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MEETINGS ARE HELD 2ND & 4TH FRIDAYS OF EACH MONTH (EXCEPT AS NOTED) AT OUR CASTLE HALL:

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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS TAKE PLACE THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY OTHER MONTH (EXCEPT AS NOTED)

WATCH THE BEAM FOR DETAILS

Next Meetings:

Fri., Sept. 8, 7:00 p.m.
**Memorial Prayer/ GC's
Message (Closed)**

From DGC Errol Lewis (8:30 p.m.)
7:00 p.m. FDR Members-Only Pre-
Meeting Chicken Dinner-See below
@ our Castle Hall - Collation to follow

Fri., Sept. 8 & Oct. 13
Pre-Meeting Dinners (Closed)

RSVP's Required - See page 3
\$5pp FDR Members Only payable to
Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation

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Fri., Oct. 13, 8:30 p.m.

Budget Vote

7:00 p.m. FDR Members-Only Pre-
Meeting Chinese Dinner-See below
@ our Castle Hall - Collation to follow

Next FDR Executive Boards:
Fridays, Oct. 13 & Nov. 10
8:00 p.m. at Our Castle Hall

Fri., Oct. 27, 8:00 p.m.
All Hallows Eve Bash

@ our Castle Hall
Reserve Now - See Page 3

Fri., Dec. 8, 7:30 p.m.
FDR Poker Tournament

(open) @ our Castle Hall * See page 3
contact CDSC Robert Kaufman
(917) 626-8185 or rrk4745@aol.com

3:1 Rank Fri. Nov. 10
at our Castle Hall - See Page 4

Read the Beam on line FDR's Website at:

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

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In Case of Death, Call:

PACDGC Lewis Smith, c/o Boulevard

Riverside, 1901 Flatbush Ave.,

Brooklyn, NY 11210 (718) 633-0400

**Deadline for Next Beam
September 8**

We Mourn The Loss of

Eleanor Rubin (6-2-17), Robert Seiden (6-17-17),
Bernard Worthman (6-22-17), Leonard Friedman (7-27-17),
Arnold Wiener (5-17).

In Case of Death Call

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Help the Order grow; Help FDR Lodge grow. Sign
up a member today. Supreme Lodge and Grand
Lodge support this effort. See page 5.

ATTENTION FDR LODGE BROTHERS

Please provide your email address to receive e-notices of
upcoming events, meeting, other lodge business and the "e-
version" of The Beam. Send your email to Bearak@me.com.

A Word from Our

Chancellor Commander

My Pythian Brothers:

The summer is over.

I hope all of you enjoyed yourself.

FDR Lodge has many events planned
for this coming year but we need your
support.

Please attend meetings and functions.

You will not be disappointed.

Please check your Beams for events.

Hope to see you at our first meeting,
Sept. 8 -- it includes dinner if your
RSVP).

Fraternally Yours,

PC Dr. Howard Lax

Fri., Nov. 24 8:00 p.m.

Bingo

Proceeds Support FDR's Foundation
@ our Castle Hall (Open) - Dessert
***Don't be Closed Out! Reserve Your
Place Now!***

Mail RSVP tear-off to: Corey Bearak,
PO Box 135, Glen Oaks, NY 11004

Name(s)

Phone

Email

Address

Need An Extra FDR Jewish Calendar?

If anyone needs extra FDR calendars
(Jewish Calendars for the New Year),
contact: Lewis J. Smith with your name
& mailing information via fax to (718)
377-5600 or to smittylys@verizon.net.

Support Your Lodge Advertise in The Beam
see page 7 for details

Halloween Bash - Friday, October 27

Costumes Preferred + Prizes

at our Castle Hall, 1348 E. 64nd St., bet. Ralph Ave. & Ave. N, Brooklyn

\$20 FDR couples/ \$40 non-members -- DJ, , Heros Dinner, BYOB

Questions: Contact CDSC Robert Kaufman (917) 628-8185
Mail tear-off & check payable to "Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation" to:
PACDGC Corey Bearak, PO Box 135, Glen Oaks, NY 11004

Name(s)

Phone

Email

Address

Who I would like to sit with:

**Mark Your Calendar for FDR's 2017-2018 Season Pre-Meeting Members-Only Dinners
Fridays, September 8, October 13 & November 10, 7:00 p.m.**

Must Reserve in advance by Sept. 1, Oct 6 and Nov. 3, FDR Members only \$5 payable to Kings-FDR
Tolerance Foundation. All proceeds support the Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation.

name _____ Sept 8 Chicken, _____ Oct 13 Chinese _____ Nov 10 Chicken _____

phone/ email _____

Return to: Corey Bearak, PO Box 135, Glen Oaks, NY 11004. NO CALLS. Email RSVP to Bearak@me.com

Poker Tournament

**in Support of Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation &
FDR Lodge Charities.**

Friday, December 8, 7:00 p.m.

(open) @ our Castle Hall

20pp -- includes Dinner & Poker

Prizes: \$100 1st - \$50 2nd - \$25 3rd

RSVP by Friday, December 1.

Please use coupon below.

Mail check payable to "Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation" to: CDSC Robert Kaufman, 3165 Nostrand Ave.,
Apt 5J, Bklyn, NY 11229. For info, contact CDSC Robert Kaufman (917) 626-8185 or rrk4745@aol.com.

Name(s)

Phone

Email

Address

Guests:

**Don't wait for Your copy of The Beam. Review our Lodge website calendar for our upcoming events
at: <http://fdrlodge613knightsfpythias.com/Events/>**

Reserve now and guarantee your seat(s)

on the FDR Casino Express

Monday, December 25

Bus Leaves 9:00 a.m. from Perry's, 3484 Nostrand Ave

Mail your reservation - \$30pp payable to "Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation" - to Arthur Peckerman, 1981 East 17th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11229. For info, call Arthur at (917) 415-4661 or (718) 934-6561

Name(s)

Address

Phone

Email

Happy Anniversary

1: Peter & Jode Montano; 2: Craig & Amy Shink;
3: Larry & Lisa Brandwein; 13: Howard & Joyce Frank;
17: Sidney & Gloria Pratt; 25: Jack & Audrey Benjamin;
28: Alan & Irina Krell and Warren & Felice Nadel.

Happy Birthday

2: Ellen Krumholtz;
3: Murray Forman & Susan Kramer;
5: Raul Palatnik; 8: Melvin Barenkopf;
15: Gloria Goldstein; 18: Helene Kurzrok;
26: Francine Rubin & Richard M. Schoen;
28: Sheila Guttman; 30: Gladys Gewirtz.

FDR Lodge #613 Three In One Rank



Friday, Nov. 10 (Closed)



Welcome your newest Brothers into our Order

at our Castle Hall, 1348 E. 64nd St., bet. Ralph Ave. & Ave. N, Bklyn

For more information contact DSC Craig Shink at
CraigShink@gmail.com or call (347) 351-3251

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, please send your information and/or pictures to webmaster PACDGC Corey Bearak at Bearak@me.com.
ALSO, check out the "All Events Calendar" on the Grand Lodge website.

Don't Miss Out! Submit An Article. Promote Your FDR Event in The Beam. Please submit material via email by the first meeting of the month preceding publication to Bearak@me.com. The deadline for The Beam for Oct. is Sept 8.

The Beam editor asks all brothers and widows who have not shared their birthdays and anniversary dates (we now milestone so you might wish to share the year) to please send or email their information to ACDGC 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.

Please Print:

Members Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Wifes Name: _____ Wifes Birth Date: _____

Anniversary Date: _____ Telephone No: (____) ____ - ____ Email _____

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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 unlawfully engaged in the wholesale or retail sale of intoxicating liquors or narcotics and that I believe in the maintenance of order and the upholding of constituted authority in the government in which I live. Moreover, I declare upon honor that I do not advocate nor am I a member of any organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the Country in which this Order has a legal existence, by force of violence or other unlawful means, and that I do not seek by force or violence to deny to other persons their rights under the law of such country.

I was born in the City of State of

On the.....day of, 19.....

Address.....

Phone-Home.....Cell.....Email.....

Occupation.....

Business Address.....

Work-Phone-.....w-fax.....Email.....

If this application is accepted, I promise full and faithful observance of all rules and law that govern this lodge and Order.

The Fee (see below) of \$.....Accompanies This Application

Written and signed 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 you previously applied for the membership in the order of KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS? If so, when and where? _____

4) Are you willing to take upon yourself a solemn obligation to keep forever secret all that you may hear, see or be instructed in - an obligation that will in no way conflict with your conscience? _____

Signed.....

Print Name.....

We the endorsers of the above application, certify that the applicant possesses all of the necessary qualifications for members in the Order Knights of Pythias (print names below signatures):

Signed.....

Signed.....

Print Name.....

Print Name.....

Type of Membership: Check One... Regular ___ Social ___ Dual ___

DUES: \$60 Initiation Fee: Check One.....\$100 [\$50 if join by June 30, 2016]* or ___\$500***under age 60 and Social (Non-benefit) Members who sign waiver **age 60 and above

Support Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation

Make a contribution of \$5.00 or more in someone's honor (birthday, anniversary, graduation, other occasion) or memory and your special message will be included in The Beam. Mail to: PACDGC Lewis Smith, c/o Boulevard-Riverside, 1901 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Make all checks payable to "Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation".

FDR Calendar for 2017-2018 - Clip & Save it

All meetings are Fridays except where otherwise noted

2017

- Fri., Sept. 8, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Chicken Pre-Meeting Dinner (\$5pp payable to Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation) preceding 8:30 p.m. Grand Chancellor's Message (Closed)
- Thu., Oct. 5, 2017, 7:30 p.m. Diabetes Dine A Round at Giardino Restaurant, 44-37 Douglaston Parkway, Douglaston, NY 11363, send check \$35pp payable to "KoP Diabetes Research Association Inc." to Craig Shink, 61-23 255th Street, Little Neck, NY 11362
- Fri., October 13, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Chinese Pre-Meeting Dinner (See Sept. 8 details) preceding 8:00 p.m. Board and 8:30 p.m. Budget Vote Meeting (Closed)
- Fri., Oct. 27 8:00 p.m. Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Hero Dinner & Halloween Bash (OPEN)(\$10pp FDR members, \$20 non-members payable to Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation)
- Fri., Nov. 10, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Pre-Meeting Chicken Dinner (See Sept. 8 details) preceding 8:00 p.m. Board and 8:30 p.m. 3:1 Rank; Turkey Giveaway (\$15pp) (Closed)
- Sun., Nov 12, 12:00 - 5:00 p.m. 46th District Deputy's Dinner honoring PDGC Richard Resnick, at Rex Manor.
- Fri., Nov. 24, 8:00 p.m. Kings FDR Tolerance Foundation Bingo (OPEN)
- Fri., Dec. 8, 7:30 p.m. Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Poker Night
- Fri., Dec. 22, 7:30 p.m. Members-only Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Italian Night (OPEN) (\$10pp, \$20/couple payable to Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation)
- Mon., Dec. 25, Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Casino Bus Trip. Contact PDGC Arthur Peckerman (Bus provided by FDR Lodge) (OPEN)

FDR Members-only Italian Night (OPEN)

Fri., Dec. 22, 7:30 p.m. at our Castle Hall (\$10pp, \$20/couple -- Mail check payable to "Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation" to: CDSC Robert Kaufman, 3165 Nostrand Ave., Apt 5J, Bklyn, NY 11229 (917) 626-8185 or rrk4745@aol.com.

2018

- Fri., Jan. 12, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Pre-Meeting Chinese Dinner precedes 8:30 p.m. Reg. Mtg. (Closed)
- Fri., Jan. 26, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Pre-Meeting Bagels and Spread Dinner preceding 8:00 p.m. Foundation and 8:30 p.m. Regular Meetings (Closed)
- Sun., Feb. 4, 46th District Super Bowl (TBD)(OPEN)
- Fri., Feb 9, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Chicken Pre-Meeting Dinner preceding 8:00 p.m. Board and 8:30 p.m. Regular Meeting (Closed)
- Sat. Feb 17, Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Chinese New Year Sweethearts Dance Location & Details TBA (OPEN)
- Feb. 23, 12:30-4:00 p.m., Florida Luncheon, (details & date to be confirmed)
- Feb. 23, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Pizza Pre-Meeting Dinner preceding 8:00 p.m. Benevolent Meeting and 8:30 p.m. Regular Meeting (Closed)
- Fri., Mar. 9, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Chinese Pre-Meeting Dinner preceding 8:30 p.m. Regular Meeting (Closed)
- Mon., Mar. 19, 8:00 p.m. 46th Dist. Blue Jacket to GC & Lodge Man of the Year at AOH (Closed)
- Fri., Mar. 23, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Hero Pre-Meeting Dinner (See Sept. 8 details) precedes 8:30 p.m.. Regular Meeting Passover Wine (Closed)
- Fri., Apr. 13, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Bagels & Lox, etc Pre-Meeting Dinner precedes 8:30 p.m. Reg. Mtg. (Closed)
- Fri., Apr. 27, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Chinese Pre-Meeting Dinner precedes 8:00 p.m. Board Meeting and 8:30 p.m. 1st Nominations (Closed)
- Fri., May 11, 8:30 p.m. Knight of the Shield to Grand Chancellor followed by Grand Collation (Closed)
- Fri., May 25, 7:30 p.m. Members-only Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation Couples Night at Gourmet Grill (\$10pp/ \$20/couple payable to Kings-FDR Tolerance Foundation) (OPEN)
- Sun., June 3 Grand Lodge Humanitarian Fund Brunch @ Temple Avodah
- Fri., June 8, 7:00 p.m. Members-only Hero Pre-Meeting Dinner preceding 8:30 p.m. 2nd Nominations, Elections (Closed)
- Sun., June 10 Grand Chancellor's Dinner @ Temple Avodah
- June 22, 8:00 p.m. Installation & Charitable & Scholarship Awards (OPEN)

Get involved in Grand Lodge Committees.

Make a difference in efforts to cure Diabetes, the programs supported by the Pythian Humanitarian Fund, scholarships for needy youths to attend Pythian Camp and other Grand Lodge charitable efforts. Many FDR brothers already serve. Join them. For more information, contact CDSC Robert Kaufman or DSC Craig Shink.

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