Staten Is. Club Supports In-School Scouting

Governor’s Project
Doreen Pettitieri

This Kiwanis year, we all have a special opportunity to participate in Governor Joe’s exciting “Six Part Project.”
Your Club will be receiving the Governor's Recognition Patch to be displayed on your banner. As you complete a part of the project, your club will receive the insert patch to be added to the Recognition Patch. When you have completed and filled out qualification forms for each part, please complete the form for the Governor's Project Award and forward to me at your earliest convenience.
Information forms, qualification forms and sample press releases can be downloaded from the District website www.kiwanis-ny.org.

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Governor
Joseph L. Corace

We have just returned from our traditional “K” Family Weekend at Hudson Valley Resort & Spa, and as usual, our sponsored youth was just terrific.
I’ve had the opportunity to attend many “K” Family Weekends and I always return with nothing but the highest admiration for all of our sponsored youth. This past weekend was no different, but as Governor, it was the most rewarding.
The business part of the weekend went well and we accomplished all that needed to get done. My thanks goes out to all of the NVD Chairs who came and addressed the board with their projects and areas of responsibility.
I would like to extend a special thanks to the Sponsored Youth Committees for their help.
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Gov. Denoncourt and Gov. Wright Designated Heroes

Joe’s Heroes Event

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Bookmark Project Held With Franklin Square Scouts

The Kiwanis Club of Franklin Square, Long Island South Central Division – brought the Governor’s School Bookmark Project to the Franklin Square John Street School Girl Scout Daisy Troop #1376.

The scouts decorated beautiful bookmarks as part of Governor Joe’s Project to encourage children to read, as well as participating in the “Give a Bookmark – Get A Bookmark” event. Franklin Square provided materials for students to create the personalized bookmarks which will be collected and forwarded to students in disaster areas. Students, in turn, received a laminated bookmark to keep for their efforts.

In addition the Franklin Square Seniors Kiwanis Club presented a check for $500 to the Franklin Square John Street School Girl Scout Daisy Troop #1476.

Franklin Sq. Seniors donate $500 to John Street School Girls Scout Troop #1476.

During the Governor’s School Bookmark Project one of the Daisy Scouts told Mike Fusco that “Reading is just as important as breathing and eating!”

Antique Car Show Held in Floral Park

The Kiwanis Club of Floral Park Long Island North – held its annual antique car show and family fun day at John Lewis Child school ground. All the proceeds from the event go toward the club’s annual scholarship program for Floral Park Memorial HS and Sewanhaka HS.

Many people made this day a wonderful success – thanks to Koenig’s, Crab Tree, Golden Touch jewelers of Floral Park, JW Becker’s Florist, JJ Dancers, the Floral Park Memorial HS band and the Key Club of Floral Park Memorial, along with many devoted club members.

L-R: Treasurer John Monz, DPG John Gridley, Alex Leschinski, President Maria Jones, Trustee James Rhatigan, Mayor Phil Guarnieri, Shelly Ruggles, Village Judge Doug Hayden and the honorable Thomas Hayden. Not pictured but helpful: John Deraval, Dr. Bob Oerzen, Jan Greene, RoseMarie Gridley, George Gustatson, Trisha and Anthony Vacciano and Matthew Saketos.

Above left to right: Troop Co-Leader Melanie Ras, FS Kiwanis Club Past President Mike Fusco, FS Kiwanis Member Elisette Ocampo, FS Senior Kiwanis Club President Lillian Frezza, FS Senior Kiwanis Club President Elect Ann Alles, Troop Leader Jina Papadoniou and in front are the Franklin Square John St. School Girl Scout Daisy Troop #1476.

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