TWO RIVER PEOPLE

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MONMOUTH PARK CHARITY FUND HELD 17TH ANNUAL KENTUCKY DERBY DAY CELEBRATION





The mission of the Monmouth Park Charity Fund (MPCF) is to raise and distribute funds to nonprofit agencies in Monmouth County that provide services for those in need of health care, those at risk in the community and those in need of special services. The 17th Annual Kentucky Derby Day Celebration was held May 7 at Blu Grotto's Outdoor Garden at the Monmouth Park Racetrack in Oceanport, the day of the Kentucky Derby horse race. The event honored community advocates Anita Roselle, Jeremy Grunin and BCB Bank. Since its inception in 1946 the MPCF has distributed over \$10 million dollars in grants. Event chair **Maureen Lloyd** (second from right) joined co-chair **Maria Farhat Tanzola** with their husbands **John Lloyd** and **Frank Tanzola**. Maureen Lloyd is president of the MPCF board of trustees, while Maria Tanzola is the vice president.





Honoree **Jeremy Grunin**, president of the Grunin Foundation, with **Sabrina Konvitz-Perri**, **Azize Yel Grunin** and his dad, **Jay Grunin**.



Event honoree **Anita Roselle** (front, center) and her husband **Joe Roselle** joined the many members of the **Roselle Family** to celebrate at the Kentucky Derby Day Celebration.



Committee members and friends of the MPCF: **Deborah Dileo Zabaroski**, **Gina Petillo**, CEO of Hackensack Meridian Health **Bob Garrett**, **Carol Stillwell**, **Serena DiMaso**, **Laura Garrett**, **Mary Ann Larkin** and **Francine Aquaviva**.



Honorary chair **Phil Villapiano** with MPCF director of operations **Debi Heptig** and **Skyler Weisman**.



Event and auction supporters: Michael Duru, John and Robin Klein, Matt and Sofia Duru, and Jen and Tim Diehl.

Representatives from honoree BCB Bank, Holmdel

Branch: Ken Emerson, Paul Coughlin, Ryan Blake and Holly Schult.



John Lloyd, Larson Lloyd Whalen, Peter and Kristina Roselle, and Patrice and Michael Benedetto.

Tom and Abbey Kober with Anne Davis and Joel Allcock.



Billy and **Denise VanTassel** coordinated their outfits to bring awareness to the war in Ukraine, wearing the colors of the Ukrainian flag.



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