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# Message From Lieutenant Governor Anthony Pappas

**Greetings Queens West!** 

Spring has sprung and things are hopping at the moment in Queens West! March started off cold and snowy but began with attending the Shareing & Careing Survivor's Celebration Luncheon on March 2nd and later that night I attended the Adelphi Circle K Murder Mystery Dinner and show. On March 8th, I attended the Liberty Division of Circle K Divisional on March 8th and



on March 11th, I helped serve dinner to the families at the Ronald McDonald House in Manhattan. I was able to attend Sunnyside's club meeting on March 13th, and East River's Paint Night on March 21st. And last, but not least I spent the weekend at the Circle K District Convention, March 22-24th and the Key Club LTC March 29-31st. Spring is a time of renewal. As the weather gets warmer, our clubs are getting more active. This is a wonderful time of year for us to continue our service and refresh our membership. Remember that our SLP's begin their new year on April 1st, so let's welcome our new counterparts and work with them on some projects. This is a perfect time for some hands on projects such as park clean-ups, food drives, gardening, walks, parades, etc... I see a lot more events coming up and I look forward to attending them and getting to know more of our division members as I do.

Our upcoming Divisional on April 15th will include our Lt. Governor Elections. It's hard to believe that half of the year is over. We will also have a speaker from Rescuing Leftover Cuisine, a great program I heard about through our Circle K members! I think you will be interested in their program and mission.

Remember, increasing our membership is a big part of our goals this year and so far our Division is still in second place with a few less new members then our neighbors in Queens East. Let's keep those new memberships coming in as we strengthen our clubs with each new member brought in. Each new member is a new idea, or a new resource to help us help our communities and make more of a difference. As a District, we need to keep growing our numbers and I would like to see our Division take the lead and finish the year as number 1 in new members so let's keep them coming. Remember for Governor Hank's Distinguished member program, a member simply needs to sponsor 2 new members to be Distinguished! Please get them in the database and take us from Good to Great!!

I hope everyone has registered for the International Convention in Orlando, as fees have now increased. If your club will not be able to attend, please consider speaking with a past Lt. Governor so that they can possibly represent your club as a delegate for the NY District!

Yours in service, Lt. Governor Anthony 2018 -2019 anthonyscifi@hotmail.com

# **Queens Kiwanis Memorial Service**

On Thursday, June 6th, the Kiwanis Clubs of Queens East and West will host the 57th Annual Queens Kiwanis Memorial Service. The service will be held at the U.S. Columbarium located at 61-40 Mount Olivet Crescent in Middle Village. The service will begin promptly at 6 PM. Following the service, food & drink will be available at a suggested contribution of \$10. There is on street parking available. Members will have the option of visiting the Kiwanis Memorial Site or touring the Columbarium.

Kiwanis Clubs are asked to submit the names of any club member(s) who have passed away since June 2018. Each name submitted will appear in the Memorial Journal and be included in the Memorial Service inside the Columbarium. A \$35 check, payable to the Queens West Kiwanis Foundation for each member(s) name submitted and forwarded to: John Stahl 43-13 64th Street, Woodside, NY 11377. For Kiwanis Clubs not memorializing a deceased member, your contribution towards the service is greatly appreciated. All donations, in any amount, can be made payable to the Queens West Kiwanis Foundation.

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# To All Our MAY Division Members

May 1st:	Gerald Khan	Ozone Pk.
-	Mark Musial	Glendale
	Michael Manniello	LaGuardia
May 2nd:	Victoria Grappone	Forest Hills
,	Ronald Simonetti	Maspeth
May 4th:	Saul Belsky	Howard Bch
,	Linda Dougherty	Forest Hills
	Patrick Kearns	Ozone Park
May 5th:	Christine Liturgis	Astoria/LIC
,	Rebecca Ovadia	Woodside
May 6th:	Michael Smith	Howard Bch.
,	Carol Ann Verdi	Lefferts/Lib.
May 7th:	Frank LaDone	Howard Bch.
,	Brent O'Leary	Sunnyside
May 8th:	Giovanna Reid	LaGuardia
May 9th:	Walter Sabolboro	Glendale
May 10th:	Mike Miller	Glendale
May 11th:	John Bekios	Maspeth
-	Thomas White	Maspeth .
May 12th:	Nino Colletti	Maspeth .
-	Craig Inserillo	Howard Bch.
May 15th:	Maureen Allen	Jackson Hgts.
-	Michael Feinberg	Forest Hills
May 16th:	Lea Colegado	Woodside
-	Maria Lipschutz	Ozone Pk.
May 17th:	Annette Scalise	Forest Hills
-	Lisa Terry	Maspeth
May 19th:	Gene MacQueen	Glendale
May 20th:	William Underhill	Glendale
May 22nd:	John Knief	Howard Bch.
-	Maurizio Troia	Maspeth
May 24th:	George Mantikas	Glendale
May 26th:	William Dobranski	Glendale
-	Sam Sartorio	Howard Bch.
May 29th:	Louis Bekios	Maspeth
May 30th:	Pamela Winter	Sunnyside
May 31st:	Joseph Allen	Ozone Park

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### **CIRCLE K**

Greetings Everyone!

My name is Viktoriya Borisova and I am honored to formally introduce myself as the Lieutenant Governor of the Circle K clubs in Manhattan (Baruch, City College, Hunter, NYU, and Pace), known as the Liberty Division. My vision for this term is to be present as a friend and resource for the members and



executive boards. One of my favorite positions was my time as Club President. Now, I want to use my experience and resilience toward supporting clubs as they proceed with their terms. We all have our own vision, passion, and voice. My goal is to help all of that flourish for my clubs, so that they are proud of themselves and their contributions.

I currently am a Junior undergraduate Psychology and Sociology major at CCNY with potential of adding an Economics minor. I am a strong advocate for the growth mindset. Thus, I strive to push my boundaries while supporting the people around me. Circle K has given me that outlet, especially by allowing me to work with others who agree on my motto that community shapes the nature of our success.

I would be honored to include the Liberty Division in working with you if you ever have a specific cause/event that you care about. You are welcomed to reach out to me through viktoriya.borisova@nycirclek.org.

Thank you for your time,

#### Viktoriya Borisova

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The Queens West Foundation will meet at 6:00 pm at Division meeting's location.

### MARCH DIVISIONAL MEETING

March 18, 2019 was our March Divisional meeting. Special guest, Peter Mancuso presented a program on Kiwanis protocol and the upcoming International convention. It's not often that a Lt. Governor gets to have a current International Trustee and candidate for International Vice President attend their divisional so Queens West was very honored to have him attend. Thank you Peter for taking the time out of your busy schedule to attend!! We had a busy agenda as we also had Immediate Past, Super Distinguished Lt. Governor, Carol Masiello present the club achievement and Distinguished awards from the Midyear conference. Once again, congratulations to all of the clubs that were recognized! Special congratulations to Carol, as she was surprised and presented with a Walter Zeller award by Lt. Governor Anthony on behalf of the Division for all her work last year as well as all of the help she has given to Anthony and the Division this year. This was made possible from the funds raised through the Eliminate grid we ran over the last few months, so once again thank you for all who participated and congratulations to Dino from Howard Beach who actually won the grid and took home the cash prize! Special thanks to our other guests, fellow Lt. Governors, Kevin Kamper and Janice Bar for attending as well!!





























# **GLENDALE'S NIGHT OF SONG & DANCE**

On March 30, 2019 Glendale Kiwanis held their Night of Song & Dance featuring "Risky Business". Members from Howard Beach, Lefferts Liberty, Sunnyside and East River came out to support the event and a fun time was had by all!!







































# 2019 NY DISTRICT CIRCLE K DCON - MARCH 22-24







**EAST RIVER PAINT NIGHT**On March 21, 2019, East River held it's first ever Paint Night Fundraiser at the Paint Place in Astoria. Thanks to those of you that came out. The group had a fun night of drinking, snacking and painting!! Thanks to Maspeth Kiwanis for attending as well as Ponce & Sterling banks for your support and attendance!! Thank you to club Secretary, Jackie for organizing the event and as usual, taking pictures!





















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### SHAREING & CAREING SURVIVOR'S & FAMILY WELLNESS CELEBRATION

On March 2, 2019 Shareing & Careing held their annual Survivor's & Family Wellness celebration. Lt. Governor Anthony was honored to attend as a guest representing the Queens West Foundation who helped support the event by funding the entertainment. The Astoria/LIC Kiwanis club, a big supporter was well represented as well! It was a wonderful afternoon with some truly amazing people. Over 60 survivors, caregivers, family members and friends came together to celebrate cancer survivorship. It was truly an inspirational day!

















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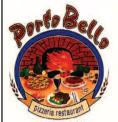
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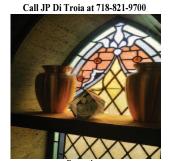


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