



was held on **Friday, August 23rd 2019** at the Worlds End Farm Estate in Little Falls NJ to help raise funds for officers and their families during their time of need or crisis. Portions of the proceeds were distributed among the following causes:

## **BLUE MASS**

The Police Officer's Brotherhood has been a staunch supporter of the Newark Blue Mass over the years. We have given generous donation to officers and their families in need at the luncheon ceremonies provided by the Blue Mass Committee for those recipients and officers in attendance held after the mass at the skating rink. The POB commends the efforts of the committee and all that they do to hold such a heartfelt remembrance of those officers who made the ultimate sacrifice protecting and serving the State of New Jersey. We thank all of them for their dedication and commitment to have the Blue Mass in honor of the men and woman in blue who gave their lives in the line of duty.

## **BLUE SUICIDE**

An epidemic that is increasingly growing across the nation and we thank The Blue Magazine for bring this issue to the forefront. The Blue Magazine along with the Moment of Silence are holding periodic meetings throughout New Jersey to discuss what we can do to help our brother and sister officers struggling with this pressing issue. The Police Officer's Brotherhood is committed to helping and putting together its program called "No One Stands Alone" to help officers deal with this epidemic to hopefully save lives. We have an obligation to be our brothers and sisters in blue, keeper!



The POB's motto is" Together we can make the thin blue line stronger". Clearly, that's not just a slogan because we believe in truly being our brothers and sisters keeper. "We Have Your Back!" And with that said, are now raising funds for those officers and their families who were affected from the resent shootings where officers sustained injuries.



**Trooper Castellano** lost his life in the line of duty when he was struck by a passing vehicle on June 6, 2010. His mother, Donna Setaro, is campaigning for more highway signs & lecturing throughout the USA to bring public awareness to the **Move Over Law**, which safeguards first responders on highways.

To benefit M.A.R.C Program

Marc K. Castellano Made the Ultimate Sacrifice

Date of Birth: 7-15-1980 End of Watch: 6-6-2010

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Tour: 6 years Age: 29 yrs old





## We are our Brothers And Sisters Keeper!

The Police Officer's Brotherhood through its programs, services and fundraising efforts has donated over \$100,000 to law enforcement officers and their

families during their time of need or crises regardless of their union affiliation, titles and agency they work for in order to form a band of brothers. We help support State, County and Federal law enforcement officers such as State Troopers, State Parole Officers, State and County Correction Officers, Sheriff's Officers, Municipal & County Police Officers. During these horrific times officers are being assassinated for just doing their jobs and wearing a uniform and their sacrifices shall not be in vain. It's time to unite and stand shoulder to shoulder with one another because....

Together we will make the thin blue line stronger



Labor Leader Award: Business Manager IBEW 1158 Joseph Calabro



Legislative Award:
Assemblyman
Republican Conference Leader
Anthony M. Bucco Jr (R)



Journalism Award:
The Blue Magazine
Publisher
Daniel Del Valle



Business Owner Award: Jiminez Tobacco Brand Ambassador Peter Pozo-Jiminez

he Brotherhood held its summer bash fundraiser welcoming supporters, sponsors, family members, friends, honorees Law Enforcement colleagues, and members of the business community throughout the State. The guests attending came from several civilian trade unions, police groups STFA, Fop's, PBA's, SOA's, POBA, dignitaries and corporations to raise funds for officers and their families during their time of need or crises. The event was sponsored by International Union Painters & Allied Trades DC 711, Jiminez Tobacco Cigar Lounge, and The Worlds End Farm, the event was coordinated by Jerry Conan, Director of Communications for the NJLEPOB. The Master of Ceremonies was Ambassador to the POB Michael Sica Jr. Past President and Delegate of PBA local 199.

Those attending engaged in good conversation, food, drinks, music and nice hand rolled cigars while networking with one another in a relaxing country club setting. The pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence was held for those in the military and law enforcement officer who made the ultimate sacrifice serving and protecting our

country. Michael explained about the Police Officers Brotherhood's charitable endeavors and accomplishments helping officers and their families in their time of need and honoring those who made the ultimate sacrifices. There was a short program regarding the following honorees. Labor Leader Award: Business Manager, Joseph Calabro IBEW 1158, Legislative Award: Assemblyman, Anthony M. Bucco Jr. Republican Conference Leader, Journalism Award: Publisher Daniel Del Valle The Blue Magazine and **Business Owner Award:** Brand Ambassador **Peter Pozo-Jiminez** Jiminez Tobacco were recognized for their contributions, donations helping, supporting and working with the law enforcement community as well as legislation. They all humbly accepted their special recognition and commended the POB for its continued commitment in helping officers and their families during their time of need or crises regardless if the officers are members of their organization. A special shout out was given to Jiminez Tobacco for their donation, sponsoring and supplying the cigars for this event.

Recognition was given from the Honorees regarding the positive impact the brotherhood has had on officers and their families in need and those families of officers killed in the line of duty. The Brotherhood greatly thanked those supporters of our mission of bringing back the brother/sisterhood to the law enforcement community.

Mike Sica explained that The POB is an independent non-profit Law Enforcement Organization formed to bring together

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the frontline law enforcement officer and the civilian community together forming an alliance to help all officers, their families and the victims of crime. The POB is governed by active and retired/former Law Enforcement Officers

throughout the State. The POB is not a labor union (Collective Bargaining Unit) or lobbying group and does not compete with the PBA, FOP, SOA or STFA. Our purpose is to unite law enforcement officers throughout the United State and give donations to all law enforcement officers regardless of their Union affiliation to bring back the true meaning of "the brotherhood". The POB has helped raise and donated over \$150,000 to law enforcement causes. For further information or if you're interested in becoming a member, making a donation or want to become a sponsor for the P.O.B go to www.NJLEPOB.com or call 1-866-965-5372

