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Suozzi Secures Congressional Seat

by Kevin C. Horton

From Mayor, to County Executive, to now Congressman... Glen Cove's own Thomas R. Suozzi has won the 3rd Congressional District.

Democrat Thomas Suozzi won the congressional seat in the third district beating Republican opponent Jack Martins with 51.90% of the vote on November 8.

The 3rd Congressional District encompasses the North Shore of Long Island. In his acceptance speech delivered in Jericho Suozzi immediately thanked his opponent, "for the race that he ran." He thanked retiring (Rep.) Steve Israel. "He became a National figure but he never forgot about his people at home." With a smile he then said, "There are so many people I want to thank but first off I want to thank the star of the television commercials of this campaign," to which everyone began to cheer. "My mom Marge Suozzi!"

In the television commercials, Tom's mother, who has always been a strong political supporter of Tom's, stole the show with ad-libbing including when Tom said, "I approve this message," she quietly said, "I do too."

Suozzi spoke about keeping the campaign on topic and positive based on values he was taught by his late father. He then noted the Presidential election, "Regardless of who the next President is we really need to do some soul searching, we have to really figure out what is going on in this country. We have to figure out how to bring people back together again to work together to face the problems we face."

Suozzi, an attorney and CPA, began his political career in Glen Cove, as the city Mayor commencing in 1993. He served in that capacity for four two-year-terms. Suozzi's father Joseph (who passed away last month) and uncle Vincent Suozzi (deceased), respectively, also served as Glen Cove Mayors as well as his cousin Ralph.



Tom Suozzi declares victory in election as congressman in the 3rd Congressional District surrounded by his family- his wife Helene, daughter, Caroline and sons Joseph and Michael. (photo by Eve Lupenko)

Willibe Wilson Veterans Day Honoree

The City of Glen Cove and its veteran community will join together on November 11, 2016 to remember those who have served their country in times of war and to recognize Willibe Wilson as its esteemed guest of honor. "I am pleased to announce that Willibe Wilson will be our city's 2016 honoree at our upcoming Veterans Day ceremony and service," said Mayor Reggie Spinello. "Willibe is a life-long Glen Cove resident who proudly served our nation in the United States Army and continues to serve our



Photo caption: (left to right) Glen Cove Mayor Reggie Spinello stands with U.S. Army Veteran Willibe Wilson, and Joseph Lavery, Commander of VFW James Donohue Post 347.

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CALENDAR

At The Glen Cove Senior Center

Membership at the Glen Cove Senior Center is free and open to all seniors 60 years and older who are Nassau County residents. Our ongoing weekly classes include painting, exercise with the YMCA, Tai Chi, chair yoga, brain boosters, walking club, choral group, dancercise, tap dancing, mah jong, line dancing, and many more. Stop by the Site Manager's office to register - you need to be registered to participate in any of our activities. Need a ride? Bus service is available from/to our "catchment area" upon request. The Center is open Monday to Friday, 9-5, and serves a nutritious lunch at noon. Visit us at 130 Glen Street, Glen Cove, online at www.glencoveseniorcenter.com, or call for more info (516) 759-9610.

Week of November 21st- Special Events

THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON W/JUDY, ALICE AND THE GOLDEN VOICES

Monday, November 21st @ 12:00 PM

WALKING CLUB WITH JENNY

Tuesday, November 22nd @ 9:30 AM

CHAIR YOGA W/PATTY MITCHELL, VSC

Wednesday, November 23rd @ 2:00 PM

THANKSGIVING DAY CENTER CLOSED

Thursday, November 24th

ENTERTAINMENT BY THE VAROUS SISTERS

Friday, November 25th @ 12:00 PM

A delicious, hot, healthy lunch is served every day at noon. Consider joining us before/after one of our special events.

Sea Cliff Christmas tree lighting

The Sea Cliff-Glen Head Lions Club invites you to the Sea Cliff Village Christmas Tree Lighting on Sunday, Dec 4th at 5PM. It will be at the John Burns Green, in front of the Sea Cliff library. There will be entertainment, refreshments & Santa!

Bazaar at the Church of Our Lady of Kazan

Russian food, pastries, Russian gift items, jewelry... They will all be at the annual Christmas bazaar at the Church of Our Lady of Kazan in Sea Cliff. The bazaar will take place on Saturday, December 3rd from noon to 4 p.m. in the parish hall of the Church of Our Lady of Kazan. It is located at 2 Willow Shore Avenue, off Littleworth Lane, in Sea Cliff. The bazaar information line is 516 468 1579. Come and enjoy!

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Glen Cove Celebrates Creativity and Entrepreneurship with New Holiday Market

Local Artisans, Bakers and Home-Based Businesses are invited to Participate on December 10th

To celebrate creativity, craftsmanship and home-made specialties, the City of Glen Cove and the Glen Cove Downtown Business Improvement District (B.I.D.) will host a Holiday Marketplace shopping event on December 10 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Glen Cove's City Hall, 9 Glen Street. The Holiday Marketplace will feature local artisans and entrepreneurs that sell home-made, hand-crafted items and products from home-based businesses to offer residents creative gift ideas from jewelry and home décor items to hand-crafted goods and delicious one-of-a-kind delicacies.

"In our effort to introduce new community events, we hope the Glen Cove Holiday Marketplace encourages area residents to shop local and make Downtown Glen Cove a frequent destination for great gifts, home décor and essentials, said Mayor Reggie Spinello. "We see this event as a dynamic opportunity to complement the retail and restaurant offerings of downtown Glen Cove while aligning with artisans, entrepreneurs and non-profit organizations of our City to underscore the importance of shopping small, small business that is," said Francine Koehler, Executive Director, Glen Cove Downtown B.I.D.

Space is limited and table spaces will

be allotted on a first come, first serve basis with "category" exclusives for five-home based businesses (e.g. Avon, Pampered Chef, Tupperware etc.). Four community organizations will also have the opportunity to sell beverages, candy, gifts and baked goods for the benefit of their 501C3 group. Table spaces will cost \$25 and all proceeds will be donated to the Senior Activity Generational Endowment (S.A.G.E) supporting the Glen Cove Senior Center. Upon receipt, applications will be reviewed and vendors will be contacted upon acceptance of their application. To participate, potential vendors can download an application at www.glencovedowntown.org. All completed applications should be emailed to info@glencovedowntown.org.

The Glen Cove S.A.G.E. assists the Senior Center in its mission to pursue and provide the highest quality of programs and services for the senior citizens of Glen Cove and surrounding communities. Through fundraising, grant writing, outreach and advocacy, the S.A.G.E. Foundation supports the Center allowing Citizens to continue their active participation in programs and services that focus on their well-being.

City of Glen Cove to Host November 11th Veterans Day Ceremony

Willibe Wilson Named as Glen Cove's 2016 Veterans Day Honoree

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community through his volunteerism with veteran's organizations," added Joseph Lavery, Commander of the VFW James Donohue Post 347.

Wilson joined the United States Army in 1950 and was stationed in Alabama before being deployed overseas to Germany. During his U.S. Army service, Wilson held the positions of Gun Section Chief and Artillery Commander. Upon his return to Glen Cove, Wilson became an active leader in the Long Island and Queens veteran community. He has served as the County and District Commander of Young-Simmons American Legion Post 1765, a distinguished committee member of the Glen Cove Memorial Day Parade and was recently honored during Glen Cove's 2016 Senior Recognition Day.

Glen Cove residents are invited to pay their respect to our nation's veterans on Friday, November 11th at 11:00 a.m. at the Doughboy Memorial, located on the corner of the Glen Cove Library, 4 Glen Cove Ave.

The Veteran's Day holiday began as a day to remember the individuals who died

in service to their country. Originally called Armistice Day, it was held on November 11 marking the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice that ended World War 1. In 1954, the holiday was renamed Veteran's Day to pay respect to all individuals who have served and each year it is celebrated throughout the United States on the 11th day of the 11th month at 11 a.m.

James F. Brengel American Legion Sets Veterans' Day Observance

The Sea Cliff American Legion Post 456 will hold its annual Veterans' Day ceremony at the World War I Memorial in Clifton Park at 11am on Friday, November 11.

As is usually the case, veterans will pose for a group picture in front of "The Rock." This will be followed by a brief program, including remarks by Mayor Kennedy and special guest, outgoing Congressman Steve Israel.

Lunch for veterans and guests will follow at the Sea Cliff firehouse.

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Celebrates Opening Of New Child Care Center In Roslyn



A ribbon cutting ceremony celebrated the opening of the new Trinity Episcopal Church Roslyn Childcare Center (www.trinitychild.org) on Sunday, Nov. 6th, with many members of the community turning out for the event --John Durkin, Roslyn Mayor; Wayne Wink, Town of North Hempstead Town Clerk; Margaret Peckham Clark, Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Roslyn; Craig Westergard, President of the Roslyn Landmark Society and Marie Catalano-Gruen, Director, Trinity Episcopal Church Roslyn Childcare Center.

"The Village of Roslyn has been very supportive of this project; we are always interested and committed in seeing new projects that can benefit our residents – and are delighted the Center is now open," said Roslyn Mayor, John Durkin.

This new Trinity Episcopal Church Roslyn Childcare Center, for children ages 6 weeks to 5 years old, is conveniently located at 1579 Northern Blvd., Roslyn. It is a place where your child's spirit will flourish under the guidance of kind, loving and high-qualified teachers. The new Childcare Center offers a year-round program, with hours of operation from 7:30 am-6:00 pm. For more information, please call 516-626-0293.

"As the Town Clerk and a longtime Roslyn resident, I am thrilled to see this new Childcare Center open and available to families in our community, and I was glad to assist and support in the planning for this effort," said Wayne Wink, North Hempstead Town Clerk.

"We are passionate about children and families at Trinity Roslyn, and are committed to serving our community,"

said Margaret Peckham Clark, Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, Roslyn. "This new Childcare Center is the culmination of a lot of dreaming and hard work by the parishioners at Trinity and many others including many of the officials we have here today! I cannot thank them enough."

"The Trinity Roslyn campus is both a national and state historic landmark, and it is very important that it be used and enjoyed by the community in ways that can sustain it for generations to come! This Childcare Center represents an exciting and effective way of achieving those goals," Said Craig Westergard, Roslyn Landmark Society President and Trustee, Village of Roslyn.

The Trinity Episcopal Church Roslyn Childcare Center features light and airy rooms and a highly-qualified staff. It welcomes families from all backgrounds and offers flexible and accommodating schedules, for part time and full-time childcare needs.

"We are thrilled to be open and to welcome families to our new Childcare Center," said Marie Catalano-Gruen, Trinity Roslyn Childcare Center Director.

Left to right: Tom Cammisa (Trinity Church Vestry), Marie-Gruen Catalano (Director, Trinity Episcopal Church Roslyn Childcare Center), Margaret Peckham Clark (Rector, Trinity Church, Roslyn), John Durkin (Roslyn Mayor), Wayne Wink (Town of No. Hempstead Town Clerk), Craig Westergard (President, Roslyn Landmark Society); Standing in front: sisters Annabelle and Valerie Luty

C.R.E.W. Closing Ceremony at Glenwood Landing

North Shore Schools, Glen Head, NY, November 4, 2016 - Glenwood Landing ended its month-long C.R.E.W. (Curious Readers Enthusiastic Writers) festival with an exciting school-wide assembly on October 31st. This year, the C.R.E.W. committee stated that the theme was "Laugh into Literacy" inspired by guest author/poet Darren Sardelli. Students will be encouraged all month to read books about fiction, poetry, non-fiction, biographies, and science fiction, just to name a few and write about them!

While students read and write all year long, the month of C.R.E.W. reinforces these skills by continuing to focus on genres including poetry, fairytales, non-fiction, personal narratives, biographies, memoirs and picture books. Additionally, this is a special time where students participated in a number of activities (some new and some traditional) including Buddy Reading & Writing, Guest Read-Ins, Word of the Day, a visit by guest author/poet Darren Sardelli, and a C.R.E.W. button contest won by Mikayla McBride. Additionally, many library activities took place throughout the month and students were challenged to read more books than the year before. To culminate the C.R.E.W festival, the closing ceremony was held on October 31st where students performed on stage to an enthusiastic audience. Fifth graders

led the ceremony and CREW performance titled, Humorous Poetry in Many Voices including: The Teacher Show, I Call First, Get Out of Bed, and Homework, Oh Homework. Congratulations to all of the fifth graders for working so hard during recess to not only learn their lines but perform so beautifully! The Chamber Choir performed the first two songs and then the Kindergarteners stood up in yellow and sang the ABC Song. The ceremony concluded with an original dance interpretation choreographed under the direction of Mrs. Goodstone called "Laughter Is..."

In addition, the students sang the CREW Song and The Family Tree Song led by the fifth graders.

Many thanks go out to all of the teachers and staff, the entire C.R.E.W committee, Principal Finder, Ms. LiJu Chueng on piano, and the Glenwood Landing School-Community Association (SCA) who were all instrumental in the success of this month-long event.

Photo Caption: Article and photos by Shelly Newman Pictured are students at Glenwood Landing participating in the closing ceremony of C.R.E.W. (Curious Readers Enthusiastic Writers) festival. This year, the CREW committee stated that the theme was "Laugh into Literacy."



Glen Head School Harvest Festival with Special Guests from Nature Nick's Animal Adventures

Students and faculty at Glen Head welcomed fall with their annual Harvest Festival on October 31st, with a special guest appearance by Nature Nick's Animal Adventures!

This year, Nature Nick, who also is certified teacher with two degrees in Childhood Education in New York, entertained students with his exotic animals including an albino kangaroo only six months old, a large bird of prey (owl), a turtle, snake, large eared fox, and a monkey! Nature Nick told the students how he has approximately 30 animals at his home on Eastern Long Island that he shares with his wife. As the students watched with excitement, Nature Nick told humorous stories and educated those in the audience about his different animals and the adventures they have shared together.

But that's not all! Students and parents in all of the classrooms participated in many harvest crafts and activities. Around Glen Head, you could see second graders divided into four harvest stations where children were weighing apples in grams on scales and measuring the circumference with tape measures. Many of these apples will be dehydrated and utilized during Grand Apple Day! Other students were making dream catchers with the help of parent volunteers. In addition, many students were also at

stations concentrating on their Harvest Literacy and Math packets that included fun puzzles, word searches, and color by numbers all related to this special day!

Many thanks to the GH PTO and teachers, for organizing such a wonderful event to coincide with the Harvest Festival for all of the students to enjoy. For more information on Nature Nick, please visit his website at www.NatureNick.com.



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North Shore Key Club Annual Car Wash Makes a Splash for Charity

The annual car wash sponsored by the North Shore Key Club recently took place at North Shore High School. It was a gorgeous Fall day when the entire Club turned out for this fun event washing cars and splashing up a storm! All of the

proceeds collected will be donated to charity.

At the event, the Key Club men and the bucket brigade in motion used their muscles to wash many cars while the other members had fun cleaning

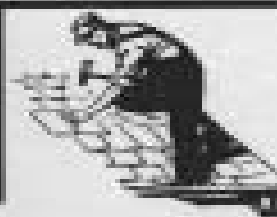
windows and tires. All of the cars left much cleaner than when they arrived at the high school and all of the drivers were impressed by the hard work of all of the Key Club members. North Shore Kiwanian Tom Destio with his "furry

side kick" also came to support the Key Club at this event!!

Article written with guidance from Julia Salat. Photos by Julia Salat



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34 Members Inducted into First Annual North Shore High School National Art Honor Society

On Thursday, October 13th, 2016, we celebrated the induction of 34 members into North Shore High School's First Ever National Art Honor Society.

The National Art Honor Society was started in 1978 by the National Art Education Association. Its purpose is to recognize students who demonstrate outstanding ability and interest in the visual arts. Members are committed to making the visual arts more visible in their school and community.

Art Teacher, Elissa Theiss said, "The students who were inducted into the National Art Honor Society have demonstrated their commitment and dedication to the arts through the completion of Studio Art as well as one upper level art class with a grade of 90 or above. They are currently enrolled in at least one additional art class."

She added, "This incredible group of students exhibit a desire to develop and challenge themselves through creating and learning about the visual arts. They will help bring their passion and commitment to the visual arts outside of the high school by becoming involved in arts-related service projects throughout the district and in the local community. We are so excited to see what these students are able to create when they combine all of their artistic energy and vision together!"

Guest Speaker, Kathleen DiResta, a resident and business owner in Sea Cliff, inspired the students with her words and her art. Kathleen is not only an incredible artist, she is also a powerful voice within the local art community. She understands the amazing things that can happen when you bring a community of artists together. Kathleen is also chair of the Sea

Cliff Arts Council which organizes art exhibits and musical showcases around Sea Cliff, in effort to keep the arts alive and active in the community.

The NSHS National Art Honor Society Members include Mia Alonso, Lauren Basile, Danielle Bleiweiss, Ashley Burns, Julie Colon, Olivia

DerGarabedian, Diana Espinoza, Melisa Gutierrez, Emma Hert, Caitlin Hurley, Alexandra Johanson, Riley Keenan, Julia Lanotte, Kelly Lavin, Clare Lewis, Ashley McNeur, Dorian Munaco, Margaret Murphy, Emma Naddell, Sabrina Nelson, Meaghan Papiro, Mia Papiro, Matthew Robertson, Nicoletta

Royal, Brittany Seipp, Georgia Solomos, Stavroula Solomos, Carly Spallone, Emily Sturges, Aleesa Tasayco, Elma Thorarinsson, Megan Tornatore, Alexia Troia and Erica Zeppieri.

Article provided by art teacher Elissa Theiss and photo provided by art teacher Lynn Johnson



Connolly walk raises awareness

Members of Connolly School's student council organized the school's seventh annual Breast Cancer Awareness Walk-a-Thon on Oct. 14.

Dressed in pink for the event, students and faculty walked around the school building perimeter with colorful banners and signs they created to raise awareness.

In all, the students collected \$835 through pledges. The funds will be donated to Glen Cove C.A.R.E.S, a not-for-profit agency that provides assistance to residents of Glen Cove and neighboring communities coping with the crisis of cancer.

Connolly students are pictured with student council advisors Monique Vaccaro, Susan Stanco and Principal Rosemarie Sekelsky.



The K Family Unites With the Kiwanis Kids & key Club Joining Hands

The North Shore key Club has joined hands with the Kiwanis Kids Club (K-Kids) who are sponsored by the North Shore Kiwanis Club to form the K Family. Pictured is the North Shore Key Club & The K Kids at the weekly meeting held at the Sea Cliff Elementary School. To Note: The organization is Operation Christmas Child and the project is to create and send shoe boxes full of fun items to orphanages world-wide. A special thank you to the K Kids advisor, Mark Mihopulo, for his outstanding leadership for the K Kids.



North Shore Middle School Has Spirit!

North Shore Schools, Glen Head, NY, November 4, 2016 - During the week of October 24th, the entire student body at North Shore Middle School demonstrated their school spirit by wearing crazy hats, favorite sports team apparel, and even pajamas!

Spirit Week culminated on Friday, October 28, when the middle schoolers gathered in the gym wearing their Viking colors of maroon and white for the annual NS Middle School Pep Rally. Dr. Ferris led his students with cheers including "When I say North Shore, You Say Vikings!" and even came out later in the event on roller skates "high-fiving" his enthusiastic students!

Each of the grades made banners and performed as a team to the cheers of their peers in the bleachers. The

teams this school year included Double Trouble, Cranium Crushers, The Blazing Barbarians, and We The A Team. Plus, a new Viking mascot was crowned! It was clear that everyone in the Middle School gymnasium had an awesome time as they displayed school spirit, great enthusiasm, and overall unity in preparation for Homecoming festivities held on Saturday, October 29th. Go Vikings!

Photo Caption: Article and photos by Shelly Newman

North Shore Middle School students, faculty and staff demonstrated their school spirit wearing their Viking colors of maroon and white for the annual NS Middle School Pep Rally!



SAFE Glen Cove Coalition: The Community has Spoken

The SAFE Glen Cove Coalition held their Sustainability Planning meeting on October 17th to discuss the results of their recently designed survey to poll the community regarding the need for reinstatement of alcohol and mental health services, especially for youth ages 5 to 17. This data, combined with data from Coalition sectors the Glen Cove School District, Glen Cove EMS, Glen Cove Police Department, Glen Cove ER and SAFE outreach and clinical services, will provide the foundation for grant writing and other funding opportunities.

The data collected was a statistically significant representative sample for the Coalition to proceed with pursuing a Youth and Family Counseling Center. Overall, the data indicated 49.86% of responses were youth between ages of 14-18. The rest of the data was obtained from ages 19- 65 and over. This is a salient point when applying for funding for a Youth and Family Counseling Center to serve youth between 5 and 17. Alcohol, Depression and Anxiety are the top 3 areas of concern followed by marijuana, tobacco and prescription drugs. Responses indicate that 62.18% want youth services, 53.22% counseling, 53.72% treatment and 49.43% want prevention services. 85.91 % responded yes for the need of a Youth and Family Counseling Center.

Next steps for the SAFE Glen Cove

Coalition are to collate all community data and discuss a strategic plan for the implementation of the Center.

The mission of the Coalition is to eliminate alcohol and substance abuse in Glen Cove. The Coalition is overseen by SAFE's Board of Directors and Co-Chaired by Health Teacher Tony Gallo and SAFE Executive Director, Dr. Sharon Harris and led by SAFE Board Chair and Strategic Planner, Georgie Connett.

The Coalition is aware of the community's needs through its ongoing collaborative efforts. It is composed of twelve sectors of the community which are: youth, youth serving organizations, parents, business community, media, school, law enforcement, faith based organizations, civic and volunteer groups, healthcare professionals, state, county and local governmental agencies and other organizations with expertise in

substance abuse.

To take the Survey and for more information about SAFE, Inc. and the SAFE Glen Cove Coalition visit the website at <http://www.safeglencove.org> or our Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/safeglencovecoalition> or call 516-676-2008.



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Glen Cove teachers present at education summit

Glen Cove City School District STEAM (science, technology, engineering, the arts and mathematics) teacher Jessica McKenna and elementary teacher Giselle Taylor presented at the 2016 Long Island Technology and Education Summit at the Huntington Hilton.

The pair showcased their use of technology in the classroom, with their presentation "The Primary Digital Playground."

The project focused on an idea featured in Forbes magazine, which suggested that by the time Generation Z entered the workplace, digital technology would be an aspect of almost all career paths. It's not about preparation at this point, as the majority of students use technology in their own homes.

McKenna and Taylor said the goal of educators is to be able to weave education and technology together responsibly to help motivate and share

in a global village. "Little hands can learn how to navigate their way through various educational applications, display their work online and listen to interactive read-alouds easily," they noted.

The pair continue to learn ways to integrate technology into the K-2 classrooms using iPads and will focus on the use of Seesaw as an online student portfolio, how to use QR codes and PebbleGo as an online research database as well as other K-2 friendly applications.

Photo Caption: Glen Cove elementary teacher Giselle Taylor (left) and STEAM teacher Jessica McKenna presented at the 2016 Long Island Technology and Education Summit. Photo courtesy of the Glen Cove City School District



North Shore/ Glen Cove Heroin Ring Busted

Through an extensive investigation, the Glen Cove Police Department along with the DEA, made an arrest of three individuals charging them of dealing heroin in Glen Cove, the North Shore area as well as Queens. The three were arrested on October 25 in Glen Cove. The three men arrested are all from Queens NY and are identified as, Jairo Bisono, age 28, Brian Chattoo, age 28, and Jeffrey Ventura age 29.

According to Det. Lt. John Nagle, The investigation was initiated over the summer when Glen Cove detectives became aware of certain individuals who were selling heroin in Queens, Glen Cove and the North Shore area. The Glen Cove Police, in conjunction with the DEA and the Nassau County's District Attorney's Office, collaborated on the investigation which cumulated with the arrest of the three defendants in Glen Cove during a car stop. During the car stop, Police recovered 544 glassine bags of heroin as well as 18 zip lock bags of crack cocaine from a hidden

compartment inside the 2004 Nissan the defendants were operating. During the course of the investigation police recovered an additional 230 bags of heroin that the defendants have sold in the North Shore area. The defendants were charged with multiple felony charges including Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance 2nd degree, multiple counts of Criminal sale of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree, Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 3rd degree. The defendants were also charged with Conspiracy in the 2nd degree, and Conspiracy in the 4th degree. The three men will be arraigned in First District Court in Hempstead.

"Heroin dealers sell poison that is devastating our communities," said a spokesperson for the DA, "We stand united with the Glen Cove Police and the DEA in our commitment to track down, arrest, and aggressively prosecute anyone who traffics heroin on Long Island."

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The Ks Join Forces And Make A Difference

The North Shore Key Club is busy this new year of service with many projects. For the 2016-2017 Major Emphasis Program Project (MEP) they have selected Operation Christmas Child. The Key Club has joined forces with the Builders Club to fill shoe boxes with fun items that will be sent to orphanages world-wide. Pictured are both clubs creating and decorating spinning tops to be put into the boxes. The clubs are both sponsored by the North Shore Kiwanis Club.



American Legion Held Annual Holiday Fundraiser

The Glen Head American Legion Post 336 held their annual Pre-Holiday Cocktail Party on October 14. While all of the attendees enjoyed great dancing, music, food and drinks, the purpose of the event is to raise money for Post 336's Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday food basket drive.

Each year, the monies collected are used to buy food and other supplies to assemble food baskets for families in need in the North Shore community. "What a wonderful event for such an important cause," Nassau County Legislator Delia DeRiggi-Whitton said. "The local restaurants that donate food, The Blue Collar Band that performs and all of the people who organize the party and make donations for food baskets make this such a terrific event!"

If you are interested in donating towards food baskets for the needy or helping otherwise, please contact Ken Kraft at 516-429-6174.

American Legion member and food drive organizer Ken Kraft with Delia and her daughter Arianna Mae Whitton and mom Mildred DeRiggi. Photo by Tony Gallego, Gill Associates Photography



Glen Cove Volunteer Fire Department Open House Draws Families and Promotes Fire Safety

The Glen Cove Volunteer Fire Department (GCVFD) and Emergency Medical Service (EMS) teams hosted an October Open House that drew crowds of local families to the GCVFD Headquarters for a day of awareness, activities and education. Children and their parents enjoyed rides on a fire truck, tried on fire gear and learned important lessons as volunteers performed an automobile accident active response demonstration. Visitors received free gift bags, refreshments and important safety information about fire prevention and safety. "It's great to see families come out and show their support for all of our emergency services units," said Mayor Spinello. "Our volunteer fire and EMS team members selflessly give their time for the safety and welfare of our community. Events like this bring our community together and showcase the best of what we have to offer."



Glen Cove Volunteer Firemen and Mayor Spinello greet a future volunteer as he tries on an official department helmet. (left) Glen Cove Volunteer Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services teams demonstrate an automobile accident active response for residents at their October Open House.



Letters to the Editor

Saying Thank You To Our North Shore Board of Education Trustees

To The Editor,

The New York State School Boards Association recognizes October 24-28 as School Board Recognition Week. This is a time to promote awareness and understanding of the important work performed by school board members. The North Shore School District is joining all public school districts across the state to celebrate and honor its board members for their commitment to our community and its children.

It takes strong schools to build a strong community and with their commitment to public education, School Board members take on one of the most important citizen responsibilities: overseeing the education of the community's youth while giving the community a voice in educational decision making. Serving on a local school board is no easy task, particularly in today's climate of rapid change and financial uncertainties. They make the tough decisions every month and spend many hours studying education issues and regulations in order to provide the kind of accountability their citizens expect, on a volunteer basis without a stipend.

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Our children and community benefit every day from the hard work and long

hours contributed by our trustees. We invite you to take a moment to tell school board members "Thank you, for all you do." Please join the North Shore Coordinating Council of Parent Organizations in honoring our Board of Education trustees on Thursday, November 3rd in the Glen Head Elementary School Cafeteria (7 School Street, Glen Head) at 7:30 pm. We will have a brief ceremony and feature a choral performance by the North Shore High School Madrigals, under the direction of Mr. Jared Berry. Light refreshments will be served.

*With Appreciation,
The North Shore Coordinating
Council of Parent Organizations*

A Good Neighbor is Moving: Citibank is Closing Its Sea Cliff Branch

To The Editor,

Like many of the residents of Sea Cliff, my husband and I are heartbroken that Citibank is closing its Sea Cliff branch. The Sea Cliff Citibank branch is a very special place. In this day and age, when so many of us feel overlooked and dismissed by banks, the Sea Cliff Citibank Branch is different. It is a bank where you can get kindly assistance with financial issues and even get a free Saturday bagel, coffee and dog biscuits.

The bank is so very special because of its manager, Carol Ropke, and her wonderful staff. Carol, the manager of the bank is smart, kind, and friendly. Carol Ropke spends hours helping bank customers with financial services. Plus, I have seen Carol offer to drive elderly or infirm customers to their homes when they appear to be having physical difficulty. She is ever ready to assist non-profit groups keep their accounts in proper order. She has nourished local new business by allowing them to post flyers on the bank's community board. The staff of the Sea Cliff branch reflect Carol's caring way of helping people. Like her they are extremely thoughtful, helpful and effective. The Sea Cliff branch staff include personal bankers, Lenny Vicciardo, Myra D'Agosto, and tellers Elsie Holzkamp, Jonathan Liddle and Leticia Recinos. The Sea Cliff branch of Citibank will be sorely missed when it closes in January 2017.

Carol Poll Basse

Glen Cove EMS Shifts to LED Lighting To Save Energy and Costs Effort is Part of PSEG's Commercial Efficiency Program

The Glen Cove Emergency Medical Service (EMS) in support of PSEG's Commercial Efficiency Program has recently installed 46 new LED fixtures at the EMS headquarters. Compared with traditional fluorescent lighting, this installation can save up to 45% in energy costs for the city.

In conjunction with the PSEG program, the city will be reimbursed 60% for the cost of materials used for the LED lighting transition which included new fixtures and supplies. "Energy conservation initiatives like our EMS

lighting project are vitally important to our City," said Mayor Reggie Spinello. "This effort complements our switch to LED lighting in our parking garages and entry into solar energy with roof top installations planned for the Glen Cove Senior Center and the Glen Cove Volunteer Fire Department. We will continue to pinpoint additional city facilities for future LED lighting opportunities as this program provides the city with substantial incentives that support my commitment to improve our environmental footprint."

Mayor Spinello Refreshes Glen Cove City Parks With Restoration and New Activities

The City of Glen Cove is home to acres upon acres of beautiful parks, beaches and a public Golf Course. In an effort to continue to upgrade and improve local park facilities and extend the recreational activities offered at each location, Mayor Reggie Spinello and Darcy Belyea, Director of Glen Cove Parks & Recreation are undertaking a "Refresh Our Parks" initiative to enhance the facilities and recreational offerings at the City's parks. "We are fortunate to have such an outstanding array of recreational facilities for our residents," said Mayor Spinello. "As time goes by, play areas get weathered and we need to restore, revitalize and renovate our facilities to bring refreshing changes for residents of all ages to enjoy."

At the popular Stanco Park located by the Glen Cove golf course, new fencing, nets and a surface are being installed at the tennis courts, the park's playground surface repairs were made to well-worn areas and plans are in motion to build a Pickle Ball court and two bocce ball courts. In addition, the handball and basketball courts will receive new fencing and there will be new backboards, rims and nets for our hoopsters. The costs of these renovations are approximately \$125,000 and that investment was part of the Parks & Recreation Department's 2016 capital improvement plan.

Complementing the work at Stanco Park, the City and community groups have also made a concerted effort to enhance the landscaping and activities at Big Ralph Park off Kelly Street, Dennis Brian Murray Park on Leech Circle South and Pryibil Beach, off East Beach Road.

Dog lovers rejoiced with the news that Mayor Spinello had announced plans to open a new Dog Park at Dennis Brian Murray Park in the coming weeks. The

Dog Park will feature a gated leash-off entry area with a 150' x 100' fenced in open space for large dogs and a separate 100' x 50' area for small dogs. Also, a new water fountain will be installed and the park's children's playground will be fenced in. The park is also home to Glen Cove's Christmas Tree Farm where trees grown at the farm will be used for future City Christmas Tree celebrations in downtown Glen Cove.

At Big Ralph Park, residents enjoy participating in the Glen Cove Community Garden and the Youth Bureau Community Garden and the park recently underwent further restoration with improvements to the park's gardenscapes and a volunteer cleanup sponsored by Avalon Bay Community staff members

Acrosstown at Pryibil Beach, Northwell Health's Glen Cove Hospital recently donated a new \$45,000 playground to the beach's park facilities. Featuring climbing walls, slides and jungle gym activities, this new children's activity expands the beach's offerings which also include a fishing pier, basketball court and swing set. The new playground is also handicap accessible.

For Morgan Memorial Park, a two phased renovation will focus on restoring the park's lower restrooms (e.g., interior and exterior.) while ensuring the work meets the facility's architectural standards to maintain the integrity of the building.

"The 'Refresh Our Parks' program will be an ongoing effort as each year we will pinpoint opportunities to restore and update our facilities to meet the needs of the Glen Cove community," said Darcy Belyea. "We welcome new ideas and suggestions from our residents as our parks strengthen our City's quality of life and enjoyment."

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Great Book Guru

- Ann DiPietro

Dear Great Book Guru,

I will be headed to Martha's Vineyard for the Veterans' Day weekend, and while all my friends know how I hate leaving Sea Cliff, I'm sure we will have a lovely time. To assure this, I need a good book to take along. Any suggestions? Weekend Away Reader

Dear Weekend Away Reader,

My book group just read a very interesting, thought-provoking book: *HOT MILK* by Deborah Levy. Sofia is a British graduate student who has spent many years caring for her mother Rose. Rose's illnesses may be real or feigned so when she suggests they visit a small coastal village where a strange but charismatic physician Doctor Gomez operates a private clinic. Sofia quickly agrees to go along. Soon after arriving, she finds adventure, a bevy of friends

and lovers, and a radically different life style- while ultimately gaining new insights into her relationship with Rose. A weekend visit to Athens to see her father and his new family further helps her understand their mother and daughter dynamic. Throughout this short (210 pages) the Greek mythological characters Medusa and Medea appear adding a note of danger and horror. The title "Hot Milk" refers to the passionate, nurturing, and tortured connection that binds this particular mother and child. Recommended!



Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club October Youth of the Month

Calogero Bianco and Doris Rivas were named Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Month for October. Youth of the Month Program recognizes members for their participation in programs and dedication to the Club.

Calogero, 10, is a fifth grader at Connolly Middle School. He is an avid football player who hopes to play in the sport professionally when he grows up. His favorite subjects are math and science and he would like to attend Stony Brook University but sports are his real passion. New to the Boys & Girls Club, Calogero joined the Club in August and so far his experience has surpassed any expectations he may have had. "This place is so awesome who wouldn't want to come here," said Calogero. "I come here every day and have already made a lot of friends. More people should know about the Club," he added.

Doris, 14, is in the ninth grade at Glen Cove High School. Also a new member, Doris is already finding the Club to be very helpful with her English language skills. She is overcoming her shyness and has made many new friends during her two month tenure. Doris' peers are assisting her with her language challenges and providing much needed support.



"People here are very nice," said Doris. She enjoys the sciences and would like to become a doctor when she grows up. "I want to become a doctor because I want to help others," said Doris, who also likes to dance and draw.

All members can benefit from participation in this program, which promotes and celebrates service to Club, community and family; academic performance; moral character; life goals; and poise. Each month members are recognized within each program area as a Youth of the Month nominee. This Year-round program fosters young people's character, personal growth and leadership qualities. Overall nominees are invited to attend our Annual Youth of the Month Banquet held in June.

Congratulations to Calogero and Doris, GCBGC October Youth of the Month.

Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club Lights on After School



Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club held their annual their Annual Lights on After School Open House on Thursday, October 20th to celebrate the Club's afterschool programs and the important role it plays in the lives of children and families in the Glen Cove community. Retired Sergeant Jack McDougal, selected to win a 2016 Maytag Dependable Leadership Award on behalf of the Club, was also honored at the event.

A native of Glen Cove, Sargent McDougal made it his own personal mission to serve the young people of his community. Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club became one of his favorite centers which soon led to a leadership role as a board member of the organization. That was 15 years ago and through the years, Sergeant McDougal has become one of our most ardent mentors and dedicated role models, actively engaging in changing the lives of Club youth. Sergeant McDougal has run many anti-bullying programs, determined to making anti-bullying impact on Club members with a series of open and honest dialogue and discussions on the negative effects of being a bully and how not to be a victim of a bully. Most recently Jack worked closely with fellow board member Carla Hall D'Ambra to facilitate a "Snacks with Officer Jack" program which strives to help build trust with law enforcement while encouraging youth to maintain positive outlook and engagement with police. The program also addresses important issues relevant to today's youth culture including bullying, empathy, compassion, sportsmanship, Club and community pride, current events, and what it means to be a police officer.

"The Maytag Dependable Leader Award allows Maytag brand to give back to Boys & Girls Club professionals and volunteers across the country who give tirelessly to their local communities," said Laura Somers, brand manager, Maytag. "It is our honor to recognize Jack McDougal for his exemplary efforts and support at Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club."

Evening activities at the Club consisted of raffles prizes, refreshments, family fun cooking hosted by LIU Post-Cooking Up Energy Nutrition Students, creative movement dance lessons instructed by the NYIT Pacemakers, Teen Leadership Tours, hands on STEM projects, and interactive relay races facilitated by teen Club members, professionals and volunteers from local colleges and universities. Special thank you to our local business and community supporters; Vito's Pizzeria, LI Bagel Café, Starbucks of Glen Cove & Sea Cliff, Forest Pizza, Delicious Pizzeria, Panera Bread of Glen Cove, Asian Fusion, Moe's Southwest Grill, Broom Nails & Spa, and Downtown Café.

Lights on Afterschool was well attended by many parents and community leaders with several local organizations and booth displays including Glen Cove Hospital Northwell Health offering free flu shots, Glen Cove Public Library, NYIT College of Osteopathic Medicine, Bethpage Federal Credit Union, New York Life, Long Island Volunteer Community Center and United Healthcare.



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Obituaries

Martha O'Rourke

O'Rourke, Martha of Glen Cove. Beloved wife of the late Robert. Devoted mother of Michael (Dorothy), James (Kathleen), Thomas (Lisa), Patricia (Timmy), Elizabeth (Peter) and the late Robert Jr. (Kathy). Also survived by loving grandchildren and great grandchildren. McLaughlin Kramer Megiel Funeral Home, 220 Glen Street, Glen Cove. Donations in Martha's name may be made to Hospice Care Network, Woodbury, N.Y. 11797.

Heather Bonar

BONAR, Heather of Sea Cliff, NY on October 30th, 2016 age 61. Daughter of the late Robert Bonar, former Minister of St. Luke's Episcopal Church of Sea Cliff and the late Althea nee Eley. Mother of Alyia and Ammad Sarwar. Sister of Roberta Shade, Charles Douglas and her twin, Gordon. Arrangements handled by Dodge-Thomas.

Biagio Gallo

GALLO, Biagio "Ralph" of Glen Cove, NY on November 1th, 2016 age 80. Beloved husband of Leda. Loving father of Sandro, Tina and the late Laura Donna and Agostino. He was survived by 6 brothers and 1 sister. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Visitation held at Dodge-Thomas. Mass held at Church of St. Rocco. Entombment Holy Rood Cemetery. Donations may be made to the Lymphoma Society.

Hilda Sobelman

SOBELMAN, Hilda M. of Glen Cove, NY and Key West, FL on October 26, 2016 age 84. Beloved wife of Walter. Loving mother of Ret (Sophia) and Bryn (Stephen). Dear sister of Bill and Irene. Proud grandmother of Kaitlin and Justin. Also survived by her devoted dog Hope, who was like her third grandchild. Hilda was a passionate shopper of Marshall's and TJ Maxx. She loved to make projects with stained glass and enjoyed knitting. Hilda was happily married to Walter for 57 years, and they enjoyed traveling the world. She was a devoted mother and grandmother who loved her family deeply. Arrangements entrusted to Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen Cove. Interment at Beth Moses Cemetery. www.DodgeThomas.com

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William Eisemann

EISEMANN, William J. of Leesburg, VA and formerly of Glen Head, NY on October 24, 2016 age 71. Proud U.S. Navy Veteran and retired Police Officer of NYC Police Dept. Father of William Jr. and the late James. Service with military honors and interment at Locust Valley Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen Cove. www.DodgeThomas.com

Yolanda Tincopa

TINCOPA, Yolanda of Glen Cove, NY on October 30, 2016 age 94. Beloved mother of Berta St. John (Michael), Fredy and Percy. Loving grandmother of Javier, Hugo and Leslie. Member of Glen Cove Senior Citizens Club. Visiting at Dodge-Thomas Funeral Home of Glen Cove. Mass held at St. Patrick RC Church. Interment St. Charles Cemetery. www.DodgeThomas.com

Rafael Arevalo

AREVALO, Rafael of Glen Cove, NY on October 18th, 2016 age 66. Beloved husband of Maria. Loving father of Isabel Arevalo-Cruz (Jose), Jose, Rafael and Cristian. Proud grandfather of Jacqueline and Lucas. Visitation held at Dodge-Thomas. Mass held at St. Patricks Church. Interment Private.

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North Shore Key Club Walks For The Cure

The annual cancer walk took place at Jones beach on Sunday October 16th. The Key Clubbers have participated in this event for more than 20 years. This year the North Shore Key Club Team was adorned with Healing Headbands wearing them in support for all people afflicted with the disease of cancer. These headbands were made at a recent key Club meeting that took place before the event. With the help from the founders of the Healing Headbands Program, Joannie Accolla and Barbara Grapstein, who made that all possible. Pictured is the Key Club Team having fun while making a difference!!





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Dated: November 7, 2016
THOMAS J. SCOTT,
Chairman
CITY OF GLEN COVE PLANNING BOARD

PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION TO BIDDERS
BID NO. 2016-013
CATERING OF HOT MEALS FOR
GLEN COVE SENIOR CENTER

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that sealed bids will be received by the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 9 Glen Street, Purchasing Department, Glen Cove, New York 11542 until 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, December 1, 2016 at which time they will be opened publicly, read aloud, and awarded as soon thereafter as practical.

Specifications and bid sheet may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 9 Glen Street, Glen Cove, N.Y. beginning Friday, November 18, 2016.

Each bid must be made on the proposal form prepared for this work and in the manner designated therein and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the Purchasing Agent of the City of Glen Cove and marked on the outside with the name and address of the bidder, and the words "Bid No. 2016-013 – Catering of Hot Meals for Glen Cove Senior Center".

The successful bidder must comply with all State and Federal Statutes relating to labor and worker's compensation.

The City reserves the right to require insurance protections, to

reject any and all bids received, to waive any informality in bids received and to accept the bid which in its judgment best serves the interests of the City.

Nancy Andreiev
Purchasing Agent
City of Glen Cove

Dated November 17, 2016

NOTICE OF SALE
SUPREME COURT: NASSAU COUNTY

DITECH FINANCIAL LLC F/K/A GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC; Plaintiff(s) vs. MANUEL N. ORTIZ ARROYO A/K/A MANUEL ORTIZ; ISIDRA ORTIZ; et al; Defendant(s)

Attorney (s) for Plaintiff (s): ROSICKI, ROSICKI & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 2 Summit Court, Suite 301, Fishkill, New York, 12524, 845.897.1600

Pursuant to judgment of foreclosure and sale granted herein on or about September 9, 2016, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder at the Calendar Control Part (CCP) Courtroom of the Supreme Court, 100 Supreme Court Drive, Mineola, NY 11501. On December 13, 2016 at 11:30 am.

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As more particularly described in the judgment of foreclosure and sale.

Sold subject to all of the terms and conditions contained in said judgment and terms of sale.

Approximate amount of judgment \$395,038.37 plus interest and costs.

INDEX NO. 6154/09
Karen C. Grant, Esq., Referee

CITY OF GLEN COVE PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a PUBLIC HARING will be held by the Glen Cove Planning Board on Tuesday, November 15, 2016 at 7:30 p.m., at the Council Chambers, City Hall, 9 Glen Street, Glen Cove, N.Y., when all interested persons will be given an opportunity to express their views on the following application:
PILLAR VALI-

Congressman Tom Suozzi

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As mayor, Suozzi focused on environmental cleanup of commercial and industrial sites in Glen Cove. A focal point of his administration was redeveloping brownfield and superfund sites. In 1994, the Glen Cove incinerator was permanently closed and dismantled. In 1998, the city demolished and redeveloped the defunct Li Tungsten Refinery grounds, a federal superfund site. For his environmental efforts Suozzi was recognized by then-Vice President Al Gore for the city's environmental cleanup efforts and Glen Cove was awarded the Brownfield's Award in 1998.

County Executive

In 2001 Suozzi was elected Nassau County Executive becoming the first Democrat elected to the position in traditionally Republican Nassau in 30 years. As a reformer and someone eager to take on the tough battles, in 2004 Suozzi created FixAlbany.com in order to expose and root out corruption in New York state politics and get a cap on local Medicaid expenses. In 2007, he was appointed to lead a state commission that proposed the first property tax cap, which has now become law. In 2008, the New York State League of Conservation Voters (NYLCV) named him "Environmentalism of the Year."

Suozzi has worked as a senior advisor to investment banking firm Lazard and is currently of counsel at Harris Beach law firm. Prior to his time in elected office Suozzi worked as a litigator for Shearman & Sterling, law clerk to the Chief Judge of the Eastern District, and an auditor for Arthur Andersen & Co. He resides in Glen Cove with his wife Helene and three children.

Charles D. Lavine (DEM) was re-elected to the Assembly in the 13th election district. Charles E. Schumer (DEM) was re-elected US Senator. James F. Gaughran (DEM) defeated long time (20 years) incumbent Carl L. Marcellino (REP) for the 5th District Senate Seat with 48.51% of the vote.

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Annual Halloween Parades at Sea Cliff and Glenwood Landing Schools

Sea Cliff and Glenwood Landing elementary students, faculty, administration, and staff all dressed in unique, spooky, and popular costumes on Monday, October 31st, and happily participated in their annual Halloween parades outside of their respective schools. In Sea Cliff the streets surrounding the elementary school were closed off as excited parents, family members and residents watched and waved as the photogenic students in the Halloween parade passed by!

At Glenwood Landing School, many parents and family members gathered on the field to watch each class of students come out all dressed in their fantastic Halloween costumes. It was a frightful but memorable day at both North Shore Elementary Schools! Happy Halloween to all!!!



Photo Caption: Article and photos by Shelly Newman Everyone had a ghoulish time dressed in elaborate Halloween costumes at both the Sea Cliff and Glenwood Landing Schools as children and faculty participated in the annual Halloween parades!

