

N.Y. Hospital Queens adds 11 new board members



BY MAXINE SIMPSON

THE NEW York Hospital Queens Community Advisory Council welcomed 11 new board members during its Nov. 18 meeting. Stephen Mills, president and CEO, welcomed all the new members and thanked them for their commitment to serve on the CAC for the hospital.

■ Rabbi Martin Cooper has served as rabbi of the Garden Jewish Center in Flushing since 1996. Past positions include principal of a number of schools and president of Friends of Flushing Library.

■ David Dolan worked on Wall Street and served as a vice president of Goldman Sachs. Today, he volunteers in a number of community organizations including NYHQ.

■ John Golden is the owner of Martin A. Gleason Funeral Home.

■ Richard Italiano is a long-standing community activist, who is based in the Elmhurst/Corona neighborhood. He

has served as chairman of Community Board 4 and is presently the district manager for CB4.

■ Chris Kutner is a practicing attorney and currently a partner in the Farrell Fritz law firm.

■ Stanley Markowitz is a senior vice president with Muss Development, based in Queens.

■ Kris Ram is a specialist in the field of information technology. He serves on many community organizations including CB 7, Hindu Temple Society of North America and is on the Asian American Advisory Council for the Queens district attorney.

■ Joshua Schneps is the co-publisher of the Queens Courier and is active in many Queens organizations and committees.

■ Peter Tu is currently the executive director of the Flushing Chinese Business Association. He serves on the boards of CB7 and the Flushing Business Improvement District. He has been honored by Mayor Bloomberg for his work related to promoting Asian-American relations.

■ Emily Wang is the editor of the International Buddhist Progress Society of New York, based in Flushing. She holds an MBA, and teaches Mandarin Chinese at Queens College. She formerly served as senior editor for the World Journal in Toronto.



Pictured are (left to right, front row) John Golden, Peter Tu, Beauty Wong, Rabbi Martin Cooper, (back row) Frank Macchio, Joshua Schneps, Chris Kutner, Veronica Tsang, Stephen Mills, Kris Ram, Richard Italiano, Stanley Markowitz, Emily Wang. Ten of those pictured — Cooper, Golden, Italiano, Kutner, Markowitz, Ram, Schneps, Tu, Wang, Wong — joined New York Hospital Queens Community Advisory Council.

■ Beauty Wong is the manager of the TD Bank branch on Main St. in Flushing. She is active in the Flushing community organization.

Holiday market

The Corona Lions Club will host a holiday flea market on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Leo's School auditorium, at 104-19 49th Ave., in Corona.

The event features a variety of health screenings and a Police Department Crime Preven-

tion fair. Attendees can register for the NYPD's Combat Auto Theft (CAT) and Help End Auto Theft (HEAT) programs.

Info: (718) 426-9112, or (347) 782-3757.

Christmas concert

The Rev. Msgr. Joseph Funaro and the Sacred Music Society of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs present their annual Christmas Concert at 4 p.m. on Sunday. The Sacred Music Society joins with the Oratorio Society of

Queens to perform the concert under the artistic direction of David Close, the church music director.

The church is located on Ascan Ave. and Queens Blvd. Tickets are \$20 and children, 12 and under accompanied by an adult, are admitted free. For additional information, call (718) 268-6251.

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