

Fourth District Report

June 2017

1. The Fourth District re-elected for another term: Greg Pinto, M.D., Saratoga County, President, Myrna Sanchez M.D., Franklin County, Vice President and Larry Routenberg, M.D. Schenectady County, Secretary-Treasurer.
2. Schenectady County hosted the annual Honorable Robert Lynch Memorial Dinner this spring. This is an interprofessional dinner for the Bar Association, Dental Society and the Schenectady County Medical Society. This year the speaker was Andrew Morris, Associate Professor of History, Union College who spoke on "Japanese American Internment 1942-1945: Doctors, Dentists and Lawyers in the camps. It was well received and very interesting.
3. Saratoga County will host its annual malpractice update on June 27 at Longfellows in Saratoga Springs. This year John Lombardo, M.D. the new president of MLMIC will speak and update everyone on MLMIC's status particularly regarding the de-mutualization.
4. Schenectady County elected new officers for the coming year. James Boler, M.D. (orthopedic surgeon) will be president. Malene Ingram, M.D. (bariatric specialist) will be vice president and Glenn Thompson, M.D. (ophthalmologist) will be secretary.
5. Schenectady County is currently soliciting applicants from medical students from Schenectady County for scholarship money from the Philanthropic Trust Fund.

Respectfully submitted
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