

Feis Time

May 2023 Newsletter

General Info:

Mail correspondence to: The Emerald Association of Putnam County P.O. Box 141 Brewster, NY 10509 www.emeraldapc.com.

General Membership Meeting Schedule

2nd Friday of each month September through June. at the Trinity Lutheran Church Hall located at 2103 Route 6 in Brewster. May 12th, June 9th. Doors open at 7:15pm – meeting starts at 8pm.

Executive Board:

President: John Shanley 845.590.3052 Past President: Nuala Donnelly: 845.494.9460 Vice President: John Molloy 914.438.9384 Treasurer: Margaret O'Reilly 845.225.7375 Correspondence Secretary: Dympna Zazzero 845.278.8271 Recording Secretary: Mary Reamer Membership Secretary: Declan Sheeran: 845.661.7527

Board Members:

Kerry Desandre; Jim Dolan; John Glynn; Pauline Killean, Mary Thorne; Mickey Tierney

Member News:

Members are encouraged to submit news of births, deaths, marriages, et al to John Molloy by telephone to (914) 485-1241 or by text to (914) 438-9384 or by email to jgmpc@optonline.net or by mail to 11 October Lane, Mahopac, NY 10541.



Our congratulations to Eddie McDowell on his trip with the "Honor Flight" The flight is scheduled to arrive from DC on Saturday May 20th at approximately 8pm at Westchester County airport. If anyone is free to attend to welcome Eddie and all our local Veterans home, please do so. Congratulations Eddie and thank you for your service.

Help needed.

A past supporter of our association Bridget Campbell is looking for some help to fix up some items at her home. Items include paint deck, cement, and patch walkway. If any of our members know anyone that can help her out, please call her at 845-628-5284.

Feis

Our annual Feis is upon us again Sunday May 21st at Veterans Park

As in past years we have been desperately looking for volunteers to help. I have attached a web-sit for volunteers to go on and see the different areas we need volunteers.

Please members if you know of anyone available. to help have them sign up.

Brief breakdown of areas

Thursday 18th @ 4pm remove all stages and equipment from storage.

Saturday 29^{tht} 8am build stages, set up kitchen.

Sunday 21st Stage help, Kitchen help, Kitchen server's, Break down stages at 3pm Tuesday 23rd clean up and put all stages and kitchen equipment back in storage. Again, please, we need volunteers.

The website for volunteers to sign up for the feis is ready.

The link is: <u>https://emeraldapc.ivolunteer.com/feis_2023</u>

Emerald Association Scholarship 2023

Congratulations to our four scholarship candidates.Brianna FerrieriEAPC familyTeresa FoleyAudrey AdamsEAPC familyPat Lavan.Elle OuhrabkaEAPC familyMargaret O'ReillyGavin OuhrabkaEAPC familyMargaret O'Reilly

Social Media

"Like" our page on Facebook and share it with your friends! If you have content you would like to see posted please pass it along to Nuala Donnelly or Lisa Scully. Comments or suggestions are always welcome.

<u>Save the date.</u> Brewster Elks are having a Veterans Memorial Picnic on Saturday, June 3rd Flyer attached. Sunday May 21. 2023 Feis at Putnam Park August 20.2023 Picnic at Putnam Park

Member News Hotline:

Our newsletter competes for your attention with television news; newspapers; Facebook; emails and countless other media, so to raise the level of the quality of our Newsletter we have set up an electronic hotline at jgmpc@optonline.net. Please submit all birth, death, marriage, social events and other news which our members should hear about. Don't think that someone else may submit the tid-bit, so you don't have to. You may be the only person who has heard about something and you should not keep it to yourself.

Dues:

If you are unsure of your membership status, please contact Declan Sheeran at <u>dsheeran62@yahoo.com</u>. Dues are \$30 per Family; \$20 per Individual.

Other:

All Emerald Association members are invited to help ensure the future of the organization by telling family members, friends, co-workers, etc.... about the events, comradery, fellowship and raucous good times enjoyed by all in our presence! Especially in difficult times, people with similar values and backgrounds seek comfort in the company of similar souls. A new friend is simply a stranger that you have not met yet.

On the same mission from a different perspective, members are asked to regularly don their thinking caps to come up with creative ways to increase membership. For example, opening our doors to non-members at the Fall Social was a great way to show people how great some of us dance and how gregarious all of us are. The Emeralds will survive only by continuing to add members.



Please keep our Veterans and First Responders in your thoughts and prayers.





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MEMORIAL PICNIC Saturday, June 3rd

MUST RSVP BY 5/27/23 Rain Date June 4th

1430 Rt 22, Brewster, NY corner of Milltown Rd & Rt 22

Volunteers Needed Contact Paul #845-270-3109