## **HUDSON VALLEY 10-13 ASSOCIATION**

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Member: National NYCPD 10-13 Organizations Inc.



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#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**NOVEMBER 2025** 

Hello to all our Hudson Valley 10-13 Members!

I hope this letter finds you and your families doing well.

Our next meeting will take place on Thursday November 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at the Kearsing and Edwards American Legion Post 1600 located at 20 Station Road, Pomona, NY. I'm looking forward to seeing many of you there.

We will be having 2 guest speakers at our next meeting. Dave Nicholson, who runs the PBA Health and Welfare Fund, will be our first guest speaker. Knowing who the new NYC Mayor will be for the new year Dave will be able to give us a better understanding of what we will be up against regarding the future of our healthcare.

As many of us get older and look to downsize, we could look for help with Estate planning and maybe sales of antiques. Our second guest speaker is 1<sup>st</sup> Grade NYPD Det. John Felz. John is an expert in both fields and encourages you to bring your pieces and/or photos to the meeting so he can evaluate them. He has been on the Antique Roadshow 4 times.

I want to remind you that our **Bi-annual** Raffle will be drawn at our December meeting so if you haven't done so yet, get those slips in.

The members of the Board and I want to thank our Veterans for their services! And we would also like to wish you, your families, and your friends a very Happy, Blessed, and a safe Thanksgiving.

Michael Sweeney, President

# **History of Veterans Day**

World War I – known at the time as "The Great War" – officially ended when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919, in the Palace of Versailles outside the town of Versailles, France. However, fighting ceased seven months earlier when an armistice, or temporary cessation of hostilities, between the Allied nations and Germany went into effect on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month. For that reason, November 11, 1918, is generally regarded as the end of "the war to end all wars."

Veterans Day continues to be observed on November 11, regardless of what day of the week on which it falls. The restoration of the observance of Veterans Day to November 11 not only preserves the historical significance of the date but helps focus attention on the important purpose of Veterans Day: A celebration to honor America's veterans for their patriotism, love of country, and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.



## MARINE CORPS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Kearsing Edwards American Legion Post 1600 20 Station Road Pomona, NY 10970

> SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2025 1400-1800 HOURS

## Events will include:

- \*Marching Pass in Review of Military Personnel
- \*Chow line consisting of metal trays with SOS
- \*Oldest and Youngest Marine
- \*Birthday cake cutting with a sword

All are welcome - civilian & military BRING A BUDDY

There is no cost for this event

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Members of the Hudson Valley 10-13 attended the National NYCPD 10-13 Organization's 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention at the Villa Roma Resort Hotel this past September.









HV 10-13 Board Member and USMC Veteran Harry O'Boyle had the distinction of being chosen for an Honor Flight honoring American Veterans In Washington DC at the Veterans Memorials. Accompanied by his nephew Bob Burbridge, Harry posed with 3 female officers assigned to the Pentagon.





### MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT IS OCT 15<sup>™</sup> THRU DEC 7<sup>™</sup> 2025

Mark your calendars, the Medicare Open Enrollment starts October 15, 2025. Did you know that new benefits are coming to Medicare drug coverage next year?

Starting in 2026 all Medicare plans will include a **\$2100.00 cap on what you pay out-of- pocket for prescription drugs** covered by your plan.

Also starting next year, you can choose to participate in a program that spreads your out-of-pocket drug costs across the calendar year instead of paying all at once at the pharmacy. It's called the **Medicare Prescription Payment Plan**, and you can opt in with your plan throughout the 2026 plan year. Contact your plan for more details.

Remember, Medicare plans can change from one year to the next, and so can your health needs. Preview and compare all your health and drug options and see if you can save.

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Well Wishes to the following HV 10-13 Members:

Rich Molloy, and James Pascalicchio.

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# HUDSON VALLEY 10-13 NOVEMBER 2025 UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun Nov 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025 2:00 – 6:00 pm Marine Corp Birthday-Salute to Our Military\*
Kearsing and Edwards American Legion Post #1600
20 Station Rd. Pomona, NY 10970

#### TUESDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2025 VETERANS DAY

Thur Nov 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025
7:00 – 9:00 pm
Kearsing and Edwards American Legion Post #1600
20 Station Rd. Pomona, NY 10970

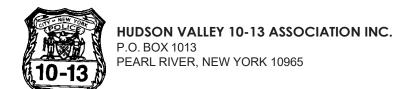
Wed Nov 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025
R. C. Shields General Meeting
Haverstraw Elks Lodge #877
877 Elks Dr. Haverstraw, NY 10927

Tue Dec 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025
F.O.P. Lodge #188 General Meeting
6:30 – 9:00 pm
Kearsing and Edwards American Legion Post #1600
20 Station Rd. Pomona, NY 10970

Thur Dec 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025 **Hudson Valley 10-13 General Meeting** 7:00 – 9:00 pm Kearsing and Edwards American Legion

Kearsing and Edwards American Legion Post # 1600 20 Station Rd. Pomona, NY 10970

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Military are welcome, food will be served.



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#### **PAST PRESIDENTS**

(\* Deceased)

Thomas F. Mullins*	1987-88
(Founding Member)	
Bob Dowd*	1989-90
Allen D. Grant*	1991-92
Timothy J. Connolly	1993-94
James M. Maher*	1995-96
John J. Barry*	1997-98
Louis Auleta*	1999-00
John J. Peluso	2001-02
James M. Ferguson	2003-04
John Gowrie*	2005-06
Anthony Perrone	2007-07
Richard Molloy	2008-10, 15
Arthur Onody*	2010-11
Bill Leach	2012-13
Louis J. Massaro*	2014-14
Bart Foley	2016-17
John Creegan	2018-19
John Briganti	2020-22
Kathleen McLaughlin	2023-24

**Attention Members:** 

- Any dues can be paid either by US Mail: using the top portion of the Multiform on the 3<sup>rd</sup> page of this newsletter or by going to our website: <a href="https://www.hudsonvalley1013.com">www.hudsonvalley1013.com</a> where you can use your credit card or PayPal
- 2026 HV 10-13 Membership cards and a National 10-13 card will be mailed out to those members who are up to date (including 2026 dues) in January.
   All others will receive their cards as their dues is paid.
- We would like to hear from our members regarding any news that you would like to share with us, for example, good news or sad news, Milestone Birthdays, Anniversaries, Grandchildren or Great Grandchildren being born, or graduating etc. For the Active members, any changes to Rank or Retirement. Maybe you would like to share pictures with your fellow members. Send them to me at fimartucci@hotmail.com

Fred Martucci, Rec Secretary