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Brian Nolan Resigns from Locust Valley School Board

By Niall Fitzgerald

Brian Nolan, the nowformer President of the Locust Valley School Board has resigned as President, and from the Board.

Nolan was also removed as assistant principal of the Munsey Park Elementary School in Manhasset, and as Chief of the Locust Valley Fire Department

According to numerous local sources, Nolan resigned following a highly public personal dispute with an alleged paramour, Gabrielle Atkinson, who accused Nolan of getting her

pregnant and then threatening her with the publication of revenge porn if she went public with news of the affair or pregnancy.

The Locust Valley School Board accepted Nolan's resignation, stating, "The Locust Valley Board of Education has accepted President Brian Nolan's resignation, effective immediately. We would like to thank Mr. Nolan for his dedication and service to the Locust Valley Central School District. Over the past eight years, he has committed countless hours not only as a trustee but serving as Board president. We wish him well in his future endeavors."

The Superintendent of the Locust



Brian Nolan

Valley School district, Dr. Kenneth Graham, also recently resigned, and will be taking a position in another district.

Nolan, who worked as an assistant principal in Munsey Park in Manhasset has also been "temporarily reassigned" to administrative duties in the Manhasset school district's offices.

Finally, th

Locust Valley Fire Department removed Nolan as Fire Chief on February 21st, acknowledging that Nolan will continue as a volunteer on the fire department.

Numerous media postings accuse Nolan of extensive misconduct with female employees.

During the recent Covid pandemic, Nolan was a noted supporter of the forced child masking of school children.

Nolan voted with Governor Kathy Hochul's threats to Locust Valley, and he imposed forced masking on children. This despite the CDC and WHO already recommending against forced child masking, as a "danger" to the normal development of children.

Glen Cove to Deploy License Plate Cameras

License plate cameras.

BY NOLAN CLEARY

Glen Cove is set to introduce new license plate reading cameras around the city, to help police to identify vehicles of crime suspects.

But the new systems are not without controversy.

Glen Cove
Mayor Pam
P a n z e n b e c k
defends the introduction of the cameras citing the
increase in burglaries and crime in
New York, and the

minimal impact to privacy on public streets.

"It is a valuable tool and a good resource for the police to help solve crimes," stated Panzenbeck.

But the ACLU opposes the cameras,

But the ACLU opposes the cameras, claiming that the cameras are an infringement on privacy.

"License plate readers indiscriminately collect billions of location records nationwide and threaten to expose New Yorkers' daily lives to an entirely new level of police tracking and spying," stated Daniel Schwarz of the NY chapter of the ACLU. "People don't want to live in a surveillance state."

Panzenbeck disagreed, and arguing that street cameras and videos of cars on public streets already exist, stating "Our privacy is already invaded."

Cameras will be installed on poles at major intersections, and have solar panels installed within. 10 poles are set to include the cameras. Glen Cove has agreed to pay \$53,500 for a contract lasting two years.

"It's just a good

investigatory tool for us, should we have a serious crime," stated Glen Cove Police Chief William Whitton. "We will be able to see a picture of the vehicle along with the license plate, and then we would have to do good old-fashioned detective work to see if that car was actually involved."

Glen Cove is one of many Long Island municipalities to install license plate cameras. In accordance with the contract, all footage will be discarded within 30 days, though local police may continue to keep and store the footage.

The city recently signed a contract with the Atlanta-based Flock Group Inc. to produce the cameras.

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The North Shore Land Alliance is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving the natural beauty and historic character of Long Island's North Shore. Through conservation efforts and community engagement, the Alliance works to protect and enhance the region's open spaces, waterways, and cultural heritage. As an active member of our neighborhood, I take pride in supporting this organization! This past weekend we had a wonderful Pop-Up Paddle and Pickleball event! Thank you to all who came and donated! We can all play a role in helping to preserve our community for future generations. Whether through volunteering, making donations, or simply spreading the word, we can all make a positive impact on the North Shore's environment and quality of life!



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Oyster Bay, Melville Home Prices Surge 17%

BY MAUREEN DALY

Defying the dire predictions of many economists and local realtors, 2022 saw significant increases in the value and sales prices of homes across the north shore – especially in Oyster Bay and Melville, which saw annual increases of over 17%.

Despite the mortgage rates more than doubling last year, making homes more expensive, the median home price in most Long Island communities continued to rise.

According to data on close to 200 communities compiled by the appraisal firm of Miller & Samuel, 2022 home prices increased, even though there were 15.5% fewer sales than during 2021.

The usual expectation is that while coming out of this boom, rates have doubled and homes should become more already overloaded sewer treatment ities, which would cause huge mental and groundwater damage

affordable, but that is not what is happening: In more than one third of Long Island communities, home prices increased by 10% compared to 2021 prices. In some communities like Bellport and Oyster Bay, prices increased by over 15%.

Real Estate agents believe that the limited number of houses for sale is the key factor keeping sellers in control and dissuading buyers. Buyers are more than frustrated. They can't find houses, and when they do they can't afford them or are out-bid.

New York Governor Kathy Hochul is promoting a plan to build 800,000 housing units across the state in order to "flood the market" and collapse the values of people's homes, making all housing in New York "more affordable."

The Hochul plan has faced resistance from local Republican officials, because of its potential to destroy the real estate market – reducing the value of most families' major asset – their home.

Hochul's plan has also been attacked by local communities for trying to lessen local control of community zoning, and by environmentalists for threatening to dump huge amounts of raw sewage into already overloaded sewer treatment facilities, which would cause huge environmental and groundwater damage.



An home in Oyster Bay.

Photo: Daniel Gale

Bayville Bridge Re-opening Delayed....Again

BY THOMAS NOTHEL

The Bayville Bridge will continue to be closed with a now "new claimed reopening date" of "mid to late" April.

In letters to the Mayors of Bayville and Mill Neck, Nassau Commissioner of Publics Works Ken Arnold advised about the delay.

"The County has been informed of an unforeseen site condition related to the structural work on the Bayville Bridge during the full clo-

sure," wrote Arnold. "This issue was not apparent during the engineering phase of this project and was only discovered when certain components were disassembled".

The Bayville Bridge was closed starting on February 14th. The previously unforeseen site condition was found after that work had begun.

Residents and local businesses are frustrated with this latest setback. One Bayville resident questioned why the issue was not found when the Bridge was inspected prior to the beginning of the project.

Work stopped on the Bridge when site condition issue was discovered, but the



The Bayville Bridge.

work has since restarted.

When the repair work on the newly discovered issue is finally completed, the regular repair work will restart on the Bridge. That final work is expected to take 22 more days.

To read the full letter from the Nassau County Department of Public Works to Village of Bayville Mayor Steve Minicozzi and Village of Mill Neck Mayor Peter Quick use the following links:

Village of Bayville - NCDPW-Bayville-Bridge-Status-of-Full-Closure-Work-Mar-23-2023 and Village of Mill Neck - millneckvillage.com/news-and-notices/

Florida Gov Ron DeSantis on Long Island

By Mark Demetropoulos

"Florida is where Woke-ism goes to die!" declared Florida Governor Ron DeSantis to a standing-room only crowd on Long Island.

Over seven hundred local Long Island residents came out in the rain to see and meet DeSantis who spoke last weekend at the Cradle of Aviation Museum. He was introduced by Nassau GOP Chairman Joe Cairo, County Executive Bruce Blakeman, and former Congressman Lee Zeldin.

DeSantis was on a "book tour" to promote his new book: The Courage to be Free: Florida's Blueprint for America.

Poignantly, cheerfully - and with good humor - DeSantis spoke for nearly an hour as he informed the crowd about how Florida has succeeded where New York's Democrats have failed, and how Florida is now the leading state for job creation and growth.

DeSantis touted his spectacular record in what he called "The Free State of Florida."

He joked with Zeldin - his former colleague in the US Congress - stating, "Lee might very well have been Governor of New York, had fewer New York voters not migrated away to my home state of Florida."

DeSantis described how the school system in Florida has greatly improved since he took office and how his administration push parental rights and choice for their children's education. He stated that in his state – parents of children will have the choice and the monetary funds



Marissa Brown, Gov Ron DeSantis, and Chairman Joe Cairo

do to decide what type of school their children will attend being either private, charter or public school.

He also discussed how Florida is enacting a Parents' Bill of Rights, to ensure that parents are protected against state governments, medical boards and school district bureaucrats who would dictate to parents how to raise their children

DeSantis also stated that Doctors and other medical professionals who perform any "gender-reassigning" medical surgery or drug treatments on children, without parental consent, will lose their medical license.

DeSantis has challenged the Biden administration for not defending our Southern Boarder. He then discussed how he deployed the local US Coast Guard to protect the Florida Coast, stating "If the Biden administration fails to protect Florida, I will."

After his talk, DeSantis met nearly every one of the attendees and autographed many of his books.

US Rep Nick Lalota to Chair Long Island Sound Caucus

By Rupert Deedes

The Long Island Sound Caucus, a bipartisan group of legislators, has chosen US Congressmen Nick LaLota (R-Huntington) and Joe Courtney (D-Connecticut) as its new co-chairs.

The Caucus focuses on protecting the Long Island Sound, including conservation, water, fishing, transportation, and energy.

"I am proud to partner with my colleague from across the Sound, Congressman Courtney, to lead the bipartisan Long Island Sound Caucus," stated Lalota. "Much has been accomplished before me, and yet much is left to be done. Protecting the Sound is not a partisan issue, it is an issue important to all Long Islanders."

The Sound is facing many challenges - which it shares with other coastal coastal waters.

About two-thirds of the U.S. coastal areas and more than one-third of the nation's estuaries showed different levels of impairment caused by nutrient pollution. Nitrogen and phosphorus pollution in rivers, lakes, and streams flows downstream and ultimately enters bays and coastal waters.

These coastal ecosystems are often an important part of the local economy and nutrient pollution has a negative impact on commercial fishing, recreation, property values, tourism, and related businesses.

Experts note that bays and estuaries are more vulnerable to the effects of



Councilman Dave Bennardo Congratulates US Rep Nick LaLota

nutrient pollution because they are often shallow, narrow, or confined, which limits the opportunity for water to circulate oxygen to the plants and animals.

Long Island Sound is an estuary approximately 110 miles long (east to west) and 21 miles across at its widest point, and covers an area of 1320 square miles with 600 miles of coastline. It's valuable recreational and commercial uses make it one of the most important estuaries in the nation.

"The Sound is a vital part of Suffolk County's economy and our unique culture. I was proud to have an amendment unanimously pass the House this year to protect Long Island's waters from offshore drilling," added Lalota. "As cochair of this caucus, I will continue that work to protect the Sound's water, fishing, and accessibility for generations to enjoy."

Oyster Bay to Install "Floating Litter Traps"

By Chris O'Neill

Oyster Bay will be deploying a new technology - Floating Litter Traps - to skim floating garbage and debris from the pristine waters of Oyster Bay, Cold Spring Harbor and Hempstead Harbor.

The first deployment will be in Hempstead Harbor off Tappan Beach in Glenwood Landing and Sea Cliff - and the Town is calling for "student volunteers" to help launch this pilot environmental program.

Supervisor Joseph Saladino and Councilwoman Laura Maier announced the installation of two "Collec'Thor" devices at Harry Tappen Marina that will clean the waters of Hempstead Harbor.

They were joined on the dock by several volunteers, as well as Council members Lou Imbroto and Vicky Walsh, and Town Clerk Rich LaMarca.

The waste skimmers represent the latest in marine debris technology and this will be their first use in the United States.

The "Collec'Thor" devices are installed on floating decks and use a small pump to draw in floating trash, specifically solid and liquid wastes such as plastic bottles, cigarette filters, butts



TOB Supervisor Joe Saladino and Town Clerk Rich LaMarca are joined by Council members Laura Maier, Vicky Walsh and Lou Imbroto. (Photo courtesy of TOB)

and packaging, micro-plastics and hydrocarbon waste, including oils and fuels.

The device adjusts with the tide and according to Supervisor Saladino, "Collects up to 220 pounds of floating debris in just one cycle..."

Councilwoman Maier is calling for "Citizen Scientist volunteers" - high school and college students, as well as adults, to assist in determining the amount and type of debris collected.

All volunteers will receive a certificate for their efforts in protecting the community and its environment. To volunteer contact the Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County (CCE) Project Manager Amanda Dauman at (631) 727-7850 ext. 322 or email aml357@cornell.edu

EDITORIAL

WHEN LILACS LAST IN THE DOORYARD BLOOM'D

When lilacs last in the dooryard bloom'd, And the great star early droop'd in the western sky in the night,

I mourn'd, and yet shall mourn with everreturning spring.

Ever-returning spring, trinity sure to me you bring,

Lilac blooming perennial and drooping star in the west,

And thought of him I love.

O powerful western fallen star!

- O shades of night—O moody, tearful night! O great star disappear'd—O the black murk that hides the star!
- O cruel hands that hold me powerless—
- O helpless soul of me!
- O harsh surrounding cloud that will not free my soul.

In the dooryard fronting an old farm-house near the white-wash'd palings,
Stands the lilac-bush tall-growing with heart-shaped leaves of rich green,
With many a pointed blossom rising delicate, with the perfume strong I love,
With every leaf a miracle—and from this bush in the dooryard,
With delicate-color'd blossoms and heart-

shaped leaves of rich green,
A sprig with its flower I break.

In the swamp in secluded recesses, A shy and hidden bird is warbling a song.

Solitary the thrush, The hermit withdrawn to himself, avoiding the settlements, Sings by himself a song.

Song of the bleeding throat, Death's outlet song of life, (for well dear brother I know, If thou wast not granted to sing thou

would'st surely die.)

- Walt Whitman

An Elegy to President Abraham Lincoln 1865

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Leader has received several unsigned letters to the editor. We will respect an author's request for anonymity, but must have your name, address, and phone number. We want to hear from you and publish your opinions, so in the future, kindly include the above requested information.

HOCHUL DEC DAMAGES OUR ENVIRONMENT

To the Editor;

For the second year in a row the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation has neglected its responsibility to protect the state's wildlife resources and habitats by approving a new permit for Frank M. Flower & Sons to dredge clams from the uncertified waters of Mill Neck Creek and transfer them to certified waters in Oyster Bay for ultimate harvest.

With shellfish populations in the bay at critically low numbers, these clams need to remain where they are so they can help repopulate the harbor.

The initial permit granted last year allowed the operation to proceed for three months. The new permit, issued without advance notice to the Town of Oyster Bay and Friends of the Bay, which had specifically asked DEC to notify the organization of any action involving dredging in the creek, is in effect for six months from April 3 to October 10.

This will allow even more disturbance to the creek and its wildlife. Flower wasted no time taking advantage of the permit: two of its dredges were observed at work in the creek on April 3.

The uncertified waters of Mill Neck Creek serve as an undisturbed spawning sanctuary for shellfish that can help repopulate the bay. Disturbing the substrate by dredging could potentially have a grave impact on other areas of the bay system.

The substrate in Mill Neck Creek contains excessive silt which is likely to be resuspended and distributed to other areas of the bay, further compromising already stressed habitat.

And the dredging poses potential harm to other marine species living in the creek, both directly and indirectly through habitat damage, due to the disruptive nature of the equipment used.

The Friends of the Bay Board Oyster Bay

FENCES, GUARDS AND GUNS IN AMERICAN SCHOOLS

To the Editor;

Eventually every school system in America will have to fence in every school and put an armed guard at every gate. Inside the school building cameras will have to be focused on doors and vulnerable glass windows and someone will have to monitor all the cameras. Some school systems will be slow on adding such security but lawsuits from teachers will eventually bring more stringent security into reality.

The Nashville shooting of three children and three adult workers was another heinous act carried out by a deranged person. Someone who commits such an act is beyond mentally ill, they have become mentally deranged. Sadly, the individual waited too long to get psychological help.

I don't want to mention the shooter's name because too much attention is given to people who kill innocent school teachers and children and even people in houses of worship. They prey on places that are typically gunfree zones filled with people who are often trapped with no way of escape. Newspapers and media sources should eliminate mentioning the name of such killers. As evil as it is, these mentally ill people see such acts as a way for them to get massive negative attention and to go out in what they perceive to be a moment of glory.

The idea of such security at all our schools is difficult to embrace but we have no choice. This adds to the financial challenges facing school systems. A fence is not aesthetically appealing. It looks third world but that's where we are in America. I've traveled to enough third world countries to have viewed walls around average homes, churches and schools. In Brazil many walls are erected around homes because of the high crime rate. Thieves are everywhere in Brazil. There are many wonderful people in Brazil but also plenty of thieves.

We didn't grow up with fences and walls. We don't want them today, but do we have a choice?

Many believe eliminating semiautomatic rifles is the answer. A killer with two six shooters could still kill someone and probably several in a classroom filled with children. If we outlaw guns in this country, then evil people will find a way to smuggle them into our country to other evil people who aren't concerned about keeping the law. Then, we will be defenseless and at their mercy. Fentanyl is illegal but over a 100,000 people died in 2022 from fentanyl and synthetic opioids.

I don't own a semi-automatic rifle but if China or Russia invades us, I want one. Actually, I want one for my wife, children and grandkids. We need at least a chance to defend ourselves.

By all means we must stop the mentally ill from having such weapons but that's hard to do when someone has no record of any psychotic episodes. There is nothing wrong with a waiting period for buying a gun and a background check.

Obviously private and religious schools are targets like any other school. Everyone is vulnerable.

Every school and Board of Education must be in serious planning stages for implementing the best security possible for our children. This is something that has never happened to most schools or churches in America but everyone is vulnerable. It only takes one such act next month or ten years from now to kill people and devastate a community.

Glenn Mollette

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Op-Ed: School Districts Bringing Porn and Racism into Schools

BY STEVE LEVY

Contrary to the liberal media's headlines that the right is seeking to "Ban Books" in school libraries, in actuality, it's the radical Left that is seeking to ban the ability of parents to oversee and vet pornographic, gender transitioning, racially divisive, and Marxist materials from seeping into our children's curriculum.

A recent Newsday headline blared: "BOOK BAN ATTEMPTS HIT RECORD IN '22"

Book Bans? As representatives from the conservative group "Moms for Liberty" profoundly retorted:

"Censorship is the banning of books. We say — write the book, print the book, sell the book. But if it does not have age-appropriate material for small school children, then don't put it in school."

If you think the Moms are exaggerating the level of inappropriate content on the shelves of many school libraries, just search the internet for the lists of some of the books of porn, race hatred, and gender dystopia of which parents never imagined are now in the schools.

An American citizen has the right to publish, sell and/or purchase porn, such as Hustler magazine. Should parents be labeled "book burners," if they raise objections to Hustler being available in a school library?

Many on the left get the concept of free speech very wrong. That even applies to First Lady Jill Biden. In a morning show interview about school libraries, she foolishly stated: "All books should be in the library. All books! This is America, we don't ban books."

First off, minors do not have access to



Steve Levy

every book or movie as do adults. That's why individuals under 18 years of age were never allowed into Xrated movie theaters.

But then there's the question of whether local school boards have the right to vet materials and prevent some objectionable books they deem ageinappropriate to be stocked on the shelves of a school. Certainly, they do. That is not a

violation of the rights of the student.

Freedom of speech relates to the ability for an individual to write or say whatever they want, and to sell or preach it in the marketplace. But library content is controlled by the school board, just as the publisher of a newspaper decides which letters to the editor get in the paper. It's not the letter writers who have an absolute right to get their letter published in that particular paper.

The school board is directly accountable to the public, and it is the public that determines the curriculum in each state through their elected officials and the departments of education they elect. If the public believes that the department has gone too far by allowing critical race theory, pornography, and blatantly anti-American materials to permeate the curriculum, they have a right to voice their opinion and to seek change.

This is vitally important because a number of polls have shown just how insidious the left's indoctrination in our schools over the last several decades has become.

One poll shows that almost four out of

ten Americans would not rise up to defend the United States if we were attacked by a foreign enemy. Another poll shows a majority of young people favor socialism over our present free market economy.

A third poll notes that race relations have actually soured since critical race theory has been injected into the classroom

The survival of democratic nations is not preordained. As Ronald Reagan wisely noted: "Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction."

It is our obligation as a democratic society to ensure that our children are raised with an understanding that democracies and free markets are essential to a superior way of life.

When we stop teaching these foundational concepts, we become a fractious nation that loses its cohesive identity. We were founded upon the concept E pluribus unum (from many, one). The new philosophy from the identity politics leftists is: From one, many.

Our children are becoming more segregated and tribalized. This leads to a lack of national unity that can be devastating, if we were to be attacked.

Marxists always had a plan to destroy our way of life. In the 1950's, Soviet Secretary Nikita Khrushchev noted:

"We do not have to invade the United States, we will destroy you from within. The United States will eventually fly the Communist red flag. ...The American

people will hoist it themselves."

Marxists in the 1920's believed that the key to overthrowing the United States was through our educational system. They tried unsuccessfully to pit class against class through their lectures and institutional dogma. But now they have been finding success by dividing us by race rather than class. It's the reason that military recruitment is down 25% over the last several years.

This is why Moms For Liberty seeks to give parents more understanding and control over their children's curriculum.

The purveyors of Marxism, critical race theory, gender reassignment and sexual activism among our children see parents as the enemy of their master plans of indoctrination. They falsely claim that parents fighting back to protect their children are engaging in un-American censorship.

To the contrary, it is a battle to save the very foundations of our American Republic.

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Town Supervisors Protest hown just how trination in our eral decades has Town Supervisors Protest Hochul "Housing Plan" Last week, local

fire chiefs and water commissioners joined North Hempstead Town Supervisor DeSena, Jennifer Hempstead Supervisor Don Clavin, and Oyster Bay Supervisor Saladino, protest against NY Governor Kathy Hochul's ill-conceived mass "Housing Plan," that would overturn

local and environmental rules to forceconstruct 800,000 units of new tract housing.

Joining the Supervisors were Albertson Water Commissioner Ed Scott, Oyster Bay Receiver of Taxes Jeff



Town Supervisors Protest Hochul "Housing Plan"

Pravato, and Oyster Bay Town Clerk Rich LaMarca.

The fire commissioners and water commissioners stated that the construction of mass tract housing will overwhelm the local sewer and water systems – and make communities more dangerous.

Security Lockdown at Huntington Town Hall

One of the "Huntington

Auditors" at Town Hall

BY RUPERT DEEDES

In the wake of security incidents at Huntington Town Hall, the town has lim-

ited the public's access, and beefed up security in and around the building. Last week, Vincent

Last week, Vincent DiBenedetto of East Meadow managed to enter the building and bypass security staff. He went to the town clerk's office, where he told the staff that he wanted to pick up a copy of his mother's death certificate.

DiBenedetto was using his video camera

to record his exchanges with the staff and was filming other patrons and residents, which got people upset.

The town's Public Safety officers approached him, but he refused to stop filming, and shouted that he was exercising his "first amendment rights."

When the officers tried to block his filming, he became aggressive, and got into a shoving match with the town's Public Safety director.

He was later arrested by the Suffolk County police. Two days later, a group of "First

Amendment Auditors" came to Town Hall to continue the videotaping of the building and its employees. They arrived wearing horror masks-similar to those worn by the bank robbers in the 2010

movie "The Town."

They removed their horror masks before entering the building, but were aggressive and obnoxious towards the town employees and residents. Public Safety asked them to leave, and they finally left without anyone being arrested

Public Safety has now implemented new security measures, including a barrier adjacent to the security desk near the entrance to the building, increasing the number of security guards at the building's entrance, and requiring that visitors be escorted to their destination.

Visitors will now also be "wanded" with a metal detection wand to ensure that no one enters Town Hall with a knife or firearm.

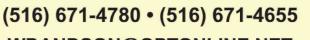
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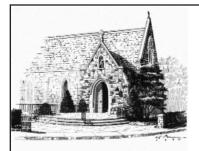


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HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE

MONDAY IN HOLY WEEK

April 9 th	EASTER
12:00 p.m.	Good Friday Liturgy & Communion from the Reserve
8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
April 7 th	GOOD FRIDAY
7:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist, Foot Washing, Stripping of the Altar
8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
April 6 th	MAUNDY THURSDAY
7:00 p.m.	Tenebrae - A service of Prayers, Lights & Readings
8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
April 5 th	WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK
7:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
April 4 th	TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK
7:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer

Festival Holy Eucharist

Festival Holy Eucharist, Sunday School

Easter Egg Hunt in Memorial Garden

Locust Valley Students Qualify for National History Bowl



Locust Valley High School History Club members John Hartnett, Sophia Del Giudice, Clare Simon and Abigail Vuong (left to right) qualified for the National History Quiz Bowl. Photo courtesy of the LVCSD

Earlier this month, the Locust Valley High School History Club qualified for the National History Bowl Tournament after winning the Long Island History Bowl Tournament at Half Hollow Hills High School West.

The team, made up of John Hartnett, Sophia Del Giudice, Clare Simon and Abigail Vuong, were quick to the buzzer and called out answers to difficult history

questions on their way to six consecutive head-to-head quiz matchup wins and a first-place finish in the four-team round robin. Questions ranged in topics from history of arts, sciences, religion, philosophy, language, geography, sports and entertainment.

The team will compete at the national quiz tournament in Washington, D.C. on April 27 and 28.

101 Year old Holocaust Survivor **Prepared Pre-Passover Seder**

101 year old Elfriede "Friedel" Lambert, whose parents and siblings perished in the Holocaust prepared and hosted a pre-Passover Seder at at The Bristal at North Hills. Her guests included members of her family and fellow residents of The Bristal at

Friedel worked closely with The Bristal's culinary team to prepare some of her personal favorite Passover recipes including Charoses, (a sweet relish made with fruits, nuts, spices and wine symbolizing the mortar and brick used by the Hebrew slaves to build the structures of Egypt), Matzo Ball soup, brisket, salmon, a roasted potato platter, a mixed



101 year old Elfriede Lambert with her daughter Sue Fredericks and her son Steve Lambert during Pre-Passover Seder at The Bristal at North Hills.

vegetables platter, macaroons and honey

The Pre- Passover Seder was led by Rabbi Yaakov Reiter of Chabad of Roslyn.

Ms. Lambert was raised in a traditional Orthodox home in Germany. Her siblings and parents perished in the Holocaust. She eventually made her way to the United States and settled in the Washington Heights section of Manhattan. She and her late husband Alfred met on a blind date and were happily married for 59 years until his passing on the eve of Passover in 2007.



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TOB Honors Hometown Wrestling Champ "MJF"



TOB Officials Joe Saladino, Jeff Pravato, Lou Imbroto and Rich LaMarca give MJF the

Key to the Town

(Photo courtesy TOB)

BY THOMAS NOTHEL

Oyster Bay native and World Champion Wrestler Maxwell Jacob Friedman "MJF" was awarded the "Key to the Town" last Monday by Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Joseph Saladino and members of the Town Board.

The Town also proclaimed April 3, 2023 as "Maxwell Jacob Friedman Day" in the Town of Oyster Bay. Friedman was particularly honored for his charitable endeavors.

"We are proud to recognize All Elite Wrestling Champion Maxwell Jacob Friedman for his charitable efforts to combat anti-Semitism and end Jew-hate around the world," stated Saladino. "MJF has demonstrated unwavering determination, skill and showmanship in becoming the AEW Champion, where his prowess in the ring, and his undeni-

able charisma, have made him a professional wrestling icon and one of the biggest box office draws in the sport."

MJF is a Plainview-Old Bethpage JFK High School graduate, and currently resides in Glen Cove. He is proud of his hometown roots in the Town of Oyster Bay, and regularly speaks against anti-Semitism.

"We are so proud of him and the charitable work he does outside the ring," added Saladino. "Go get'em Champ!"

His local fans were able to see Freidman wrestle in person, when he was in the Wrestling Ring last Wednesday as the AEW held it Dynamite television program at the UBS arena in Elmont, New York. It was the first New York area AEW Wresting event of 2023.

Adult Paint Night



St Gertrude's Preschool is hosting a Paint Night for their annul spring fundraiser. You will paint a masterpiece of a beautiful Bayville Sunset. Wine and Cheese will be served, and a 50/50 Raffle and Raffle Gift Baskets.

The event takes place Tuesday, April 20TH, at 8:00PM, in the St. Gertrudes Parish Center, 28 School Stret, Bayville. \$65 in advance and \$70 at the door. Call to purchase ticket 516•628•3710 or email at stgertprek@stgerts.org

LOCUST VALLEY LIBRARY ASSOCIATION Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Locust Valley Library Association will be held on Thursday, April 20, 2023 at 7:00 PM.

Trustees of the Locust Valley Library are elected for staggered three-year terms by members of the Locust Valley Library Association at the Annual Meeting. Nomination of Trustees is made by the decision of a Trustee to seek re-election, by the Nominating Committee, or by petition.

Ann Miles has decided to seek re-election.

The regular monthly Board Meeting will begin immediately after the Annual Meeting. For further information please call Library Director Jenny Bloom at (516) 671-1837.

Locust Valley Library 170 Buckram Road

Honoring a Courageous Woman

BY VICTORIA CROSBY

March is women's history month and Nassau County Legislator Delia DeRiggi-Whitton honored Corrine Kaufmann for her work in helping to prevent deaths from Fentanyl.

In November of 2022 Corrine's granddaughter, Page Gibbons, who had just celebrated her birthday a few days prior, died from an accidental overdose of Fentanyl. Since that time Corrine Kaufmann has channeled her grief into action, by advocating for Narcan to be available to the nurses in middle and high schools throughout the county, and for fentanyl test strips to be made available. Delia presented Corrine with a citation and said, "Corrine is making such a difference and it

is our privilege to recognizes her as a Women's History Month Trailblazer."

Overdose from Fentanyl has become an epidemic in this country, and Nassau County has seen many deaths from its use. According to authorities in Nassau County in 2022 there were at least 356 overdose deaths, and other suspected fentanyl deaths not yet confirmed by the coroner. This was an increase from previous years and each year the number grows. Counterfeit drugs have been laced with it and unsuspecting people



(L-R) Corrine Kaufmann and Nassau County Legislator Delia DeRiggi-Whitton

take it. Drug addiction knows no bounds, it affects all ages, socio-economic status, and ethnicities. Street drugs may contain deadly amounts of fentanyl unknown to the user. Perhaps when these lifesaving items become available to the public, these numbers would decrease, not increase.

There are several worthwhile documentaries on TV. "All The Beauty and the Bloodshed," is on HBO and is about the opioid pandemic, "Poisoned," on Hulu is about the Fentanyl crisis.

Locust Valley Library



April Programs

REGISTER AT www.locustvalleylibrary.org

Art Exhibit for the Month of April Josephine Early

Friends of the Library Under The Tent Book Sale Saturday, April 29 from 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM Sunday, April 30 from 1 - 4:30 PM

Saturday, April 15 at 2 PM Nicholas Pascucci and Weiwei Zhai Classical Concert

Saturday, April 22 from 10:30 AM - 2:30 PM Shred Your Personal Documents Sponsored by Raymond James & Associates

Saturday, April 22 at 11 AM Book Group for Moms and Caregivers Tomorrow and Tomorrow and Tomorrow by Gabrielle Zevin

Sunday, April 23 at 2 PM Parent Virtual Support Group Presented by Super Busy Mommy Coach

Sunday, April 23 at 2 PM Concert : Long Island Composers Alliance Poems set to music All ages Welcome

Ongoing Programs

MONDAYS
Yoga with Morgan Rose
9:30 AM - 10 sessions for \$40

Tai Chi with Marvin German 5:30 PM - 10 sessions \$50

TUESDAYS

Yoga with Morgan Rose 5:30 PM - 10 sessions for \$40

WEDNESDAYS
Casual Books, April 12
at 10 AM
All Creatures Great and Small

THURSDAYS
Movies at 1 PM
April 13 - The Menu
April 27 - Babylon

Coloring by Candlelight and Soft Music from 6 - 8 PM

SATURDAYS

Dancercise with Carol

9:30 AM - 10 sessions for \$50



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Obituaries



ANDERSEN, Jean Evelyn, passed away at her home in Centre Island, Oyster Bay, New York, on March 6th, just a few days before her 87th birthday, after an illness that lasted more than a decade. Jean is

survived by her brother, Harold W. Andersen, MD, and his wife Shirley R. Andersen, MD – of Chapel Hill, NC, and Laurel Hollow, NY – and her nieces and nephew: Lauren Andersen, William Andersen, MD, Elizabeth Andersen, and Caroline Andersen Tsekerides. She was blessed with nine grandnieces and grandnephews, aged 10 to 29, who live in Cold Spring Harbor, Chapel Hill, and Berlin, Germany.

Jean was born in Brooklyn and grew up in Bayside, Roslyn Estates, and Manhasset, the younger child of businessman Harold Andersen, Sr., and homemaker Evelyn Nielsen. She graduated from Manhasset High School in 1953 and attended Wellesley College, graduating in 1957. She then studied psychology at Columbia University. Jean was an adventurous person who traveled widely in her chosen career - helping reduce global childhood malnutrition. She worked in many countries, but the bulk of her efforts were in Thailand and the Philippines. She developed an enduring fondness for the cultures of these countries.

Jean never married. She enjoyed a high-profile career, reporting to board level of the Coca-Cola Company. Jean spearheaded programs called Nutribus and Nutripak, sponsored by Coca-Cola. The buses would travel to remote areas distributing food, and teaching about nutrition. Jean was very serious about her work, but she also had a sense of humor, and loved a well-timed joke.

In her spare time, Jean loved to sail. She owned many boats over the years, but became a fan of her Ideal 18 because it was light, and easy for two people to sail. She participated in Ladies' Sailing at Seawanhaka Yacht Club, and raced all over Long Island Sound. She enjoyed teaching sailing skills and sharing her technical knowledge about sailing.

Jean wintered annually in Naples, Florida, and became a docent at the Baker Art museum. She enjoyed researching each new exhibition and sharing her knowledge with schoolchildren and museum patrons. Her illness interrupted her attempt at writing a book on fine art printmaking.

Jean was an amazingly hopeful and positive person. She fought hard against her Parkinson's Disease, although the illness gradually robbed her of her mobility and her memory.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Jean's preferred charity: The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research. It is imperative that a cure be found.

https://give.michaeljfox.org/give/421 686/#!/donation/checkout

COLLERY, Stella Fenza Gorney, on March 21, 2023 at the age of 92. Beloved wife of the late Paul. Sister to Jenny, Carl. Carolin and the late Stanly, Francine, Rose, Ronnie, Agnes, Walter, & Pauline. Loving mother of Paula, Thomas (Mary), David and the late Paul Jr., John E. (Gloria). Grandmother to Kevin, Patrick (Amy), Shane, Johnny, Tom, Rita (Marco), Michael, Timothy. Joe, James, Mary Catherine, Paul and William. Great Grandmother to Ivan, Jacklyn, Wayne, Walter Isabella & Zivah. Aunt to many nieces and nephews. Stella was always the life of the party. She loved to cook for family and friends. She was loved by many and will be greatly missed.



GIOVANNIELLO, Susan of Glen Cove, NY on April 3, 2023 at Age 19. Beloved

daughter of Lou and Julie. Loving sister of Jessica and Michael. Special granddaughter of Anna Giovanniello and Vincenzo Viselli. Dear niece of

Lena, Emilio, Joanne, Bruno, Antonette and Umberto. Also survived by many loving cousins and friends. Entombment at Holy Rood Cemetery. www.Dodgethomas.com

GONZALEZ, Albert Anthony, known to many as Albie, 68, born in Glen Cove, NY passed away on Tuesday March 28, 2023. He was born November 15th 1954, the son of Margaret McCauley and Santos Gonzalez. He is survived by

his wife Eileen Sheehan, their children Albert Jr. and Nicholas Gonzalez, and his brother and sisters Michael McCauley, Margaret Winowsky and Michelle Gonzalez. He has three grandchildren Leah, Anna and Ruby, and many cousins.

He enjoyed life, and took pleasure in the simple things. He was an avid outdoorsman enjoying hunting and fishing and hanging by the beach. He has a heart for adventure and action. As a young man, he was an amateur boxer and an avid softball player. You could count on him having a good time wherever he went, always sharing a laugh, ribbing a friend or coining a creative nickname.

An automobile mechanic by trade at Thoro Exxon and Albie's Automotive, he was always happy to help stranger. He was a kind and compassionate problem solver, often going out of his way to do the right thing. A lover of food and drink, he can often be remembered saying "where's the salt". He is loved by many and missed by all he touched.

Visitation and Funeral Service will be held at Dodge Thomas Funeral Home, 26 Franklin Ave. Glen Cove. NY 11542 on Saturday, April 8th, from 12-4 PM and the service to begin promptly at 2:30pm,

In Lieu of flowers, a donation can be made to the Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club in memory of Albert Gonzalez. www.Dodgethomas.com

JOHNSON, Alice Jane, 87, of Glen Head, passed away on March 26, 2023. She was predeceased by her loving husband Harry C. Johnson Sr. She is survived by her four children Linda Lee LoBianco, William E. Hoagland IV, Barbara Ann Smith, and Dawn Marie Brottenberg. And three stepchildren Harry C. Johnson Jr., Judy Dwyer, and Jill Fechtig. She had 20 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

She enjoyed building puzzles, feeding and watching the birds in her yard. She collected lighthouses and visited many along the East Coast. She loved going out for a bite to eat and being with family. She was very proud to have children that served in the military. Interment at East Hillside Cemetery, Old Brookville, NY. www.Whitting.com

LANGDON, Phyllis A., of Locust Valley, passed away at home on April 3rd. 2023, age 94. Beloved wife of Edwin for 62 years, until his passing in 2013. Loving mother of the late Kenny, Jane Janas (Jeff), and Nancy Hickerson (Matthew). Proud grandmother of Christopher Ritchie (Laura), Sarah & Emma Hickerson; step-grandmother of Melissa & Jeffrey Janas; step-great

grandmother of Axel Janas. Survived by her loving sister, Joan Hawkins (George), nieces, nephews and families. Memorial service will be held at a later date at St. John's of Lattingtown. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: The Patricia H. Ladew Cat Foundation, P. O. Box 307,34 Hamilton Avenue, Oyster Bay, NY 11771, theladewcatsanctuary.org or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, stjude.org Arrangements entrusted to Oyster Bay Funeral Home. www.oysterbayfuneralhome.com

McKILLEN, Dan of Bayville, on March 27, 2023 at Age 71. Loving husband of Deborah. Proud father of Daniel, Ryan and Timothy (Aisling). Adored grandfather of Ronan. Dear brother of Janice Ammann (Fred) and Brian. Also survived by his nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, April 8, 2023 at The View Grill, 111 Lattingtown Road, Glen Cove, NY 11542 from 1:00 - 5:00 pm.

The McKillen family asks that in lieu of flowers, those wishing to make memorial contributions in Dan's memory consider donating to the Cholangiocarcinoma Foundation to assist in making advancements in research, and support ongoing advocacy and awareness efforts for this devastating disease.

All donations are tax-deductible. Follow this link to donate online, https://curecca.link/DanMcKillen. If you wish to donate by phone, please call (888) 936-6731 and speak with Laurie Kikel. If you wish to donate by mail, send check to: CCF – In Memory of Dan McKillen, 5526 West 13400 South, #510, Herriman, Utah 84096, USA www.Dodgethomas.com

SYMANSKI, Stanley "Mike" - on Mar. 31, 2023, age 84, of Bayville, NY. Beloved husband of Diane. Loving father of Michael, Paul (Lisa), and Karen. Cherished grandfather of Diana Garces, Krystina Garces, Timmy Dunn, Jason, Kelly and Jack. Proud great grandfather of Evan. Also survived by many loving relatives and friends. Devoted Ex-Chief, Trustee, Chief of Fire Police and a lifetime member of Bayville Fire Co., #1. Interment Bayville Cemetery. Luncheon to follow at Bayville Fire Co., #1 www.oysterbayfuneralhome.com

USHIYAMA, Mariko – on Mar. 23, 2023, age 91, of Port Washington, NY. Beloved wife of the late Ko. Loving mother of Makiko, and Satoru. Also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Funeral Services are private. www.oysterbayfuneralhome.com

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AVISO DE AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA, VOTO DE PRESUPUESTO Y ELECCIÓN DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTRAL DE LOCUST VALLEY LOCUST VALLEY, CONDADO DE NASSAU, NUEVA YORK

POR LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA que se llevará a cabo una Audiencia Pública de los votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Central de Locust Valley, Condado de Nassau, Locust Valley, Nueva York en el Mini-Theater de la Escuela Secundaria/Preparatoria Locust Valley, 99 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, Nueva York el 2 de mayo de 2023 a las 19:30 para la transacción de negocios según lo autorizado por la Ley de Educación, incluidos los siguientes elementos:

- 1. Presentar a los votantes una declaración detallada (presupuesto propuesto) de la cantidad de dinero que se requerirá para el año fiscal 2023-2024.
- 2. Discutir todos los artículos que se establecen a continuación para ser votados por las máquinas de votación en la Votación y Elección del Presupuesto que se llevará a cabo el martes 16 de mayo de 2023.
- 3. Tramitar cualquier otro asunto que pueda presentarse adecuadamente ante la reunión de conformidad con la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York y las leyes que la modifican.
- Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que dicha Votación y Elección del Presupuesto se llevarán a cabo el martes 16 de mayo de 2023, entre las 6:00 a. m. y las 9:00 p. m. en los tres (3) Distritos Electorales, descritos a continuación, momento en el cual las urnas estarán abiertas para votar por máquina de votación sobre los siguientes puntos:
- 1. Adoptar el presupuesto anual del Distrito Escolar para el año fiscal 2023-2024 y autorizar que la parte requerida del mismo se recaude mediante impuestos sobre la propiedad imponible del Distrito.
- 2. Aprobar la siguiente resolución para el establecimiento de un Fondo de Reserva de Capital para financiar mejoras de capital y trabajos y equipos relacionados en el sitio en todas las escuelas del distrito:

RESUELTO: que la siguiente acción no dará lugar a un aumento adicional del impuesto anual. Se autorizará a la Junta de Educación, de conformidad con la Ley de Educación §3651, a establecer un Fondo de Reserva de Capital que se conocerá como el Fondo de Reserva de Capital de 2023 (Fondo de Reserva). El propósito de este Fondo de reserva es acumular dinero para financiar el costo de las mejoras de capital, el trabajo necesario en el sitio y los elementos relacionados del equipo en todo el distrito, incluidos, entre otros, la construcción y/o el reemplazo de instalaciones y propiedades en todo el Distrito, mejoras de capital relacionadas con las futuras necesidades de crecimiento de la inscripción, otras mejoras de infraestructura, reemplazos de paredes de ventanas, actualizaciones de sistemas de calefacción y ventilación, reemplazo de techos, meioras de seguridad. mejoras de estacionamientos y entradas de vehículos, meioras del sistema séptico, reconstrucción de espacios educativos, mejoras eléctricas, actualizaciones de baños y puertas interiores y exteriores. El monto final del Fondo de Reserva será la cantidad máxima estimada de \$5,000,000.00. El plazo probable del Fondo de Reserva es de cinco años. La fuente de los fonpara financiar el Fondo de Reserva transferencia anual de dinero excedente, si lo hubiere, del saldo no asignado del Fondo General del Distrito que pueda estar disponible al final de cada año fiscal desde el 30 de junio de 2023 hasta el 30 de junio inclusive. 2028, y cualquier otra fuente permitida por la ley. Salvo que se disponga lo contrario en el §3635 de la Ley de Educación, los gastos de este Fondo de Reserva se realizarán únicamente para el propósito para el cual se establece el Fondo de Reserva. No se efectuará ningún gasto con cargo a este Fondo de Reserva para otro fin distinto de los anteriores sin las actuaciones o procedimientos adicionales que la ley exija.

3. Solo para residentes del área de servicio de la biblioteca de Locust Valley: adoptar la resolución para la asignación de la biblioteca de Locust Valley presentada para el año fiscal 2023-2024, por un monto de \$1,607,191 para que aparezca en las máquinas de votación el 16 de mayo de 2023, y que la Junta de Educación del Distrito Escolar Central de Locust Valley sea

autorizado a recaudar el impuesto necesario por lo tanto sobre la propiedad imponible únicamente del antiguo Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión No. 4, Ciudad de Oyster Bay, Nueva York.

- 4. Elegir cuatro (4) miembros de la Junta de Educación para los siguientes términos:
- a) tres (3) miembros de la Junta de Educación por períodos de tres años que comienzan el 1 de julio de 2023 y terminan el 30 de junio de 2026.

b) un (1) miembro para ocupar el resto de un mandato no vencido que comienza el 16 de mayo de 2023 y finaliza el 30 de junio de 2024. Las vacantes en la Junta de Educación no se consideran cargos específicos separados; los candidatos corren en general. Los candidatos con el primer, segundo y tercer conteo de votos más alto serán elegidos para los mandatos completos que comienzan el 1 de julio de 2023 y terminan el 30 de junio de 2026. El candidato con el cuarto conteo de votos más alto cumplirá el mandato no vencido que comienza el 16 de mayo de 2023 y finaliza el 30 de junio de 2024. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que una copia de la declaración del cualquier residente del Distrito puede obtener la cantidad de dinero que se requerirá para financiar el presupuesto del Distrito Escolar (el presupuesto propuesto para 2023-2024) y el presupuesto de la Biblioteca de Locust Valley para 2023-2024, sin incluir dinero público, entre las horas de 9:00 am y 4:00 pm a partir del 2 de mayo de 2023, excepto los sábados, domingos o días festivos en la Oficina del Distrito, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, Nueva York y en cada escuela del Distrito.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que, de conformidad con el Capítulo 258 de las Leves de 2008, se agregó la Sección 495 a la Ley del Impuesto sobre Bienes Inmuebles, y requiere que el Distrito Escolar adjunte a su presupuesto propuesto un informe de exención. Dicho informe de exención, que también formará parte del presupuesto final, mostrará cuánto está exento de impuestos el valor total de la tasación en la lista de tasación final utilizada en el proceso presupuestario, enumerará cada tipo de exención otorgada. identificada por la autoridad legal, y mostrar: (a) el impacto acumulativo de cada tipo de exención expresado ya sea como un monto en dólares del valor tasado o como un porcentaje del valor tasado total en la lista; (b) la cantidad acumulada que se espera recibir de los beneficiarios de cada tipo de exención como pagos en lugar de impuestos u otros pagos por servicios municipales; y (c) el impacto acumulativo de todas las exenciones otorgadas. El informe de exención se publicará en cualquier tablón de anuncios mantenido por el Distrito para avisos públicos y en cualquier sitio web mantenido por el Distrito. Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL, que las peticiones de nominación de candidatos para el cargo de miembro de la junta escolar deben presentarse ante el Secretario del Distrito en el Edificio Administrativo, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, Nueva York, a más tardar el 17 de abril de 2023, entre 9:00 am y 5:00 pm Las peticiones de nominación deben estar firmadas por al menos 46 votantes calificados del Distrito (que representan el mayor de 25 votantes calificados o el 2% del número de votantes que votaron en la elección anual anterior); debe indicar el nombre y la residencia de cada firmante, y debe indicar el nombre y la residencia del candidato.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que se requiere el registro personal de votantes de conformidad con la Ley de Educación. Si un votante se ha registrado hasta ahora y ha votado en una reunión distrital anual o especial dentro de los últimos cuatro (4) años calendario, es elegible para votar en esta elección. Además, cualquier persona inscrita en la Junta Electoral del Condado de Nassau conforme a las disposiciones de la Ley Electoral tendrá derecho a votar sin necesidad de registrarse. Todas las demás personas que deseen votar deben registrarse.

La Junta de Registro se reunirá con el propósito de registrar a todos los votantes calificados del Distrito conforme a la §2014 de la Ley de Educación en cada uno de los tres distritos electorales, el 6 de mayo de 2023, entre las 9:00 a. m. y la 1:00 a. m. 00 p. m. en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, para agregar cualquier nombre adicional al Registro que se usará en la elección antes mencionada, en cuyo momento cualquier persona tendrá derecho a que se coloque su nombre en dicho Registro, siempre

que en dicha reunión del Junta de Registro se sabe o se prueba a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en dicha elección para la cual se prepara el registro. Además, el registro se llevará a cabo con el fin de registrar a todos los votantes calificados del Distrito de conformidad con la §2014 de la Ley de Educación hasta el 9 de mayo de 2023, entre las 9:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m. en todos los días regulares durante los cuales la oficina del Secretario del Distrito está en funcionamiento El registro así preparado se archivarán en la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito y estará abierto para su inspección por parte de cualquier votante calificado del Distrito a partir del jueves 11 de mayo de 2023, entre las 9:00 a.m. y las 4:00 p. m. los días de semana, y cada día anterior al día fijado para la elección, excepto el domingo, y el sábado entre las 9:00 a. m. y las 1:00 p. m., y en el (los) centro(s) de votación el día de la votación.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL, que los votantes militares que no están registrados actualmente pueden solicitar registrarse como votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Central de Locust Valley solicitando y devolviendo una solicitud de registro al Secretario del Distrito en persona, por correo a la Oficina del Secretario del distrito, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560, por correo electrónico a shammerschmidt@locustvalleyschools.org o por fax al 516 277-5098. La solicitud de registro puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar de recibir la solicitud de registro por correo postal, fax o correo electrónico. Los formularios de solicitud de registro de votantes militares deben recibirse en la oficina del secretario del distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. el 20 de abril de 2023 para que se emita una boleta para la Votación y Elección del Presupuesto de 2023

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL, aquellos votantes militares que son votantes calificados del Distrito Escolar Central de Locust Valley, pueden solicitar una solicitud para una boleta militar del Secretario del Distrito en persona, por correo a Oficina del Secretario del Distrito, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560, por correo electrónico a shammerschmidt@locustvalleyschools.org, o por fax al 516 277-5098. En dicha solicitud, el votante militar podrá indicar su preferencia de recibir la solicitud por correo postal, fax o correo electrónico. Un votante militar debe devolver la solicitud de boleta militar original por correo o en persona a la Oficina del Secretario del Distrito. Para que un votante militar pueda recibir una boleta militar, se debe recibir una solicitud de boleta militar válida en la oficina del secretario del distrito a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. el 20 de abril de 2023. Las solicitudes de boleta militar recibidas de acuerdo con lo anterior se procesarán de la misma manera que una solicitud de boleta no militar según la Sección 2018-a de la Ley de Educación. La solicitud de boleta militar puede incluir la preferencia del votante militar de recibir la boleta militar por correo, fax o correo electrónico.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL, la boleta militar original de un votante militar debe devolverse por correo o en persona a la oficina del Secretario del Distrito en 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560. Las boletas militares se examinarán si el secretario del distrito las recibe antes del cierre de las urnas el 16 de mayo de 2023 y muestran una marca de cancelación del Servicio Postal de los Estados Unidos o del servicio postal de un país extranjero. o que muestre un endoso de recibo fechado por otra agencia del Gobierno de los Estados Unidos; o recibido a más tardar a las 5:00 p.m. el 16 de mayo de 2023 y firmado y fechado por el votante militar y un testigo, con una fecha que se asegure que no sea posterior al día anterior a la elección.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que, de conformidad con la \$2014 de la Ley de Educación del Estado de Nueva York, la Junta de Inscripción se reunirá el martes 16 de mayo de 2023, entre las 6:00 a. m. y las 9:00 p. m. en cada uno de los tres (3) distritos electorales separados para preparar el Registro del Distrito Escolar que se usará en la Votación y Elección del Presupuesto que se llevará a cabo en 2023, y cualquier reunión especial del distrito que se celebre después de la preparación de dicho Registro, momento en el cual cualquier persona puede colocar su nombre en dicho Registro siempre que se sepa o demuestre a satisfacción de dicha Junta de Registro que tiene derecho a votar en la elección escolar para la cual se prepara dicho Registro, o en cualquier reunión especial del distrito que se celebre después 16 de mayo de 2023.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL, que las solicitudes de papeletas de voto en ausencia estarán disponibles durante el horario escolar en el Secretario del Distrito a partir del 1 de abril de 2023. El Secretario del Distrito no puede recibir una solicitud completa antes del 17 de abril de 2023 y dichas solicitudes deben ser recibido por el Secretario del Distrito al menos siete (7) días antes de la elección si la boleta se va a enviar por correo al votante, o el día anterior a la elección, si la boleta se va a entregar personalmente al votante o a su designado agente. Al recibir una solicitud oportuna de una boleta de voto en ausencia enviada por correo, el Secretario del Distrito enviará la boleta por correo a la dirección establecida en la solicitud a más tardar seis (6) días antes de la votación. El secretario del distrito debe recibir las boletas de voto en ausencia a más tardar a las 5:00 p. m. martes, 16 de mayo de 2023.

Una lista de las personas a las que se emiten boletas de voto en ausencia estará disponible para su inspección en la oficina del secretario del distrito a partir del jueves 11 de mayo de 2023, entre las 9:00 a. m. y las 4:00 p. m. los días de semana anteriores al día fijado para la elección anual y el 16 de mayo de 2023, día fijado para la elección. Cualquier votante calificado podrá, al examinar dicha lista, presentar una impugnación por escrito de las calificaciones como votante de cualquier persona cuyo nombre aparezca en dicha lista, exponiendo las razones de dicha impugnación. Cualquier impugnación por escrito deberá ser transmitida por el Secretario del Distrito o una persona designada por la Junta de Educación a los inspectores electorales el Día de la Elección.

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL que, de conformidad con una regla adoptada por la Junta de Educación, cualquier referéndum o proposición para enmendar el presupuesto, o que de otro modo se someta a votación en dicha elección, debe presentarse ante el Secretario del Distrito con tiempo suficiente para permitir que el aviso de la propuesta se incluya con el Aviso de Audiencia Pública, Votación Presupuestaria y Elección requerida por la Sección 2004 de la Ley de Educación, pero a más tardar el 2 de marzo de 2023 a las 4:30 p. m.; debe estar escrito a máquina o impreso en el idioma inglés: debe dirigirse al Secretario del Distrito Escolar; debe estar firmado por al menos 115 votantes calificados del Distrito (que representan el 5% del número de votantes que votaron en la elección anual anterior); y debe indicar legiblemente el nombre de cada firmante. Sin embargo, la Junta Escolar no considerará ninguna petición para presentar a los votantes ninguna propuesta cuyo propósito no esté dentro de los poderes de los votantes para determinar, que sea ilegal o cualquier propuesta que no incluya una asignación específica donde el gasto de dinero es requerido por la proposición, o donde existe otra razón válida para excluir la proposición de la boleta.

DISTRITOS ELECTORALES ESCOLARES

Y POR LA PRESENTE SE DA AVISO ADI-CIONAL de que se han establecido Distritos Electorales en el Distrito Escolar. Los límites de los distritos electorales, adoptados por resolución de la Junta de Educación, y el lugar de votación en cada distrito electoral serán los sigujentes:

Distrito Electoral de Bayville

Escuela Intermedia de Bayville, 50 Mountain Avenue, Bayville (descripción del distrito electoral: antiguo Distrito Escolar Libre de la Unión No. 6, Ciudad de Oyster Bay, Nueva York)

<u>Distrito Electoral de Brookville:</u>
Salón Comunitario de la Iglesia Reformada de Brookville, 2 Brookville Road, Brookville (descripción del distrito electoral: antiguo

Distrito Escolar Sin Unión No. 3, Ciudad de

Oyster Bay, Nueva York) Distrito Electoral de Locust Valley

Escuela primaria Ann MacArthur, 100 Ryefield Road, Locust Valley (descripción del distrito electoral: antiguo distrito escolar libre de la Unión No. 4, ciudad de Oyster Bay, Nueva York)

Fecha: 8 de marzo de 2023

Por Orden de la JUNTA EDUCATIVA DE LA DISTRITO ESCOLAR CENTRAL DE LOCUST VALLEY

Susan Hammerschmidt, Secretaria del Distrito

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, **BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION** OF THE LOCUST VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCUST VALLEY, NASSAU COUNTY, **NEW YORK**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Hearing of the qualified voters of the Locust Valley Central School District, Nassau County, Locust Valley, New York will be held in the Mini-Theater of the Locust Valley Middle School/High School, 99 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, New York on May 2, 2023 at 7:30 p.m. for the transaction of business as authorized by Education Law, including the following items:

1. To present to the voters a detailed statement (proposed budget) of the amount of money which will be required for the 2023-2024 fiscal year.

2. To discuss all the items hereinafter set forth to be voted upon by voting machines at the Budget Vote and Election to be held on Tuesday, May 16, 2023.

3. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting pursuant to Education Law of the State of New York and acts amendatory thereto.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said Budget Vote and Election will be held on Tuesday, May 16, 2023, between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. in the three (3) Election Districts, described below, at which time the polls will be open to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

1. To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2023-2024 and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

2. To approve the following resolution for the establishment of a Capital Reserve Fund to finance capital improvements, and related site work and equipment at all district

RESOLVED: That the following action shall result in no additional increase to the annual tax levy. Shall the Board of Education be authorized, pursuant to Education Law §3651, to establish a Capital Reserve Fund to be known as the 2023 Capital Reserve Fund (Reserve Fund). The purpose of this Reserve Fund is to accumulate monies to finance the cost of capital improvements, necessary site work and related items of equipment throughout the district including, but not limited to, the construction and/or replacement of Districtwide facilities and property, capital improvements related to future enrollment growth needs, other infrastructure improvements, window wall replacements, heating and ventilation system upgrades, roof replacement, security enhancements, parking lot and driveway improvements, septic system improvements, instructional space reconstruction, electrical improvements, bathroom upgrades, and interior and exterior doors. The ultimate amount of the Reserve Fund shall be the maximum estimated amount of \$5,000,000.00. The probable term of the Reserve Fund is five years. The source of the funds to fund the Reserve Fund is an annual transfer of surplus money, if any, from the District's General Fund's unassigned balance as may be available at the end of each fiscal year from June 30, 2023 through and including June 30, 2028, and any other sources permitted by law. Except as otherwise provided by §3635 of the Education Law, expenditures from this Reserve Fund shall be made only for the purpose for which the Reserve Fund is established. No expenditure shall be made from this Reserve Fund for any other purpose other than the above without such additional actions or proceedings as may be required by law.

3. Locust Valley Library Service Area Residents Only: To adopt the resolution for the Locust Valley Library appropriation submitted for the fiscal year 2023-2024, in the amount of \$1,607,191 to appear on the voting machines on May 16, 2023, and that the Board of Education of the Locust Valley Central School District be authorized to levy the necessary tax therefore on the taxable property only of former Union Free School District No. 4, Town of Oyster Bay, New York.

4. To elect four (4) members of the Board of Education for the following terms:

a) three (3) members of the Board of Education to three-year terms commencing July 1, 2023 and expiring on June 30, 2026.

b) one (1) member to fill the remainder of an unexpired term commencing May 16, 2023 and ending June 30, 2024.

Vacancies on the Board of Education are not considered separate, specific offices; candidates run at large. The candidates with the first, second and third highest vote tallies will be elected to the full terms commencing July 1, 2023 and expiring on June 30, 2026. The candidate with the fourth highest vote tally will serve the unexpired term commencing May 16, 2023 and ending June 30,

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget (the 2023-2024 proposed budget) and the Locust Valley Library's budget for 2023-2024, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning May 2, 2023, except Saturday, Sunday or holidays at the District Office, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, New York and at each school house in the District.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to Chapter 258 of the Laws of 2008, Section 495 was added to the Real Property Tax Law, and requires the School District to attach to its proposed budget an exemption report. Said exemption report, which will also become part of the final budget, will show how much the total assessed value on the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, list every type of exemption granted, identified by statutory authority, and show: (a) the cumulative impact of each type of exemption expressed either as a dollar amount of assessed value or as a percentage of the total assessed value on the roll; (b) the cumulative amount expected to be received from recipients of each type of exemption as payments in lieu of taxes or other payments for municipal services; and (c) the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted. The exemption report shall be posted on any bulletin board maintained by the District for public notices and on any website maintained by the District.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that petitions nominating candidates for the office of school board member must be filed with the District Clerk in the Administration Building, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, New York, not later than April 17, 2023, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Nominating petitions must be signed by at least 46 qualified voters of the District (representing the greater of 25 qualified voters or 2% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); must state the name and residence of each signer, and must state the name and residence of the candidate.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that personal registration of voters is required pursuant to Education Law. If a voter has heretofore registered and has voted at an annual or special district meeting within the last four (4) calendar years, he or she is eligible to vote at this election. In addition, anyone registered with the Nassau County Board of Elections under the provisions of the Election Law shall be entitled to vote without further registration. All other persons who wish to vote must register.

The Board of Registration will meet for the purpose of registering all qualified voters of the District pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law in each of the three election districts, on May 6, 2023, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. at the Office of the District Clerk, to add any additional names to the Register to be used at the aforesaid election, at which time any person will be entitled to have his/her name placed on such Register, provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registration he/she

is known or proven to the satisfaction of said Board of Registration to be entitled to vote at such election for which the register is prepared. Additionally, registration shall be conducted for the purpose of registering all qualified voters of the District pursuant to \$2014 of the Education Law through May 9. 2023, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on all regular days during which the office of the District Clerk is in operation. The register so prepared will be filed in the Office of the District Clerk and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District beginning on Thursday, May 11, 2023, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on weekdays, and each day prior to the day set for the election, except Sunday, and on Saturday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., and at the polling place(s) on the day of the vote.
AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter of the Locust Valley Central School District by requesting and returning a registration application to the District Clerk in person, by mail to Office of the District Clerk, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560, by email to shammerschmidt@locustvalleyschools.org or fax sent to 516 277-5098. The request for the registration application may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the registration application by either mail, fax or email. Military voter registration application forms must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 20, 2023 in order to be issued a ballot for the 2023 Budget Vote and Election.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, those military voters who are qualified voters of the Locust Valley Central School District, may request an application for a military ballot from the District Clerk in person, by mail to Office of the District Clerk, 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560, by email to shammerschmidt@locustvalleyschools.org, or fax sent to 516 277-5098. In such request, the military voter may indicate their preference for receiving the application by mail, fax or email. A military voter must return the original military ballot application by mail or in person to the Office of the District Clerk. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 20, 2023. Military ballot applications received in accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot application under Section 2018-a of the Education Law. The application for military ballot may include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax or email.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, a military voter's original military ballot must be returned by mail or in person to the office of the District Clerk at 22 Horse Hollow Road, Locust Valley, NY 11560. Military ballots shall be canvassed if they are received by the District Clerk before the close of polls on May 16, 2023 showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government: or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 16, 2023 and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the day before the

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to §2014 of the Education Law of the State of New York, the Board of Registration will meet on Tuesday, May 16, 2023, between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. at each of the three (3) separate election districts to prepare the Register of the School District to be used at the Budget Vote and Election to be held in 2023, and any special district meetings that may be held after the preparation of said Register, at which time any person may have their name placed on such Register provided they are known or prove to the satisfaction of such Board of Registration to be entitled to vote at the school election for which said Register is prepared, or any special district meeting held after May 16, 2023.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that applications for absentee ballots will be obtainable during school business hours from the District Clerk beginning April 1, 2023. A completed application may not be received by the District Clerk earlier than April 17, 2023 and such applications must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or his/her designated agent. Upon receiving a timely request for a mailed absentee ballot, the District Clerk will mail the ballot to the address set forth in the application by no later than six (6) days before the vote. Absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 16, 2023.

A list of persons to whom absentee ballots are issued will be available for inspection in the office of the District Clerk on and after Thursday, May 11, 2023, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on weekdays prior to the day set for the annual election and on May 16, 2023, the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may, upon examination of such list, file a written challenge of the qualifications as a voter of any person whose name appears on such list, stating the reasons for such challenge. Any such written challenge shall be transmitted by the District Clerk or a designee of the Board of Education to the inspectors of election on Election Day.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, or otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the District Clerk in sufficient time to permit notice of the proposition to be included with the Notice of the Public Hearing, Budget Vote and Election required by Section 2004 of the Education Law but no later than March 2, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least 115 qualified voters of the District (representing 5% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); and must legibly state the name of each signer. However, the School Board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, which is unlawful or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditure of monies is required by the proposition, or where other valid reason exists for excluding the proposition from the ballot. SCHOOL ELECTION DISTRICTS

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Election Districts have been established in the School District. The boundaries of the Election Districts, as adopted by resolution of the Board of Education, and the place in each election district for voting shall be as follows:

Bayville Election District

Bayville Intermediate School, 50 Mountain Avenue, Bayville (description of election district: former Union Free School District No. 6. Town of Ovster Bay, New York) Brookville Election District:

Community Hall of the Brookville Reformed Church, 2 Brookville Road, Brookville (description of election district: former Union Free School District No. 3, Town of Oyster Bay, New York)

Locust Valley Election District Ann MacArthur Primary School, 100 Ryefield Road, Locust Valley (description of election district: former Union Free School District No. 4, Town of Oyster Bay, New York)

Dated: March 8, 2023

By Order of the BOARD OF EDUCATION

LOCUST VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Susan Hammerschmidt, District Clerk

LYNP 80s Prom Night Fundraiser

VICTORIA CROSBY

Love Your Neighbor project, LYNP, held their third annual fundraising event, All You Need Is Love, sponsored by Branch Real Estate Group and other local businesses, on February 11 at St. Luke's' Parish and Community Hall. The party started at 7pm with

hors d'oeuvres, drinks and dancing, with music provided by DJ McLovin, at an 80's Prom Night, to benefit the All You Need is Love Scholarship, which funds



LYNP Goes Back to the 80s!



All decked out in 80's fashion.

social goodness projects envisioned by neighbors.

This was the first in-person LYNP project due to the pandemic, as prior events were virtual.

Over one hundred people attended in their 80s attire while all the iconic albums of the era were recreated. More than \$11,000 was raised, and the winner of the 50/50 raffle, Danielle Nowak, very generously donated her portion back to LYNP.

LYNP was created in 2020 by Jaime Teich as a non-political registered 501c3 grassroots nonprofit, that creates opportunities that connect community. The organization began by helping address the needs of those facing financial hardships during the pandemic.



The 80's Prom Night was a success.

Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club Welcomes Glen Cove PBA



(L-R) Honorable Colin O'Donnell, Police Officer Darren Pittman and Eric Brook, President of Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club Board of Directors.

Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club had a special visit from Police Officer Darren Pittman, who participated in a ceremonial basketball coin toss on behalf of the Glen Cove Police Benevolent Association. Officer Pittman a PBA Trustee and former athletic director for Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club was thrilled to return to the Club after many years.

Eric Brook, President of Grenville Baker Boys & Girls Club Board of Directors and Honorable Colin O'Donnell, Board of Directors were onsite to present Officer Pittman with a Certificate of Appreciation for the PBA's support of the Club's basketball pro-

"The lifeblood of any organization is the partnerships it forms within

its community. Especially with our friends in law Enforcement. Here at Grenville Baker, we are fortunate to have made those connections, and we are grateful for our friendship," said Eric Brook

For more information about Grenville Baker Boys and Girls Club visit its website www.GBBGC.org

Oyster Bay Students Present "Bye Bye Birdie"



Oyster Bay High School students performed "Bye Bye Birdie" for community members.

Oyster Bay-East Norwich students from Oyster Bay High School shined on stage from March 10-12 during their production of "Bye Bye Birdie." The production was directed and choreographed by Teriann Chiappardi and took place in the Oyster Bay Performing Arts Center at the high school.

The talented cast took audiences back in time to the late 1950s as they told the story of Kim MacAfee, played by OBHS student Brooklyn Matt, her family and her small Ohio town that gets rocked when teen idol Conrad Birdie, played by OBHS student Marco L. Vlacich, comes to town. Birdie is about to be drafted into the Army and arrives to town for a farewell television performance where he will kiss MacAfee, one of his biggest fans. The students kept audiences laugh-



Kim MacAfee, played by Brooklyn Matt (left), and Hugo Peabody, played by Ian Lubin, performed a song together

ing and fully entertained with high energy musical numbers and interesting characters.

Oyster Bay High School's own studentmusicians provided the music under the direction of Matthew Sisia and members of the school's Baymen Backstage Club, led by teacher Alexander Dollin, provided the lighting and sound design. In addition, the production's cast and crew built and painted the show's set from scratch and did a wonderful job incorporating it into the story.



Oyster Bay High School student Marco L. Vlacich (middle) played the role of Conrad Birdie.

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Scan the QR code to RSVP or call our office, 516.759.4800. If you are unable to RSVP beforehand, you can still attend the event as a walk-in!

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