

# *Happy Thanksgiving*

*As we celebrate  
our liberties, freedoms  
and the many things  
we have to be thankful for,  
we remember and support  
those who protect them.*

*From Us here at Bsbra*

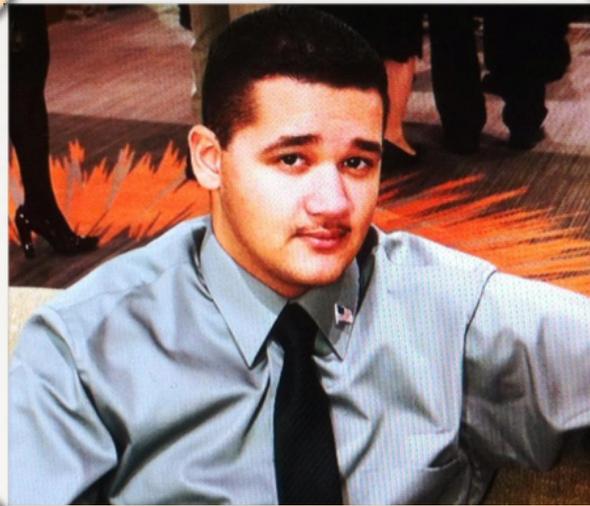


BAY SHORE-BRIGHTWATERS RESCUE AMBULANCE

NOVEMBER, 2012 NEWS LETTER

ISSUE # 15

## NYSVARA Youth Corps Member of the Year 2012



### Bay Shore Brightwaters Rescue Squad Anthony Garcia Jr.

To the winner of the **Youth Corp Member of the year 2012**, and one of the most amazing Youth Squad members we've had: Anthony Garcia,

We have been astounded by your amazing achievements in your time here and your inspiration and display of the ideal role model to all of us. Congratulations Anthony, you have showed us what it means to be an amazing leader and a great partner. We appreciate you beyond your comprehension and wish you only the best.

John Martinez -Assistant to Youth Squad @ Bsbra



# WILLIAM FROEHLICH 30

Dear Members:

As we have been one month in to a new calendar year, I would like to thank you all for your hard work. It's been a busy month in regards to the call volume, but we have also been hit with a slew of standby's. As per the calendar, these standby's should be slowing down over the next two weeks. Thank you to all who have helped out when we have called, and we ask that all members pay attention to the voicemails left or the emails sent in regards to events that happen on a monthly basis.

I would like to definitely commend the membership who came out to help with the Storm Standby. The 30 or so members that spent well over 48 hrs here, ensuring that the communities of Bay Shore and Brightwaters were safe are the epitome of what we do as volunteers. This storm brought many firsts for this organization. This was the first time that we actually had to think of the possibilities of evacuating the building. The water line came as close as the administration building on SSH property. We are taking with 2,500 ft of our drive way. This storm was also the first time that we rolled the new 3-24-1, a.k.a. Hercules out into the streets. All tolled, we answered over 75 alarms in 3 days, and saved countless lives. We should all be proud of the work that we have done over the past couple of years. All of the training, and experience that we have all gained will help excel BSBRA into the future.

Unfortunately, for the first time in this organizations history, we were forced to postpone the installation dinner. There were too many factors that were working against us when this decision was made. These factors included no hot food, no heat and no hot water, along with a septic problem in the lower level of the hotel. The quick actions of the committee has however, secured us a new date of Saturday, January 19, 2013. The committee, in conjunction with the Chief's Office will figure out the logistics of getting everyone a reminder or an invite as necessary.

Thank you to all who came out to support the Fund Raising Committee with the Murder Mystery Dinner. A special thanks go out to AJ, Emily, Kerri, Raymi, and Laurie who helped make the night a success. For those who did not come, you missed a great time. All tolled, the committee raised slightly over \$1,800 for the organization. We ask that all members take more of an active roll in the fund raising efforts. Without the fund raising, we might not be able to afford another Installation Dinner.

Congratulations to our Youth Squad team who placed 3rd place overall in this years NYS Pulse Check competitions. Thanks to Christine Flick, John Martinez and Christina Monteleone for getting the YS up and running and prepping them for the challenges of competition. Thank You to the chaperones who also helped to keep the YS in-line and safe.

I would like to commend all of the Officers for what I believe to be a very successful first month. The Captains have pulled together as well as the Chiefs. I feel this will be a great year, so keep it up. I would ask the membership to lend your complete support to the Officers. Come down and do your part. We have several slots that can use help, and unfortunately, we have members that do not pull their weight (and yes, we know who you are). In order to help the process, we will be placing a magnetic duty roster up in place of the board outside of the dispatch office. All members will be able to see where they can help out on any given day or slot.

In regards to the anonymous comments section under the web site, I would like to remind you all that while it be anonymous (meaning we do not know who sends it or from where), there are situations that need to be acted upon. The President of the Board, along with ALL of the Chiefs receive these comments. Anything of some importance that we can investigate, we will. Please do not be surprised if we contact you, simply based on what is written in reference to a specific incident, or if during the investigation process, we start questioning all involved. People talk, and you would be surprised as to what any simple investigation yields. I caution you to utilize the proper chain of command for all emergent and priority situations. Although we appreciate the fact that members pass their "opinions" to the Chief's office, I must say some of them are simply ridiculous and bogus. We really don't want to hear when someone doesn't like someone else, or even who smells, or whose messy. We are all adults and should act accordingly. If you have a problem with someone, deal with it. Talk to that person. Please don't leave it to the Chiefs or the BOD to fight your personal battles. It just won't happen.

Something that we have addressed numerous times and which we are committed to uphold is the Zero Tolerance of ANY type of Harassment or the creation of a Hostile Work Environment. Both the Board of Directors as well as the Line Officers are committed to upholding this policy. The Equal Employment Opportunities Commission defines a hostile work environment, which they say is synonymous with harassment:

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## HARASSMENT

*"Harassment is a form of employment discrimination that violates Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, (ADEA), and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, (ADA).*

*Harassment is unwelcome conduct that is based on race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy), national origin, age (40 or older), disability or genetic information. Harassment becomes unlawful where 1) enduring the offensive conduct becomes a condition of continued employment, or 2) the conduct is severe or pervasive enough to create a work environment that a reasonable person would consider intimidating, hostile, or abusive. Anti-discrimination laws also prohibit harassment against individuals in retaliation for filing a discrimination charge, testifying, or participating in any way in an investigation, proceeding, or lawsuit under these laws; or opposing employment practices that they reasonably believe discriminate against individuals, in violation of these laws. Petty slights, annoyances, and isolated incidents (unless extremely serious) will not rise to the level of illegality. To be unlawful, the conduct must create a work environment that would be intimidating, hostile, or offensive to reasonable people.*

*Offensive conduct may include, but is not limited to, offensive jokes, slurs, epithets or name calling, physical assaults or threats, intimidation, ridicule or mockery, insults or put-downs, offensive objects or pictures, and interference with work performance. Harassment can occur in a variety of circumstances, including, but not limited to, the following:*

- The harasser can be the victim's supervisor, a supervisor in another area, an agent of the employer, a co-worker, or a non-employee.*
- The victim does not have to be the person harassed, but can be anyone affected by the offensive conduct.*
- Unlawful harassment may occur without economic injury to, or discharge of, the victim.*

*Prevention is the best tool to eliminate harassment in the workplace. Employers are encouraged to take appropriate steps to prevent and correct unlawful harassment. They should clearly communicate to employees that unwelcome harassing conduct will not be tolerated. They can do this by establishing an effective complaint or grievance process, providing anti-harassment training to their managers and employees, and taking immediate and appropriate action when an employee complains. Employers should strive to create an environment in which employees feel free to raise concerns and are confident that those concerns will be addressed.*

*Employees are encouraged to inform the harasser directly that the conduct is unwelcome and must stop. Employees should also report harassment to management at an early stage to prevent its escalation.*

### *Employer Liability for Harassment*

*The employer is automatically liable for harassment by a supervisor that results in a negative employment action such as termination, failure to promote or hire, and loss of wages. If the supervisor's harassment results in a hostile work environment, the employer can avoid liability only if it can prove that: 1) it reasonably tried to prevent and promptly correct the harassing behavior; and 2) the employee unreasonably failed to take advantage of any preventive or corrective opportunities provided by the employer.*

*The employer will be liable for harassment by non-supervisory employees or non-employees over whom it has control (e.g., independent contractors or customers on the premises), if it knew, or should have known about the harassment and failed to take prompt and appropriate corrective action.*

*When investigating allegations of harassment, the EEOC looks at the entire record: including the nature of the conduct, and the context in which the alleged incidents occurred. A determination of whether harassment is severe or pervasive enough to be illegal is made on a case-by-case basis." ( <http://www.eeoc.gov/laws/practices/harassment.cfm> )*

*Any member(s) that choose not to follow this policy will be suspended, and charges will be written. For your information, precedence HAS been set, and it is not favorable to the member. Please be careful of what you say, and how you say it. Both first party or third party complaints are taken with the utmost severity. Please accept this as a very final warning that this type of situation will not be tolerated.*

Upcoming events: please keep an eye out for emails in regards to the football games.

November 22, holiday duty from 0000-0000 hrs (Thanksgiving)

December 15, Santa Run (TBA), Children's Christmas Party (TBA), and Adult Party (1900 hrs).

In summation, I ask that all members do your part, and follow the by-laws. This is our organization, we we all need to work together. Please watch what you say to your fellow members. It seems as though some of us have forgotten what RESPECT is. And look out for those upcoming events, things should be slowing up from this point forward.

Respectfully, Bill Froehlich Chief of Department @ BSBRA

# NOAH FISCH 32



Hello everyone,

Thank you to everyone that has stepped up this past month and helped all the new officers become familiar with their new roles.

Please remember to clean up after yourselves. The ambulances should be checked at the beginning of your duty slot. There should be no reason (with exception of a call) why an ambulance wasn't checked when the Captain of the day asks what was missing.

Remember that if NYS DOH happens to stop you at the hospital and decide to check the ambulance, there is the likelihood that a fine could be imposed for missing or expired items.

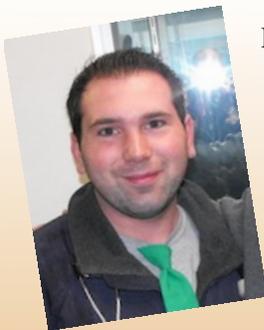
Mandatory department training's are required for all members. These are not optional training's and MUST either be attended or a Make-up training submitted. These training's include OSHA and Sexual Harassment Prevention. Should you choose not to attend these training's, you take the risk of losing your riding privileges and not receiving an invitation to the Installation dinner. Regardless of the training attended, you do receive non-core CME credit. Jim also offers CME for the training's he holds at the building. If there are any training's you would like to see, please call or email me and I will do my best to work with the course instructor to bring it to BSBRA.

Please remember to sign in at the start of the training and if you are enrolled in the CME program, you must also sign in on that form as well as we keep track of your attendance and send those forms to Suffolk County EMS.

Great job by everyone this month getting the calls out. Especially the 3rd and 4th alarms.

Noah Fisch 2nd Assistant Chief @ bsbra

# ROBERT DEAN SECRETARY



First off I would like to congratulate the BSBRA Youth Squad on there outstanding job at Pulse Check this year. We all should be very proud of their hard work and dedication.

Secondly, If there is any member that is not receiving BSBRA Emails and/or text messages please email me at [rdean@bsbra.org](mailto:rdean@bsbra.org) with your name, cell phone number, cellphone carrier, and email address. We recently have updated the paging system so if there are any problems with you not receiving communications, please let me know. I will try to add you to the system as soon as possible.

Thanks :)

Robert Dean  
Company Secretary  
Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance Inc.

# JAYSON HOFFMAN BOD



To all,

With the addition of 3-24-1 (Hercules) to our fleet the Chief's office has come up with a new bay set up. Please follow the attached bay set up when rotating vehicles.

3-24-80 and 81 will remain outside at this time, ALS members please ensure the ALS equipment returns inside the building when 80 is not in use by an ALS member.

If you have any questions please contact a chief.

-Jason Hoffman Board Of Director Bay Shore Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance

## Captain's Corner

### Sunday

[#54] By Felix Rodriguez \* Cell: (631) 813-5142 \* E-mail: [frodriguez@bsbra.org](mailto:frodriguez@bsbra.org)

I hope you all have a Happy Thanksgiving this month,

I would like to thank the Sunday crews. because of you we are responding to all calls. Keep up the good work.

**Rigs-** Please take time out to wash a rig if it's dirty, it only takes less than an hour to do, each captain should keep up with your crews to make sure they get done.

**Rig Checks-** Please make it part of your rig checks to tidy up the back of the rigs, wiping down the cabinets if needed, throw out the garbage not just from the back of the truck but in the cab too and sweep the floors. remember each rig check must be sign by a captain or a crew chief I will be checking the sheets to make sure my crews are doing theirs, please leave them in my mail box.

**Rig Fuel-** If you are a driver make sure the rigs are fuel up before the next day crew comes up or tell your captain or crew chief about it.

**Bldg-** Please take out the garbage if it's full, We should not have to come in on sundays to empty out Saturdays garbage cans and organize the meeting room, if you use blankets in the crew lounge please fold them after using them.

**KEEP THE BLDG CLEAN AND DO NOT EAT ANY FOOD IN DISPATCH OR ANY OTHER TRAINING ROOM, REMEMBER WE HAVE DESIGNATED ROOM AND IT REFLECTS ON WHAT TYPE OF PERSON YOU ARE!!!**

THANK YOU

### Monday

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# Tuesday

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Hi Everyone!

This has been a very interesting month for me with getting used to my new responsibilities. I would like to thank those of you who have come down and who have helped to support me on Tuesdays. But I need a little more help from anyone who can. We do not have steady crews from midnight to 1800. I understand it is difficult to commit to a duty slot on an overnight as well as to commit to a duty slot during a weekday. However, if you find yourself with nothing to do, please come on down. Or, if you cannot spend time at the building and you live in district, please listen to your pager or take a radio.

We have a lot of new members in the organization. On many occasions there are multiple crews in the building as well as multiple probationary members. I ask that the crew chiefs or senior members please see to it that crews are set up so that everyone gets a chance to get on jobs. There is nothing worse than the feeling of being left out or excluded.

And with mention of the probies: Please ask them what they are trained on and capable to do. It is your name at the end of the documentation and you run the job as you see fit, but they are here to learn and assist. Remember the excitement you felt when you once began your career in EMS? That is where they are now. They are eager to learn everything and you can share your knowledge and guide them. Please give them a chance. Also, they will be in your shoes one day. Encourage them to ask questions about the call or what you did what and why. As a department we are essentially preparing them for their E.M.T. class. We want to show everyone that we only produce the best!

## RIG CHECKS & POST CALLS

Please restock the rig after the completion of a job. It does not take any more than 3 minutes to do so. If there is an item that is not in the BLS restock room, please bring it to an officer's attention so that we may see to it that it is replaced or reordered. Also, please make sure you are checking all expiration dates on medications, AED pads, bandages (occlusives too), etc.

Another issue is the cleanliness of the rigs. It is pretty disgusting when a crew comes on duty and when they go to do a rig check it is a disaster. Or, what is worse, is responding to a signal 3, jumping on the truck, opening the back on scene & finding it a disaster. There is no need for it. And we are better than that.

If you are responding to a call on a Tuesday and the truck is a mess, I ask that you notify me right away. I will address it immediately with the crew that was on the truck.

## CLEANLINESS OF THE BUILDING

However you live at home is your business. In this building however, you are expected to clean up after yourself. Do not leave garbage from lunch or dinner on the tables and do not leave cups on the coffee table. Do not leave dishes in the sink. If you make something, clean up after yourself. It is time that we started to take pride in our buildings appearance once again. After you eat at the tables, whether it is in the meeting room or in the crews lounge, please wipe the table off. If you put two or three tables together in the meeting room please make sure to put them back. We have an EMT refresher course going on here on Tuesdays and Thursdays. I would like to see that room kept clean for our guests (and ourselves as well).

## FELLOW PROVIDERS

Everyone has their own way of doing things. Just because it is not your way or how you would do it, does not mean that the provider does not know what they are doing or that they are a horrible provider (unless they jeopardize the health & safety of the patient, you must then write up an incident report & bring it to an officers attention). Please keep that in mind before discussing another providers care to your friends. Remember, while you are busy pointing fingers, others are judging you too. No one is perfect. Medicine is called a practice because we are always learning & always improving. And if you see someone doing something outside of protocol, pull him or her aside and let them know. They may not realize what they've done or they may just not know or remember.

Finally I would like to address the negativity throughout the corp. I understand that we are not all going to get along, but that is no reason to come in with bitter attitudes and negative energy. I admit that I have been guilty of this myself and I did not realize it until it was brought to my attention. I have taken the action steps needed to correct that within myself. Sometimes people just do not know how they appear to others. If there is someone like that you know of and you can approach them, maybe have a talk with them. If you cannot, please let me know & I will address it with them. Any time you come to me with an issue, believe me when I say it WILL be handled. Also, if you come to me with something in confidentiality, rest assured it would go no further than myself unless you want it to.

Remember our Core Values: Compassion, Quality Care, Dignity, Respect, & Accountability.

It's time we started to hold ourselves to them once again.

Respectfully Kerri Paoletti Tuesday Captain @ bsbra

# Wednesday

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# Thursday

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First, I would like to thank the membership for giving me this opportunity to be captain again. Thursdays have been extremely busy lately and I need help on every tour. As of right now I feel like I am using the same 12 people for coverage. I would really like to see more of the membership come down or listen up because "burnout" is a constant battle and by rotating the people who listen up it will keep everyone as recharged as possible. Unless I'm mandated at work, I will be there and will be more than happy to driver train or precept anyone who needs it. A few reminders- CALLS ARE NOT DONE ONCE YOU GO 5 AND 28!!! Please remember that if you are on a job, both the driver and emt must restock immediately. This has been an issue in the past, and can be fixed by taking 5 minutes and restocking. Also, I am seeing people using the blood pressure cuffs from the monitor and SP02 more and more. They are a great resource, but THESE ARE NOT TO BE USED FOR PRIMARY BLOOD PRESSURE!! Trust your ears not a Machine!!:) If you use them please put them away! Last but not least, we are a family of over 180 brothers and sisters and have a building that is in use 24/7/365! Take pride in our home. Everyone is on the house committee and should be taking part in keeping our building clean. THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR HELP. YOU ARE DOING YOUR COMMUNITY A SERVICE THAT IS BY FAR THE BEST I HAVE SEEN IN THE TRI-STATE AREA!! I am so proud to call this place home and you all family!

# Friday

[#52] By Alex Mullin \* Cell: (631) 872-8152 \* E-mail:[amullin@bsbra.org](mailto:amullin@bsbra.org)

Hello all and welcome to another edition of The Friday Report!

In the past month, Friday's have been running VERY smoothly, a lot quicker than i had originally anticipated. I now have a regular overnight crew that usually helps cover some of the morning in addition to the paid and myself, and the evening crew is as strong as ever. My only slot right now without a committed full duty crew is 1200 - 1800. I am asking anyone who is available to either come down or listen up during these hours. The volume tends to be at its highest during these hours simply because our community is out and about, and that will only increase come Spring and Summer when even more people are outdoors and kids are on Summer break. I would like to take this moment to thank each and every one of you who have sacrificed a great deal of your personal time to come down and help us get the job done on Friday's. You all know who you are and i assure you that your dedication and commitment does not go unnoticed and will always be rewarded in some way, shape, or form. That's what i believe in. I made a vow a month ago that i would give my all to whatever day i was assigned. Anyone who knows me knows that i don't make false promises. I don't sugarcoat and at times i can be as blunt as a spoon. With that being said, i fully intend to keep any promises i make and will never bite off more than i can chew. Here's to progress.

I would like to address something that has been addressed almost as long as i've been a member and has CONTINUOUSLY been disobeyed. If you are NOT pulling duty or performing some type of corps business in the building, you are NOT to park your car in the lot unless told otherwise by an officer. You will have to park on the street. It's simply not fair to the people who come down to volunteer and help only to find that the lot is completely full of cars owned by members who are not performing any kind of task pertinent to BSBRA. So please, for the last time, don't do it. If this continues to happen, you will be written up, unless you can present a valid reason for being in one of those spots. I am not narrow minded and i know that emergencies happen and there are valid exceptions at times, and if that is the case, you are to contact an officer and explain your situation. We will listen and we will accommodate if need be.

I believe that's all for this month. Once again, it's been a much welcomed great strong start to what i am sure will be a fine year. Thank you once again everyone for your service and for continuing to demonstrate just why BSBRA volunteers are one of a kind.

# Saturday

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No  
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# NOVEMBER'S CALENDAR

**CME TRAINING**  
**"Subject TBD" "Jim Guilliland"**  
**Sunday Nov. 4th 2012**  
**HQ @ 1200 hours**

**CME**  
**"Subject TBD" "Jim Guilliland"**  
**Tuesday, Nov. 20th 2012**  
**HQ @ 1900 hours**

**General Meeting**  
**To All Members**  
**Monday, Nov 5th 2012**  
**HQ @ 2000 hours**

**OTHER TRAINING**  
**To Check for future trainings**  
**please click [HERE](#)**

The October Make-up training has now been placed in the Dispatch office.

Any member that did not attend the in-house OSHA training, is required to submit an excuse form and complete the make-up.

This includes ALL riding members. Regular rolling, Probationary (unless you joined June 2012 or after), Auxiliary, and Associate.

This training and the excuse form are due in the Chiefs mailbox by November 20th 2012. Late submissions will NOT be accepted.

The Chiefs and Officers have discussed the matter, and any member that has not completed the training by 11/20/2012 will have their riding privileges suspended and will not be allowed to be on a BSBRA ambulance.

Should you have any questions, feel free to contact myself or any other Chief.

## Football Stand by

DAY	DATE	TIME	-VS-	LEVEL	SCHOOL
Friday	11/09/12	1600 hours	Lindenhurst 8	B	High School

All First Responders,

We have a outside laundry service at Southside Hospital. If you have no power at home and need to have your laundry done, bring it to the "My Laundry Station" available in front of the doors to our Human Resources building. It is the first building just west of the hospital entrance on Main Street. It is blue locker laundry station. You can fill a 25 pound container/locker for 15 dollars, pre-paid by credit card. Drop off by 3pm and pick up the next day at 4pm.

Jamie From Southside Hospital

# GOOD & WELFARE

## Congratulations

Paramedic Robert Dean on successfully completing the ALS field training here at BSBRA. Robbie is now cleared as a Paramedic with our department. Once again congrats Robbie!!

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\*\* Please remember to update your address and phone numbers if you change them or you move. Please notify the Chief's Office.

To All of Bay Shore  
Ambulance Volunteers  
Thank you very much  
for the generous donation  
in honor of my mom.  
The money will go directly  
to her floor for some-  
thing that the residents  
can use :)  
Love, All  
The Mayotts



October 10, 2012

Bay Shore Brightwaters Ambulance  
911 Aletta Place  
Bay Shore, NY 11706  
Attn: Jennifer Davis

Dear Ms. Davis,

On behalf of all the patients and residents at Our Lady of Consolation as well as members of its board, administration and staff, I would like to thank you for your donation of \$500.00 in memory of Eileen Mayott. As requested, an acknowledgement of this donation has been sent to the family.

As you know, Our Lady of Consolation is a not-for-profit nursing and rehabilitative care center committed to providing only the finest care and services for its residents and patients. Thanks to your generosity and the generosity of others in our community, Our Lady of Consolation is able to fulfill its mission of quality care and services for all.

Thank you once again for your contribution to Our Lady of Consolation and your support of our ministry of healing.

Sincerely,

Sr. Marilyn Breen.O.P.  
Administrator



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*Superintendent of Schools*

September 28, 2012

Bay Shore/Brightwaters Ambulance Company  
911 Aletta Place  
Bay Shore, NY 11706

Dear Bay Shore Brightwater:

On behalf of the Bay Shore Board of Education, I would like to thank you for your outstanding response to the accident at the Junior Varsity Soccer game, Thursday night. Bay Shore is fortunate to have a group of volunteers with the skill, expertise and professionalism volunteering time on their behalf. We feel especially grateful that Nikki Mongiello, Joe Jamros, Jason Hoffman and Bill Froehlich were available that particular evening. Nikki was able to administer pain medication immediately and save our student from any additional suffering. We really appreciated it.

Thank you.

*"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed, citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."*

Margaret Mead

Sincerely,

Guy Leggio  
Board President



## **Youth Squad**

### **Kayla Corsini**

I joined youth squad in April, ten months ago. From April, to present day, I have come a long way. My experience so far has been a great adventure.

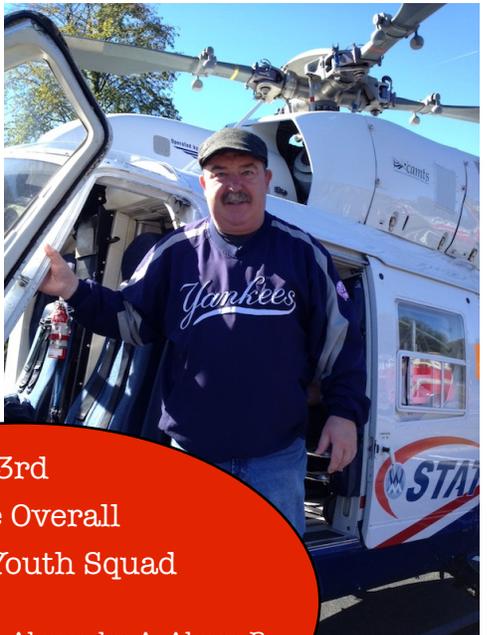
I have accumulated life saving knowledge, founded a new respect for emergency medical services and created a second family at Bay Shore Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance.

I joined youth squad because the medical field interests me and I plan on pursuing it. There isn't a better program out there that exposes you to possible future careers in the medical field simultaneously involving you in the community. Overall youth squad is an amazing program and I am proud to be a part of it.

Last but not least, I want to thank everyone that has enhanced my experience at Youth Squad. That means you, fellow youth squad members: John Martinez, Bill and Alex Froehlich, Mr. and Mrs. Flick, Victoria Weis, Robbie Dean, and especially Gerald Guszack for giving me permission to help out on the scene of a motorcycle accident. There are so many more people that have given me a positive experience at Youth Squad and during upstates. All I can say is: I can't wait to start training again to take home first place next year at competition!

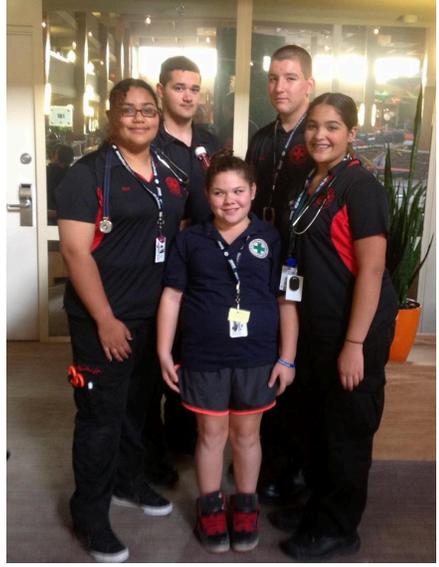
Kayla Corsini YS Member @ BSBRA

# NYSVARA DRILL COMPETITION



3rd  
Place Overall  
BSBRA Youth Squad

Anthony G. \* Tony G. Alexandra A. Alyssa R.  
\* Pablo M. \* Abdul G. Nick M. \* Marc  
N. \* Kayla C. \* Shayla P.



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# November Birthdays

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11/05/12	Karyn Haynes
11/06/12	George Mayott
11/09/12	Emily Morgan
11/12/12	Jenny Mathews
11/15/12	Tanya Harrington
11/17/12	Bill Abrams
11/26/12	Bryan Ortiz
11/27/12	Benjamin Rosner
11/27/12	Holly Mayforth
11/30/64	John Martinez

**Happy Birthday**  
From all of us @ bsbra



## BAY SHORE- BRIGHTWATERS RESCUE AMBULANCE

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