

# Message From Lieutenant Governor JP Di Troia

The year has passed quickly. This being my last newsletter for our Kiwanis Queens West Division, it is time to look back on my year and thank all 17 Kiwanis Clubs for their continued support in my term as Your Lieutenant Governor.

I am grateful for your faith in me as your Lieutenant Governor. It also has been a privilege as well as a learning experience for me. Who would think I would produce an award winning newsletter, a newsletter that has gotten many compliments from



district members and past Governors. The fantastic Editorial from Lou Di Rico represents the great service that our clubs provide to the communities. Learning about the inner workings in our division, has left me with knowledge that I can use in other areas in my personal and professional endeavors.

We have a great division, and many great leaders. To that end, I would like to invite any one of our past Presidents to step up to the plate and throw in their hat for Lt Gov Elect for 2016-2017. Trust me, it is not only a great experience, but you will truly experience the reward in helping more families, children, and the elderly in our Division. I believe that we Kiwanis members are paid with the smiles that we get from the children that we serve and the thanks from the families and the elderly in the communities around the world.

If you did not attend the district Convention last month, you really missed a fantastic event. Governor Eric Paul and his team really know how to put on a convention. We had a pie in the face fund raiser with our very own IPLTG Steve Sirgiovanni who took pie in the face for Pediatric Lyme. Between my collecting donations at the convention and his last ditch pitch that night, we raised \$1,000.00. We also had "Take a Bite out of Lyme" fund raiser event with Karoake and Zany costumes. Our Governor Eric Paul will chair the next convention in Buffalo and I can't wait to see what he has in store for us.

Our International Kiwanis family and friends have a lot to celebrate. We have reached another bench mark on the fund raising for Project Eliminate. We are now at \$100,000,000. By reaching this bench mark we have prevented over 50,000,000 babies from dying of MNT. Our division is a proud part of that number raising over \$47,000.00. I am extremely proud of our division, we have had almost every club receive at least one Zeller Award and three of our members received Centennial Awards.

I want to extend congratulations to our Governor Designate Forbes Irvine 2015-2016 and to IPLTG Steve Sirgiovanni, who is now the Governor Elect for the 2016-2017 District year, along with Bob Kueber, LTG 2015-16. I am sure with our division behind them, we will have another banner year.

In closing Tina and I would like to thank the whole division, for there support and kindness during our year. You really made us feel like royalty. *Thanks again*!!

Signing off,

Your Lieutenant Governor Queens West 2014-2015 JP Di Troia



Tina and I, along with the District and International Kiwanis, want to thank Queens West for their support in my year as Lieutenant Governor of this Great Division! *Thank you and Ciao.* 



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## To All Our October Division Members

Oct. 1st:	Virginia Merschoff	Lefferts/Lib.
Oct. 2nd:	Thomas Casey	Woodside
Oct. 3rd:	Beatrice LoCascio	Rich Hill/Wdhaven
Oct. 4th:	Irwin Petschauer	Glendale
Oct. 6th:	Horton Hargrove	Corona/E. Elm.
	John Spagnuolo	Howard Bch.
Oct. 8th:	Britta Heizmann	Queens Blvd.
	RoseMary Ciulla-Frisone	Lefferts/Lib.
Oct. 10th:	Richard Reichert	Maspeth
	Henri Billharz	Sunnyside
	Frank Kotnik	Glendale
Oct. 11th:	Ronald Carbone	Howard Bch.
Oct. 12th:	Karl Albrecht	Howard Bch.
	Kerrie Hanson	Glendale
	Michael Grimes	Sunnyside
Oct. 13th:	Dr. Bhupendra Patel	Astoria/LIC
	Stephanie Fox	Glendale
Oct. 14th:	John Cerulli	Lefferts/Lib.
	Russell Targrove	Jackson Hgts.
	Kamgang Youtchom	Corona/E. Elm.
Oct. 15th:	David Salcfas	LaGuardia
000. 1000.	Melissa Verdi-Montes	Lefferts.Lib
Oct. 16th:	Arthur Daigneault	Ozone Park
000. 1000.	Dr. Avrum Musnik	Howard Bch.
Oct. 17th:	Lisa Pierce	LaGuardia
Oct. 18th:	Nicole Bailey	Corona/E. Elm.
000. 1001.	Neil Koenig	Glendale
Oct. 19th:	Frank Dehler	Glendale
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	William Sadd	Sunnyside
	Margaret Schmewitz	Middle Vill.
Oct. 20th:	Joseph Aiello	Glendale
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	Michael Porcelli	Glendale
Oct.21st:	Nina Dinh	East River
Oct. 22nd:		
Oct. 22110: Oct. 24th:	Richard Rodriquez	Howard Bch.
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	James Fitzgerald	LaGuardia
Oct. 25th:	Gus Antonopohlos	Astoria/LIC
Oat OCth.	Carolyn Scarano	Astoria/LIC
Oct. 26th:	Adam Herzog	Glendale
Oct 07th	Sebrina Jacobs-Tulloch	Glendale
Oct. 27th:	Sam Rabinowitz	Queens Blvd.
Oct. 30th:	Lorraine Ferreri	LaGuardia
Oct. 31st:	Anthony Gasparello	Ozone Pk.

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#### Queens West Division - Upcoming Events:

September 18, 2015	Friday- <b>The Annual Black and White Ball</b> , will once again be held at Leonard's of Great Neck. Cocktail Hour will start at 7:30pm and Dinner at 8:30pm.
September 21, 2015	<b>LTG JP's final Division Meeting -</b> at <b>Villa</b> <b>Erasmo</b> , 69-61 Juniper Blvd. South, Middle Village, NY 11379 - 718-894-8191
September 27, 2015	Sunnyside Kiwanis Club will have its Testimonial Dinner and Officer Installation Sunday, 1-5 pm at Sidetracks Restaurant.
September 29, 2015	Wine and Cheese at the U.S. Columbarium at 7pm for North Shore Pediatric Trauma Center.
October 1, 2015	Astoria/LIC Annual Cocktail Party at Riccardo's by the Bridge, \$60 p/p 7-10 pm
October 19, 2015	LTG Bob Kueber's first Division Meeting - Location TBD
November 12, 2015	<i>SAVE THE DATE!</i> Middle Village Kiwanis' Annual Community Awards Dinner honoring IPLTG JP DiTroia





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### In Memory of Deceased Kiwanis and Family Members

Helen Paul - Mother of IP Governor Eric Paul

Frances Corace - Mother of DPG Joe Corace

Antonina Belli - Mother of Dr. Richard Belli, President, Woodside Club

Robert B. Weber Sr. - Member, Howard Beach

Let us keep our prayers and thoughts to the families of all who have had a loss.

**Villa Erasmo** Official Restaurant of the Queens West Division

NEXT DIVISION MEETING MONDAY, September 21, 2015 Villa Erasmo

69-61 Juniper Blvd. South, Middle Village, NY 11379 718-894-8191

7 pm

The Queens West Foundation will meet at 5:45 pm at Division meeting's location.

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President ROSE ANNE ALAFOGIANNIS	August 3, 2015
President Elect	Dear Friend,
JERRY KRIL Immediate Past President	It gives me great pleasure along with my fellow members of the Astoria Long Island City Kiwanis Club to
ARTHUR N. GUALTIERI, M.D., J.D.	inform you that we will be hosting our Annual Cocktail Party, on Thursday, October 1, 2015, from 7 p.m. to
Vice President's SWAIN WEINER	10 p.m. at RICCARDO'S by the BRIDGE. Tickets will be \$60.00 per person.
GEORGE PERNO	This year we are proud to honor as our "Woman of the Year," Kiwanian Tania B. Broschart,
Treasurer LINDA A PERNO	Vice President, Branch Manager Banking Division Astoria Bank & Queens Symphony Board of
Secretary	Directors President.
ROBERTA GUALTIERI	We are also honored to have as our long-time friends and Kiwanis Corporate Members, Tony and Mark
Corresponding Secretary	
LINDA A. PERNO	Corbisiero, Proprietors of RICCARDO'S by the BRIDGE recipients of our
Sergeant-At-Arms GEORGE PERNO	"Community Recognition Award."
General Advisor ARTHUR N. GUALTIERI, M.D., J.D.	And to our "Corporate Recognition Award" recipient Karen Means, Chief Development Officer,
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Along with this year's Cocktail Party, we are going to have a Souvenir Journal. Journal ads are as follows: Silver Page, \$150.00, Full Page, \$100.00 and Half Page, \$65.00. This journal will enable us to generate additional funds for our club so that we can reach out to more organizations in need in our community.

We are asking that you, or your organization please help us in our quest to better our community. This year we were able to participate in helping organizations such as; SHAREing & CAREing, QSAC, National Night Against Crime, 114th Pct, Community Council Annual Children's Christmas Party, We were also able to donate over one thousand pounds of turkey's to the less fortunate in our community. This event will also enable us to increase our College Scholarship Program for the youth in our community.

We do hope that you will support us in our endeavors for this great community we call home

#### For Your Journal Ad Only. . .

Please send your check or money order payable to: Astoria / Long Island City Kiwanis Club c/o 32-06 153rd Street • Linden Hill, New York 11354 Attn: Linda Perno, Journal Chairperson

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Deadline for both are on or before September 14th 2015

Thank You. Linda A. Perno, Journal Chairperson Rose Anne Alafogiannis, Ticket Chairperson Astoria - Long Island City Kiwanis

Annual Cocktail Party Honoring

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Tania B. Broschart

Vice President, Branch Manager Banking Division, Astoria Bank Queens Symphony Board of Directors President

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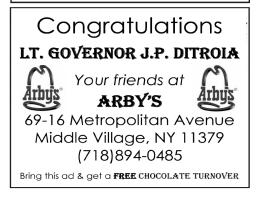
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### **NY District Convention** Desmond Hotel, Albany, NY • August 14-16, 2015

Queens West was the second largest group attending the District Convention. Way to go Queens West!!



Pie in the Face Event raised \$1,000 for Kiwanis Pediatric Lyme Disease.











The night before he was elected Gov.- Elect for 2015-16, Steve Sirgiovanni participated in a Pie in the Face fund raiser for the Kiwanis Pediatric Lyme Disease Foundation. The event, which was chaired by Lt. Gov. JP Di Troia, raised \$1,000 for the foundation; \$500 during the district convention, and \$500 more raised by Sirgiovanni reaching out to members present for donations.

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### **Congratulations Governor Elect Steve Sirgiovanni**



And the convention was not all play, your board hard at work making decisions at our final Board Meeting.





Lt. Gov JP and First Lady Tina having a good time.



There was an election for three seats on the District Foundation Board. Winning the three-year terms were incumbent Anthony Merendino and newcomers Tom Poccio and Immediate Past Distinguished Gov. Joe Aiello. The foundation is responsible for the operation of Kamp Kiwanis.



**Anthony Merendino** 



**Tom Poccio** 



Joe Aiello





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