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District 7 New Initiates



Hartford Chapter #58 Visitation- Pictured L-R: Jack Issac, District 7 Lt Governor, John Melonopoulos, #58 President, Andreas Aros (#117), Louis Antonio #58, Perry Makris #58, Niko Yanouzas #58, Peter Melonopoulos #58, Jason Antoniou #58, Emmanuel Moshovos-District 7 Governor



GRAND VISIT

AHEPA District #7 Fall Conference in New Britain, CT, (L-R) Daughters of Penelope Grand Vice President Niki Stamoulis, *Grand President Christine K. Constantine*, District #7 Governor Loukia Kazakos, AHEPA Supreme Vice President John Grossomanides, and District Governor Emmanuel Moshovos.

It was the first time that District 7 had three of the top four Grand Officers of the Daughters of Penelope in attendance.



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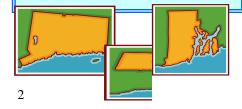
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Message from the Order of AHEPA District Governor

Dear Brothers.

The first half of my term was highlighted by three tremendous events. First, a successful 2nd Annual Hellenic History Trophy Tournament thanks to the great effort by our HHT Chairman PDG Nicholas Nikas. Secondly, we hosted a very impressive Northeast Regional AHEPA Biennial Banquet honoring a number of distinguished recipients including our very own Socrates H. Mihalakos, of Waterbury, CT and Dr. John Elefteriades, New Haven, CT. Finally, we exceeded all expectations in membership. Our Yankee District 7 had impressive growth in membership in 2010, growing from 765 to 822 members, which is the largest level in the last 20 years. Nationally, we ranked first in Membership Retention at 97.3% based on membership dues sent to Headquarters. We are second in the Nation in percentage of growth through 2010 and our District was the only District in the Country to grow by almost 30%. Membership is the key to the success of our organiza-

I was able to make Chapter visitations to: Norwich, New Britain, Norwalk, Hartford, Danbury, Meriden, Waterbury, Bridgeport, Stamford, Providence, and New Haven in the first half and look forward to completing and repeating the rounds of our District #7 Chapters. The visitations have been a great learning and sharing experience. Also, it was a pleasure and honor to initiate new members and swear in new officers. The quality of our Ahepans in District 7 is wide spread, and the enthusiasm is contagious.

Thank you for your efforts in growing our District membership!! Thank you for supporting the District events!

We need to continue our efforts of promoting Hellenism through education, philanthropy and civic responsibility. Also, we need to continue to grow our membership through a concerted effort of Recruiting, Reinstating and Retaining (RRR), with a common goal to grow the District 7 membership to exceed 850 in 2011.

The District #7 Lodge and Brothers from District #5 and #6 are planning on marching in the Greek Independence Parade in New York City on Sunday, March 27th. For those interested in joining us in the march, please contact Brother Manolis Sfinarolakis (203-232-2462) for information.

We had a very good turnout and suc-

Upcoming Events

Greek Independence Day Parade

Sunday, March 27, 2011

5th Avenue

New York City, NY - 12:30PM

AHEPA District #7 Spring Conference Saturday, April 9, 2011

Harford #58 AHEPA Sr Housing Hartford, CT - 10AM

AHEPA Sunday May 15, 2011

New England Regional Convention XI May 20-22, 2011

Best Western—Mainstay Newport, Rhode Island

cessful Fall District 7 Conference which was held October 30th in New Britain, CT, and look forward to seeing you at our Spring Conference on April 9th to be held at the Hartford Nathan Hale Chapter 58 Lodge, 1532 Berlin Turnpike Wethersfield, CT.

In closing, let me ask you to help me in our membership initiative, take a membership application and ask someone you know to join AHEPA. One for one, ask a family member, a relative, someone you work with, or someone at a church coffee hour to join.

I look forward to strengthening our District and achieving our goals. Fraternally,

Emmanuel (Mo)

Emmanuel D. Moshovos (Mo) District Governor

Did you know

The official website of Yankee District #7 is www.ahepad7.org. You can find a variety of forms, dates of events, copies of previous newsletters at this website. The national website is www.ahepa.org

NATIONAL NEWS

Subscribe to the AHEPA National Weekly Newsletter email called "This Week for Greeks" go to www.ahepa.org

Message from the Daughters of Penelope District Governor

It's been a long/tough Winter but just think Spring is only 46 days away. The snow is definitely going to go away (someday)!!!!!! Now is the time to get everyone excited about the Daughters of Penelope. Work on your membership and invite new ladies to become a member of the exciting Daughters of Penelope. Reach out to Sisters who have been missing, car pool to meetings and events. Our District membership continues to grow with the initiation of many new Sisters. Keep up the FANTAS-TIC job!!!!!!

Our District Scholarship application was in the Winter 2010 Yankee News, please make sure to let the graduates who are qualified to apply know. Make sure to have your application completed and submitted by the deadline date: April 15, 2011.

Thank You to the Waterbury Chapter #199 for inviting the District lodge to a wonderful Christmas party at Vasi's. I look forward in visiting all the Chapters in our District. Please email or call me with a date to visit your Chapter. After a fantastic turnout at our Fall Conference, I look forward in seeing many Sisters at our spring Conference on April 9, 2011 in Hartford,

Have you booked your flight yet??? Now is the time to get ready for the national Convention at the Miami Fountainebleau Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida!!!! Just thinking about the WARM weather gets you excited! This will be a Convention you don't miss!!!!

Remember to get in touch with me for a visitation!!!!!

Yours in Theta Pi,

Lucia
Lucia
(Loukia)
Kazakos
District
Governor
PHOTO:
Grand
President
Christine
and DG
Lukia.



WHY PEOPLE SHOULD JOIN AHEPA/DOP

- 1. Together we can achieve more.
- 2. AHEPA/DOP would be stronger if it had 100,000 members.
- AHEPA/DOP support and protect the interests of the Greek community.
- 4. AHEPA/DOP have a great Scholarship Program and educates thousands of Young Adults.
- We all should give back to our communities, Civic Responsibility.
- 6. Hellenism is an important cause.

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RUCKULIS

The AHEPA Family will have Greek Heritage Night at the Rockcats to promote Hellenism on Tuesday, June 21 in New Britain sponsored by the Daughters of Penelope

The Rockcats will be playing the Bowie Baysox farm team of the Baltimore Orioles. Tuesday nights Kids Eat Free! Daughters of Penelope Ares Chapter #49—Newport, RI



L-R Newport Chapter sisters Joan Rozes, Joanne Hologgitas, Ronna Stefanopoulos, Penny Hiotas and Ellen Anagnostos with fruit and cookies to bring to shut ins for Christmas.

Hartford #58 AHEPA News

AHEPA Chapter #58 Nathan Hale Chapter Hartford, CT

Greetings from Hartford, On December 7, 2010, Nathan Hale Chapter #58 hosted an initiation of 6 new Brothers into the Order. The initiation was conducted by Emmanuel Moshovos, District Governor #7 and Jack Issac Lt Governor. Those initiated were Louis Antonio, Jason Antoniou, Andreas Aros, Pericles Makris, Peter Melonopoulos and Nikos Yanouzos. Following the cemony; John Yanouzos (Danielson #418), Andrew Aros (New Britain #117), John Melonopoulos (Hartford #58) gave AHEPA pins to their sons. Following the initiation, the Hartford AHEPA Family hosted its Annual Christmas Gathering.

Both events were conducted in the spacious AHEPA Lodge Room of the Nathan Hale Senior Center, where 40 members of the AHEPA #58 and Thoas Chapter (DOP) held their Annual Christmas Gathering. A buffet was presented by Brother Chef Tony Kazakos of Grecian Style Chicken, greek style green beans and pilaf with salad. Following dinner, a musical presentation of local and Christmas melodies by 4 members of the "Uncommon Times". After the musical presentation, a Chinese Grab Bag was held which amused the membership. A special thank you goes to Adele Antoniou, Elaine Melonopoulos (decorations), Angelo Giannakopoulos, Lukia Kazakos DG, Jerry Panagakis, Jerry Copsinis for their assistance. See our picture on the cover.

Norwich #110 Chapter News

AHEPA Chapter #110 Rose of New England Norwich, CT

The Rose of New England Chapter

#110 continues to be active in our Community. We contributed a donation to St. Basil Academy at the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church Annual Vasilopita cutting and Auction. See our picture below. At our December meeting we showed a movie on the Secrets of the Parthe-

non.

Also, we look forward to sending a large delegation to the Supreme Convention in Miami Beach to support our own John Grossomanides who is running for Supreme President. We wish the best to our Snowbirds in Florida; Bill Trantalis, Tony Petros, and Bob Booth stay warm everyone its freezing up north.



Norwich #110 supports St. Basil Academy L-R:
John Grossomanides, Steve Patsouris, George Grossomanides, and John Louziotis.

Grossomanides
Family—PDG John
G., PDG and Supreme Vice President John, PDG-DOP
Claire along with
Anna-Helene Panagakos Grand Treasurer, and Elaine
Grossomanides at a
AHEPA and Daughters of Penelope
gathering in Fort
Lauderdale, FL.

Bridgeport #62 Chapter News

AHEPA Chapter #62 Bridgeport, CT

The Chapter held its Annual Chicken Luncheon on January 16th. We thank everybody who supported our annual Scholarship Fundraiser. At the luncheon, we were also proud to present the church with a donation of \$500 from the proceeds, which were raised from the AHEPA Taverna Night event. The Annual Chicken Lunch will return to a November Schedule. The event was rescheduled to January due to several members participating in the Holy Land trip in November.

We attended "A Night at the Museum" at the Bellarmine Museum of Art at Fairfield University. Our chapter with the Daughters arranged this event which featured the museum exhibit "Gifts from Athens", which included plaster casts of sculptures from the Parthenon. We had a cocktail reception which followed the tour. We were honored to have the President of Fairfield University, Rev. Jeffrey von Arx join us. He expressed his appreciation to AHEPA

and the Daughters for supporting the museum exhibit. The chapter is planning on expanding its sponsorship of cultural events. We will soon be working with the Hellenic Studies Program at Yale University. We also attended a Bridgeport Hockey Game in February.

Below are the achieves of the New Haven Chapter #98. Home of two Past Supreme Presidents. The portrait in the center is that of PSP Constantine P. "Gus" Verinis.





Around the District with the District Governor



Mo and Supreme President Nicholas Karacostas bonding at the September Governor's Conf. in Washington, DC roof top happy hour and dinner.



District 7 Governor Emmanuel "Mo" Moshovos introduces Brother John Callas of the Hartford Nathan Hale Chapter 58 as a guest speaker to the East Hartford Rotary Club in November.

His topic was Champions of Life Boxing. Brother John is Executive Director & Head Coach of the Charter Oak Amateur Boxing Academy & Youth Development Program, Inc. which became a USA Boxing Inc. National "Model" Program that focused on creating "Champions of Life" as well as Champions in the Ring. Brother John Callas is also a Professional Referee and has been on HBO, ESPN & Showtime. He will be a guest speaker at the Waterbury Chapter 48 on February 28th, 2011.

2010 District #7 Membership News The Largest Chapters in District 7

- Norwich 115 1.
- Waterbury 2. 92
- 3. Bridgeport 89
- 4. Stamford 80
- 5. Hartford 67
- 6. Providence 64
- 7. Newport 55
- New Britain 54
- New Haven 51
- 10. Danielson 43
- 11. New London 42



District 7 Governor Emmanuel "Mo" Moshovos presents the 2010 Booster Club High School Scholar-Athlete Award for Swimming to Alexander Tougas of Wethersfield, CT while Brother Peter Kokinis, Hartford Nathan Hale Chapter#58, Grandfather of Alexander proudly watches on. The Award was given at the 88th Annual Ahepa Supreme Convention in 2010 in Montreal, Canada.



District 7 Governor, Emmanuel "Mo" Moshovos plays Santa Claus at the Ahepa 58 Senior Housing Project in Wethersfield, CT at Christmas time 2010. Ho, Ho from Mo

- 12. Danbury 32 22 13. Norwalk 14. Meriden 16
- Most Reinstatements
- 1. Harford
- 2. Providence 8
- 3. Norwich 5
- 4. Norwalk
- 5. Waterbury 4 6.
- Danbury 7. Newport 2
- Danielson 2

Most New Initiates 2010

- Waterbury 18
- Norwich 2.
- Bridgeport 11
- Stamford 10
- Hartford
- Norwalk 5

Congratulations District 7!! The District finished the 2010 year with 822 AHEPA Brothers, up from 765 last year. We had 82 New Initiates and 37 Reinstated Brothers. We had 97% retention of our members the best in the Nation!

Hellenic Affairs

Overview of the Problems Faced by the Ecumenical Patriarchate

By Nikiforos Mathews

Restrictions on the Election of the Ecumenical Patriarch

In 1923 and 1970, the Governor of Istanbul issued decrees imposing restrictions on the the Orthodox Church state that the Ecumenipool of Hierarchs of the Ecumenical Patriar- logical schools in Greece. on a case-by-case basis, non-Turkish Hierure, it is not a solution, as it fails to elimiarbitrarily imposed by the Turkish State.

of Patriarch and Patriarchate

menical Patriarch and Ecumenical Patriarchate. This title was given to the Ecumenical been the source of much debate by the Turk- of the Ecumenical Patriarchate. ish State, even though it is recognized and faithful under the immediate jurisdiction of the Ecumenical Patriarchate truly encircle the The Ecumenical Patriarchate has not had any legal entity. globe and the vast majority reside outside of legal identity, or personality, in Turkey. This Turkey. The Ecumenical Patriarchate is the is particularly difficult to comprehend be- Work Permits for Foreigners First Church of the Orthodox Church world- cause the institution is 1700 years old. In Foreigners who work at the Ecumenical Patrirole, his ecclesiastical entitlement and his global recognition as an "Ecumenical" leader, the small Greek Orthodox minority in Turwith the right of the Ecumenical Patriarchate to use the ecclesiastical title "Ecumenical" European Convention on Human Rights.

Halki

closed in 1971 by a secret decision that pro- duct its business affairs. In March 2010, the any Chapter or Church community. hibited private higher religious education. Venice Commission of the Council of Europe

The operation of this minority school, which concluded that the fundamental right to freeoperated as a three-year high school fol- dom of religion, as protected by Article 9, lowed by a four-year theological seminary, is read in conjunction with Article 11, of the protected by the provisions of the Treaty of European Convention on Human Rights, in-Lausanne of 1923. Current Ecumenical Pa- cludes the possibility for religious communitriarch Bartholomew I, the entirety of the ties to obtain legal personality. clergy of the Holy Synod, many noted clerics in Greece and abroad, and a number of uni- Confiscation of the election of the Ecumenical Patriarch, and the versity professors are graduates or students Büyükada Hierarchs (Metropolitans and Archbishops) of the school of Halki. Since its closure, the In 2005, Turkish authorities attempted to who elect him, requiring that each of them Ecumenical Patriarchate has been compelled seize an Orphanage on the island of be Turkish citizens. However, the Canons of to send the young men from its community Büyükada that had been registered to the desiring to enter the priesthood or study Ecumenical Patriarchate since 1902. The cal Patriarch is to be elected from the entire theology abroad, usually to one of the theo- Ecumenical Patriarchate appealed to the chate, without regard to jurisdiction or citi- stances, they do not return to Turkey after bourg, France, on April 9, 2005 regarding zenship. Currently there are few Hierarchs completing their studies. Since the closure the ownership of the building. Nevertheless, in Turkey with Turkish citizenship, effectively of the school, the Ecumenical Patriarchate while this case proceeded, on March 20, severely limiting the candidates for election. has also had difficulties in staffing the Ecu- 2006, the name of the Ecumenical Patriar-Recently, Turkish authorities have allowed, menical Patriarchate to carry out its many chate was erased as the owner of the Oradministrative responsibilities and to fill posiarchs to apply for Turkish citizenship. While tions to carry out its global mission. As re- Foundation of the building. However, this this may serve as a welcome stop-gap meas- cently as last year, State Minister Bulent Foundation had been seized by the Turkish Arinc was quoted in the newspaper Hurriyet: authorities in 1997. Therefore, this building, nate the illegal and meddlesome restrictions "I personally would very much like to see the which is the largest wooden structure in seminary reopen. We need to permit this. We must agree to the rightful requests, the became owned by the Turkish State. On Non-Recognition of "Ecumenical" Status basic rights of those of different faiths, because we are not just the government of menical Patriarchate in connection with its The Turkish State continues not to recognize Muslims." However, despite many promises properties on Büyükada with a unanimous 7the "Ecumenical" title and status of the Ecu- made by the Turkish Government over the 0 verdict, including the vote of the Turkish past few years that the school would reopen, judge. The Court effectively held that the there has been no tangible progress towards Patriarch of Constantinople by the undivided this end. In fact, Turkish authorities often owner of its property, the Ecumenical Patri-Christian Church in the 6th century, and is attempt to tie the issue to political disagree- archate, without providing appropriate compurely an ecclesiastical title. The mission ments with Greece, including the construc- pensation. Moreover, on June 15, 2010, and jurisdiction of the Ecumenical Patriar- tion of a mosque in Athens. The re-opening Turkey was ordered by the court to rechate has always been-and always will be- of this school is absolutely critical for the register the Orphanage in the Ecumenical purely spiritual. Unfortunately, this title has training of Orthodox clergy and for the future Patriarchate's name. Turkey complied with

triarchate

and its articles cannot be altered or interfered with unilaterally by the Turkish State. Lausanne Treaty by not legally recognizing identity in Turkey is a major source of prob- Ecumenical Patriarchate. Re-Opening of the Theological School of lems for the Ecumenical Patriarchate, as it has not enjoyed the requisite standing to Brother Nik is a member of the Stamford

Orphanage

In many in- European Court of Human Rights in Strasphanage and replaced with the name of the Europe and has tremendous historical value, July 8, 2008, the Court vindicated the Ecu-Turkish State was not entitled to deprive the this order on November 29, 2010. This step may have a profound impact on the rights of used by the rest of the world. The Orthodox Non-Legal Status of the Ecumenical Pa- the Ecumenical Patriarchate as it suggests the de facto recognition of its existence as a

wide, responsible for coordinating the Pan- fact, the Treaty of Lausanne established and archate are not able to obtain work permits Orthodox affairs of the Orthodox Church. It defined the legal position and rights of the to work in Turkey at the Ecumenical Patriaris the spiritual center of 300 million Orthodox minorities in Turkey. This is an internation-chate. These individuals must leave the Christians world-wide. Contrary to his true ally binding agreement, signed by Turkey, country every three months to renew their tourist visas. This makes bringing individuals from abroad to work at the Ecumenical Turkish authorities continue to insist that the Moreover, the EU-Turkey 2003 Accession Patriarchate very difficult and also greatly Ecumenical Patriarch is merely the leader of Partnership instructs Turkey to conform to disrupts the operation and productivity of the European standards with respect to religious Ecumenical Patriarchate. In one case, when key. Significantly, in March 2010, the Venice freedom and the protection of minorities. a clergyman from France working at the Ecu-Commission concluded that any interference The Turkish State continues to violate the menical Patriarchate applied for a work permit he was deported and banned from Turthe Ecumenical Patriarchate and, as it relates key within two days. This demonstrates that would constitute a violation of the autonomy to the Ecumenical Patriarchate, it has made at any moment the Turkish authorities can of the Orthodox Church under Article 9 of the little progress towards the EU-Turkey 2003 decide to order foreigners to leave the coun-Accession Partnership. Not having a legal try, immediately halting the operation of the

This Theological School of Halki was illegally restore and protect its properties and con- Chapter #99. He is available to speak to



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Waterbury Chapter #48

Τά νέα

Congratulations to John
Grossomanides and Anna-Helene
Panagakos on their recent engagement.

Safe travels to our snow birds Bob and Kay Booth, Vi Trantalis, Tony and Heidi Petros, Bill and Elaine Trantalis.

Brother Greg Simones is working at the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health.

Brother Rev. Fr. Charles J. Simones is producing a TV show called "The voice of Orthodox in Southeastern CT" it is shown on Public Access Channel 25.

Brother Tony Aretakis is the Sales Director for Yardney Technical Products, Inc. in Pawcatuck, CT.

Brother Jim Yeotsas is the President and Owner of Madison Cleaners & Tailors, Inc. of Bridgeport, CT.

Brother Dr. Arthur Kiratsous opened THUSA's first satellite office in Stamford, CT in 1982.

Brother Steve Grossomanides Jr. is the President of Premier Group Recycling in Boca Raton, FL.

Brother Greg Stamos, Ansonia, CT, has been appointed to the AHEPA National Athletic Committee.

Brother Basile Panoutsopoulos is now a Professor at Central Connecticut State University in New Britain, CT.

Brother George Anagnostos, PSS, is on the Editorial Board of the AHEPAN Magazine and is on the Executive Committee of the AHEPA National Housing Corp. Board and is Chairman of the XI New England Regional Convention in Newport, RI. Καλι Δεναμι!

Congratulations to Peter and Ginny Argiros on the birth of their first Grandchild. Na $\Sigma \alpha_S Z \epsilon \iota \sigma \iota$

Brother Manolis Sfinarolakis is the owner of Spartan Residential LLC.

Brother Gus Hatzis is a pharmacist in the Bridgeport area, one of a handful of Greek American Pharmacists.

Brother Demo Angelopolous of Norwich, CT has been appointed to the City of Norwich Board of Assessment Appeals.

Get Well Soon, Mrs. Pat Maintainis and Brother Ernie Tasoulas!!

Join Us!!

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GREEK INDEPENDENCE

DAY PARADE—

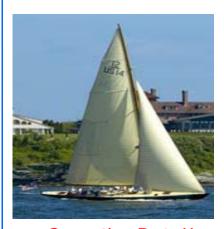
SUNDAY, MARCH 27th

5th Avenue

New York City, NY

Oops

Correction on the Cover of the last issue of the Yankee News we listed all the Past District Governors in attendance at the Biennial Banquet. One name was left off the list, We/I omitted Brother Nick Nikas. We apologize.



Save the Date!!

New England

Regional

Convention XI

May 20-22, 2011

Newport, Rhode Island



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Reminder AHEPA District #7 Spring Conference

Date:

Saturday, April 9, 2011

Place:

Hartford AHEPA #58 Sr. Citizens Housing Building

Time: 10AM

RSVP: John Melonopoulos by April 5th