions to get our Tier 5- & 6-members voices heard regarding pension reform. It was a big step in the right direction for them. Hopefully in the coming months they will be able to secure additional wins for our members with prior military service with the current bills before the legislature.

The Third Squad Golf Outing will be held on September 14th 2026 at the Hempstead Golf and Country Club. The outing fills up fast and is a great time at a great course. Please Contact me if interested in playing, attending dinner, or a sponsorship. Lastly, as usual some great work has been coming out this office. Det. Kyle Fico and Det. Jimmy Keane closed out multiple Commercial Burglaries/GLAs that occurred across Nassau County and were able to assist Suffolk County PD in closing out several Burglaries and GLAs as well with an arrest of the perpetrator. Det. Fico also quickly put down 2 separate Serious Assault Cases with the arrests of both the perpetrators, who had stabbed their Victim's in both incidents. Stay Safe and have a great summer.

Mike Echavarria
3SQ Delegate

4th Squad

Welcome to Sean McNulty our new detective sergeant, and to Nicole Winter our newest detective. Congrats to Joe Sicari, James Fucito, and Bobby Renz, who all recently had their first kids. Enjoy the summer and stay safe out there.

Sean Burns

5th Squad

A big welcome and congratulations to our newly promoted member Joe Lamariana from BSO. We are happy to have you and the experience you bring to the Fifth Squad.

A special shoutout to Chase Rubio for all the work you did to close the countywide retail crime pattern involving the Samsin crew. Another shoutout to Billy Lauria on his work with GIS to make multiple arrests on one of the many shootings Elmont has had this year.

With the summer coming it is sure to get busy but I hope everyone is able to take some much-needed time off to enjoy the nice weather and spend time with their family and friends. Be safe out there

Dan Nordland

6th Squad

I Hope this spring is treating everyone well, and that you get to enjoy some time off these summer months with your family and friends. Congratulations to Det Donny Wong on his retirement. The 6SQ wishes Donny well on this chapter of life. The 6SQ also welcomes Det John Wana to the squad. John is a good addition to the team and we're happy to have him aboard. There have been some good cases/arrests out of the 6sq that I wanted to give recognition to. Det Panaro and Det Norcini were called in for 2 commercial burglaries occurring in close proximity. After an extensive video canvass, 3 subjects were located nearby shortly thereafter and placed under arrest. Det Royal and Det Kuzminski recently worked an assault case which led to the arrest of 3 Individuals after an extensive investigation was performed. Additionally, Det Quintanilla, Det Villanueva and DSGT Haynes were involved in a recent grand larceny investigation where the perpetrator used the victim's stolen credit card info to purchase an airline ticket from Mexico to JFK. With the assistance of CPB, our detectives and the Boss were able to intercept the perpetrator as he landed, where he made a full statement of admission.

Good work and shout out to all of our people.

Even If I have not mentioned you, I just want to reiterate that you are all doing great work! As always, help each other out, back each other up, stay safe, and watch your "6"

Andrew Colonna 6SQ

7th Squad

I would like to congratulate the board on making great progress on Tier 5/6 improvements with the new pension contribution rates. I would also like to congratulate our detective, Jessica Brennan on her new baby girl Grace! Summer is finally upon us in which feels like it's been forever since we've seen nice weather. Everyone be safe, be smart, and enjoy your summer.

Taylor Stone

8th Squad

Greetings from Bethpage,

All good here from the 8th. We would like to congratulate Matt Timpanaro on his recent promotion to sergeant. Matt was a great addition to our squad last year and he'll be missed. Best of luck up in the 2nd!

By the time this article comes out we will have had our DAI picnic and be gearing up for summer. I hope everyone takes some time to enjoy themselves.

Stay safe,
Tom Leavey

HQ 2

After a long, cold winter, spring has finally arrived, bringing the promise of warm weather! We hope everyone has planned some time off and vacations to enjoy with family and friends. On June 11th, the DAI will host the 74th Annual Picnic at Wantagh Park. There will be plenty of food, drinks, and live music. It's a fantastic event, and we encourage everyone to stop by. Personally, I believe it's one of the best union functions of the year!

Congratulations to Detective Butt on his first homicide case as the lead investigator. He did an outstanding job, leaving no stone unturned. The family and friends of the victim are fortunate to have Gary working on their case. He has proven himself to be successful in working all aspects of a murder investigation and is a tremendous asset to the Homicide Squad. I would also like to welcome Dan Kolakowski to the Homicide/vCars unit. He will be a valuable addition to our team, and we look forward to working with him. A reminder to everyone: please do not go out on any assignments, investigations, or interviews alone. No investigation is more important than your safety and well-being. Always feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns. I am here to help.

Stay safe and always do the right thing!

Jim Malone

HQ 3

Congratulations to Nick Budimlic, Doug Ingram, and Anthony Porazzo for achieving their First Grade Detective designations. Both the Gang Investigation and Major Case Squad have successfully concluded multiple cases in recent months and are currently engaged in several ongoing investigations at both the federal and local levels. The objective of both units remains constant: to deliver justice and closure to the victims while collaborating with our partners at the District Attorney's Office. Should you require assistance with any case or need help with anything, please reach out to any member of either squad.

Respectfully,
Eddie Hctor

HQ 4

Welcome to Narcotics Sgts Kenny Jackson and Brian Roden. Congratulations to Vinny Logiudice and Mike Oggeri on promotions to Lt. A belated congratulations to Casey Hastings on promotion to Sgt. Congratulation to Bill Casey, Eric Mistretta, and Ryan Hayden on appointment to 1st grade. Narcotic Tobay beach party Sept. 11 from 2-7; on party deck near boat slips on the bayside. Have a great summer.

Hillman

HQ 6

Well, Spring is under way officially and I hope that everyone gets out there and enjoys quality time with whomever, whether that be for yourself, with family or friends. We here in the DD work exceptionally hard and should enjoy our free time to the max as it is well deserved. On the HQ6 side of things there has still been a lot of changes to adjust to but as always, we keep chugging away. I'd like to welcome new SVS members, Chris Sillas who joins the Child Exploitation Unit, Kaitlin Harvey who joins SVS and Chris Burke who joins SVS as part of S.O.R.A., which may I add has not been part of SVS in at least 15 years. Implementing S.O.R.A. was a tough decision but we are happy to have such a dedicated worker like Chris. The issues that arose from having S.O.R.A. in the same building/ space as SVS is we have to consider that we are now allowing registered sex offenders to enter a building but at the same time have victims of sexual assault in the same lobby while they await their schedule appointments with their assigned detectives. Does this not pose a possible threat to the victims? How would those victims feel if they knew this information? Does this scenario not pose the possibility of a relapse by the offender or at the very minimum an enticing scenario? All these topics were discussed at length by both bosses and detectives in the office but

that decision was ultimately made by the higher echelon of this department. We as a unit are taking it in stride and doing what we do best, investigate sex crimes and arresting those criminals. Now we just go a step further and ensure those criminals are checking in as they are mandated to do and if need be, we will re-arrest them for any violations to their stipulations. As of now Chris Burke is a 1 man show running S.O.R.A. on his own after a short stint working alongside Det. Erik Marx who decided to ultimately leave the DD back to patrol (we wish him well in his endeavors) but we are confident that Chris will continue to maneuver the unit as it should.

ABS news....as of now they are working as usual with no news to report. Keep up the great work guys Lastly, the hot topic as of late, Tier 6 improvements. With recent legislative changes we were able to secure such improvements as an increase in the pensionable overtime from 15% to 25% of your base pay. Next, your Final Average Earnings is now based on your highest 3 consecutive years of earnings as opposed to the highest 5 consecutive years. Some may say these are miniscule but when you consider the bigger picture and the fact that those who rally for us on the political front were able to nudge even a small win for us Tier 6 members, we have to be grateful for even those small changes that may one day lead to bigger ones.

Stephanie Mosquera

HQ 8

Hello all, new members are moving through training, Det Ciaramitaro and Det Wagner are the newest members and will be in service sometime late July. Det McCarthy will be in Service late June. Congratulations are in order for Det Kahl and Det Kalender, both were promoted to Sgt and have moved on to Supervise in the 4th Pct and 1st Pct. Reminder that if you are out restricted for an injury and dealing with Workers Comp, you and your family can be spied on. Seems to occur more so around when settlement will be reached but I would not count on that. Even if you are full duty you may be monitored. As far as Crime Scene goes, its business as usual, like every other Unit there is a big turnover in new members over the last several years, they are chomping at the bit for jobs so don't hesitate to call if needed. I hope everyone has a hot and safe summer.

Onward and Upward
Tony Rempel



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“Like it is...”

Retired Delegate Raymond Gene



I am back to write a few paragraphs in the Squeal Desk to tell it “Like it is.”

I can't believe that I have been writing this column for over 20 years. I feel guilty cause there are so many retirees that don't know me. I do the best I can to inform y'all about what's new and exciting. Just to be clear, if anyone out there wants' to take over, be my guest. The hardest part of writing this column for this old man is, witnessing the day to day passing of our brothers and sisters. To put it into perspective, if we weren't such a tight-knit group it wouldn't be so hard. Just think that, if you had a normal office job for 30 years, working with a group of annoying a-holes, I don't think you would be in the same position. Bottom line, I wouldn't change it for anything. As much as it pains me to see our members passing, it's so much better to be around all these wonderful friends and colleagues enjoying each other's company. No one and I mean no one can look back on their lives and say that they would have been better off working in some other industry. I mean, look at the f—kin nuts that we worked with and the stories that we tell. I hate to mention names but you know who you are. Guys like Graz and Walsh along with stories from Yo and O, Porker, Marino and Bingo. Well Bingo's story is still being told. And Sal, 30 dollars is good for breakfast. I could go on and on but I won't. I have a deep love and respect for my entire family of Detectives and Police Officers.

Once again I have to thank Bill B. and the DAI Board for throwing a very special lunch for the retired guys and girls at Rick and Tony's restaurant in Syosset. It was a celebration and a treat for the retired Detectives, who showed up over 100 strong. There were some folks that showed up who I thought were dead. The food was exceptional. Just a thought, to those who went to that event, they should seriously consider attending our RFD meetings.

Thanks to John Wighaus and his Board, the association is thriving as never before. And an extra shout-out to Brian Dunker who does a thankless job as Treasurer and does it well. He promised to be one of my pallbearers if I gave

him a mention. All kidding aside, he's great. I would be remiss if I didn't acknowledge and thank George Ludwig for his assistance in securing refreshments for our May meeting. He was instrumental in acquiring (putting the arm on) Gus at Embassy Diner. Gus and the Embassy have been huge supporters of Law Enforcement and First Responders for many decades.

I'd like to share an incident that recently happened to me that reinforced a lesson I've learned over the years: no matter how loyal and faithful you are to some people, in the end, it's all about the “Benjamin's.” My household has two drivers and two registered automobiles. Yes we're older than dirt but we are very good drivers and pretty much accident-free. God forbid your insurance company ever has to pay out a claim. I have been with my agent for over 30 years. Slowly but surely my premium increased and finally hit 6,800 dollars annually for two cars. I called the agent and their reply was that they were giving us a discount for having car alarms. Are you kidding me? All friggin modern day cars have alarms. So I dumped my broker, went on my own, and shopped around. Low and behold, Progressive Insurance matched my existing policy that I had with Travelers and, get this; I'm now paying 3,800 dollars a year. Do the math, a 3,000 dollar difference. So much for loyalty! I passed this on to several people and they are also getting a break. If anyone is interested in testing the waters give me a call and for a minimal fee I will put you in touch with “my guy.” Of course, I'm only kidding.

What's new on the health front? I think I mentioned this on one occasion but, with the crazy names parents are giving their kids, if I had another child I would name them Doctor. Just imagine, whatever profession they choose, they will always be referred to as Doctor. Getting to the point, our last meeting was joined by a lovely group of ladies who had some interesting medical news for us Senior Citizens. Not only just for seniors but, for just about anyone looking to stay healthy. A thorough screening performed by professionals should determine if all your important parts are in good working order. Take it from somebody who knows, all the mentioned tests are very important because I had them all and am lucky to still be here. Read the flyer and then do yourself a favor and get checked out. It may be a minor issue. For 300 dollars you get screened for most of the important parts of your body and if you pass the test I'm sure it will bring you peace of mind. If you don't pass, well, most ailments are repairable.

Our June meeting was held during the golf outing. July and August are out. The next meeting is Sept 10th. Thanks to Brian Dunker we will be holding our September meeting and all following meetings at a new location in Levittown. The new location is the VFW Hall, 55 Hickory Lane, Levittown @ 6:00 p.m.

By this time you should have received your check for the overage you paid for Medicare B

& D. If you didn't apply, you have time to apply going back 3 years. Do it cause they're looking to discontinue that benefit.

I didn't know Comm. John Kennedy as well as most people but what I do know is that he was a highly respected member of our department for many years. I ran into him on many occasions in Bayville, his home town, and he always made me feel special. He was a mentor to many people and will be sorely missed. He definitely deserved the farewell afforded to him by our current Commissioner Paddy Ryder. May he Rest in Peace.

Just a quick note regarding the new tax law signed by Gov. H. excusing 100% disabled Vets from paying any property tax and possible school tax. I researched this law in case anyone meets the criteria. Be aware, and I don't care what anyone else tells you, if you are considered 100% disabled by the VA and it reads; totally and permanently disabled, you still haven't met the criteria. There is another form that needs to be submitted due to the fact that under the former guidelines you still can work. That form is VA 21-80940 (Individual Unemployability): which states that your disability makes you unemployable. Many 100% disabled vets are still earning a good living and should be thankful that they don't fall into the second category. Enjoy the summer my friends.

And last but not least, my question is, if a household has two people, a man and a woman, should the toilet seat be up or down? But some of this new generation will refer to those folks as them, those or they, so who cares. And as my Granddaughter would say; that's dope.

Please have an enjoyable, safe and healthy summer.

And that my friend's is telling it, “Like it is.”

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Retired President Robert Howell

Dear Mr. President

On behalf of myself and the retired DAI members present at the DAI retired members luncheon the other day, I can't thank you and the DAI Executive Board enough for thinking of us. The luncheon was a huge success and that's because of you. It was especially gratifying to see

so many of my friends and colleagues which I hadn't seen in such a long time.

Sometimes retired guys feel forgotten, but since you and your executive board took office, that has changed. During the luncheon I had the opportunity to listen and talk to many of our retired members. They were so happy and so

thankful to you for bringing this day together for us. Your committed and love for the Retired DAI members is beyond reproach. God Bless the Nassau County Detectives, Active and Retired.

Fraternally,
Bobby Howell

Retired Member Anthony Bonkowski

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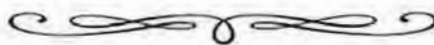
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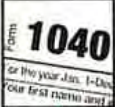
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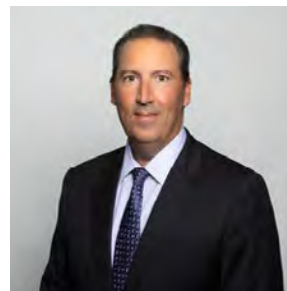
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Dear DAI Members,

This summer, we celebrate a milestone that would have seemed almost impossible to our very own Founding Fathers.
America's 250th birthday.

When we look back on our nation's founding, it's easy to picture a series of grand and heroic moments. In reality, it was much more chaotic. All who declared independence and later wrote the Constitution debated fiercely, frequently disagreed, and often questioned whether the young nation would survive at all.

One of my favorite stories from that era comes from the Constitutional Convention of 1787. For months, delegates worked through a hot Philadelphia summer trying to create a government capable of holding the new nation together. Throughout the convention, Benjamin Franklin would look toward George Washington's chair, which featured a carving of a half-sun. Franklin later remarked that he often wondered whether it represented a rising sun or a setting sun. Only after the Constitution was signed, did he know it was a rising sun.

Nearly 250 years later, that image still resonates. The road from 1776 to today has not always been smooth. America has endured wars, economic hardships, political disagreements, national tragedies, and periods of tremendous uncertainty. Yet through it all, our nation has continued to stand strong. Progress has often been slow and imperfect, but generation after generation has worked to leave the country stronger than they found it.

That spirit of service is one of the reasons we are so grateful for the men and women of law enforcement. While the challenges facing our communities may look different today than they did 250 years ago, the need for dedicated public servants remains the same. Every day, officers across our communities step forward to protect others, uphold the rule of law, and help preserve the freedoms and stability that generations of Americans have worked so hard to build.

As we celebrate Independence Day, I believe it is important not only to reflect on the remarkable history behind us, but also to recognize those who continue serving their communities today. The strength of our nation has never come solely from its institutions. It comes from the character, commitment, and sense of responsibility demonstrated by ordinary Americans doing extraordinary things.

On behalf of everyone at Craig James Financial Services, I would like to thank each of you for your service, sacrifice, and dedication. We are proud of the relationships we have built within the law enforcement community, and we remain grateful for all that you do to keep our families and neighborhoods safe.

I hope you have the opportunity to enjoy the summer and reflect on all that our country has accomplished over the past 250 years.

Like Benjamin Franklin knew to be true, I believe the sun still rises over America.

Have a safe, healthy, and enjoyable summer, and a very Happy Independence Day.

Sincerely,

Craig J. Ferrantino



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In 2012, the Nassau County Detectives' Association Inc. established an IRS 501(C)(3) registered charity which we named the: **Nassau County Detectives' Charitable Foundation**. Our charitable foundation was created to assist members of our law enforcement family during times of sickness, death and natural disaster as well as during time of extreme necessity. We also provide scholarships to college bound students and support our communities.

Contributions to the Foundation are tax deductible to the extent allowed by the law.

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D.A.I. CHILDCARE/PRIVATE SCHOOL
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
(Nursery through High School)

The D.A.I. will award five (5) Scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 each to eligible students this year. Scholarships are for Dependent children of ACTIVE and ASSOCIATE members who pay for private Daycare/Nursery School/High School.

Applicant must furnish proof of enrollment in private daycare/nursery school for the 2026/2027 year before the scholarship money can be awarded.

Additional applications may be obtained from the DAI office. All applications must be submitted by July 31st, 2026 to Vincent Chiarelli, Recording Secretary, Scholarship Committee, care of the above address.

2026 D.A.I. Childcare Scholarship Application

DAI MEMBER NAME: _____

ACTIVE _____ ASSOCIATE _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE#: _____

MEMBER ADDRESS: _____

DEPENDENT STUDENTS NAME: _____

DAYCARE/NURSERY SCHOOL NAME: _____

DAYCARE/NURSERY SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

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D.A.I. MASTER'S PROGRAM
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The D.A.I. will award five (5) Scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 each to eligible students this year. The scholarships are for Dependent children of ACTIVE, ASSOCIATE and RETIRED members.

All applicants must be enrolled as a Full-Time Graduate student in a master's program as of September 2026. If chosen, a copy of the bursar bill must be submitted to DAI.

Additional applications may be obtained from the DAI office. All applications must be submitted by July 31st, 2026 to Vincent Chiarelli, Recording Secretary, Scholarship Committee, care of the above address.

2026 D.A.I. Master's Program Scholarship Application

DAI MEMBER:_____

ACTIVE _____ ASSOCIATE _____ RETIRED _____

DEPENDENT STUDENTS NAME:_____

DEPENDENT STUDENT ADDRESS:_____

DEPENDENT STUDENTS TELEPHONE:_____

COLLEGE TO
ATTEND/ATTENDING:_____

SCHOOL ADDRESS:_____

MASTER'S YEAR:_____

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D.A.I. SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The D.A.I. will award eleven (11) Scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 each to eligible students this year. Ten (10) are for Dependent children of ACTIVE and ASSOCIATE members. There will be one (1) award for the Dependent child of a RETIRED member.

In memory of a distinguished member of the Nassau County Police Department, the DAI will award one additional scholarship of \$500.00 in honor of Former Commissioner of Police Charles Spahr.

All applicants must be enrolled as a Full-Time undergraduate student in college as of September 2026. If chosen, a copy of the bursar bill must be submitted to DAI.

Additional applications may be obtained from the DAI office. All applications must be submitted by July 31st, 2026 to Vincent Chiarelli, Recording Secretary, Scholarship Committee, care of the above address.

2026 D.A.I. Scholarship Application

DAI MEMBER:_____

ACTIVE _____ ASSOCIATE _____ RETIRED _____

DEPENDENT STUDENTS NAME:_____

DEPENDENT STUDENT ADDRESS:_____

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The Christopher Muchow

Future Leaders Scholarship

For this scholarship, we're seeking active students who exhibit the exceptional qualities of Christopher Muchow and have achieved success in various aspects of life. Chris is a beacon of inspiration and has achieved outstanding success in his roles as a student, an athlete, a coach, a son, a brother, a husband, a friend, a union leader, and a father. These successes were not handed to him; Chris became a leader in these areas through focus, hard work, dedication, and always giving his all.

Requirements:

- a)** Applicants must submit an essay, approximately 500 words in length, describing their accomplishments, how they were achieved and why they are deserving of this scholarship. The essay must be submitted on or before 7/31/2026.
- b)** Applicants must be *Graduating High School Seniors* entering college for the 2026/2027 school year. Students must be a dependent child of an Active Nassau County Police Department Detective Association Member.
- c)** All submissions will be reviewed by the DAI Scholarship Committee and the applicant who best exhibits the qualities of Christopher Muchow will be selected as the winner. Please refrain from including your name on the essay so that the winner may be selected anonymously and without deference. The below from should be attached to the submission. The essays will be marked by the Office Manager to maintain anonymity. The winner will be announced on/around 8/15/2026.

Send Applications to:

Nassau County Detectives Association
777 Old Country Rd, Suite 202
Plainview, NY, 11801

Applicants must furnish proof of enrollment in College or University for the 2026-2027 school year before the Scholarship money can be awarded. An award in the amount of **\$1,500.00** will be given.

Application:

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

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NEW YORK LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

The New York Law Enforcement Foundation will be awarding a \$1,000.00 scholarship to an eligible student. The student must presently be in their senior year of High School and planning to attend College on a full-time basis for the school year 2026-27 or must presently be attending College and planning to continue to attend on a full-time basis for the school year 2026-27.

The students must be children of a member of the **NASSAU COUNTY DETECTIVES' ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED. (NCDAI)**

The scholarship winner will be chosen by the members of the **NASSAU COUNTY DETECTIVES' ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED. (NCDAI)**

The scholarships will be chosen **ON A LOTTERY BASIS** at the **August 8, 2026**, open meeting.

SEND IN THE BELOW APPLICATION ONLY! The winner will be notified and will be asked to provide proof of attendance to a college for the school year 2026-27. **Scholarship check will be mailed to the college. Students attending college tuition free are ineligible.**

Only one application will be accepted per individual student, however, more than one student per family may submit an application.

THE NEW YORK LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION MUST RECEIVE YOUR APPLICATION BY JULY 31, 2026. STUDENTS ATTENDING COLLEGE TUITION FREE ARE INELIGIBLE. THE APPLICATION WILL BE SENT TO YOUR ORGANIZATION TO SELECT A WINNER BY LOTTERY.

DETACH AND MAIL THE BELOW APPLICATION ONLY TO: **NEW YORK LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION, ATTN: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE** at the above address.

2026 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY)

NCDAI Member's Rank, Name and Command _____

Student's Name _____ Home Phone _____

Student's Address _____

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School Attending _____

Year: High School Senior _____ College Year 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____

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2026 Patrick Bellotti Memorial Scholarship Application

As you all know our good friend, Retired Detective Patrick Bellotti passed away at the end of 2006. His family asked in lieu of flowers, a donation in his name forwarded to the DAI. After the generous collection from our membership and friends, his family has requested a scholarship in his memory. In the event that you have not had the chance to donate, you can always do so by making your check payable to the “**Detective Patrick Bellotti Memorial Fund**” and forward it to the DAI office at any time. We intend to keep this scholarship going and will continue to accept donations.

The scholarship is available for all **ACTIVE and ACTIVE ASSOCIATE members (only)** children planning to attend a credited college on a full-time basis or continuing their full-time college status for the fall 2026 semester. Proof of attendance will be required prior to receiving the scholarship. The amount of the scholarship for 2026 will be \$500.00.

The Detective Patrick Bellotti Memorial Scholarship

ACTIVE/ASSOC. DAI MEMBER: _____

DEPENDENT STUDENTS NAME: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

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COLLEGE TO
ATTEND/ATTENDING: _____

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COLLEGE YEAR (circle one): 1 2 3 4

Please forward to Vincent Chiarelli, Recording Secretary, Scholarship Chairman,
c/o DAI , 777 Old Country Rd., Suite 202, Plainview, N.Y.
All entries must be postmarked prior to July 31, 2026