



Good Day Lynbrook with Senior Councilman Anthony J. Santino



On May 30th, Councilman Anthony J. Santino was gracious enough to sit down again with Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick for another television taping of "Good Day Lynbrook." Councilman Santino was very proud to discuss his record of reducing town taxes and downsizing the town workforce 20 percent during his tenure on the Town Board. Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick said, "His accomplishments are vast and I encourage all our Lynbrook residents to watch this very informative interview with Lynbrook's adopted son, Councilman Santino. Tony has always been a great friend to Lynbrook, and we all thank him for his tireless efforts and exceptional services that he helps to provide for all our residents, families, and seniors."

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Mayor and Board Welcome Village's New Trustee, AnnMarie Reardon



At the June 1st Lynbrook Board meeting, the Board of Trustees welcomed the Village's newest Trustee, AnnMarie Reardon. AnnMarie has lived in the Village for over a decade with her husband Keith and their four children. AnnMarie Reardon, a graduate of Kellenburg Memorial High School, received her Bachelor and Master's Degrees from Adelphi University. Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick said, "AnnMarie was his first choice to replace former Trustee Thomas Atkinson." I am excited that AnnMarie will be the second woman in the history of Lynbrook to serve the residents, and I am confident she will do an exceptional job."

Trustee Reardon said, "being a Trustee is an enormous opportunity to give back and serve a community that I hold so dear to my heart." Trustee Reardon added, "I am looking forward to working closely with Mayor Hendrick and the entire Board of Trustees to continue the revitalization and the tradition of excellence in government that Lynbrook residents have come to expect and deserve." AnnMarie said her dream for the Village is for her own children to be able to raise their families in Lynbrook, and she is honored to be a part of a board that will keep Lynbrook a great place to live, work and raise a family. Lynbrook is thriving and I am truly grateful to be part of this board.

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A Message from the Mayor

Mayor's Message,

Dear Lynbrook neighbors, Happy Fall to everyone. Pumpkins are everywhere, pumpkin lattes are everywhere, and pumpkin spice is in the air. What a wonderful summer we enjoyed together as a family, and what incredible things are coming our way in Lynbrook USA.

First and foremost, I am honored to be working with Lynbrook's newest Trustee Mrs. AnnMarie Reardon. AnnMarie has brought her love of Lynbrook and expertise to our board, and we could not be more pleased. I also would like to thank Lynbrook's adopted son, Senior Councilman Anthony J. Santino for joining us again for our "Good Day Lynbrook" television show, sharing his knowledge of Town government and always ready to help constituents in every way.

As the Mayor of Lynbrook, I am proud to represent one of Long Island premiere South Shore communities. Lynbrook continues to be a thriving, prosperous, Village and through our determination, ingenuity, creativity and making sound fiscal decisions, our goals are becoming realities and Lynbrook residents are enjoying real, economic growth and progress. For example, our grant revenues have increased by over 30%, providing funds to restore the playgrounds at Greis Park, provide equipment to the Police and Fire Department, and beautify Merrick Road with brick sidewalks and ornamental lighting.

Promises were made, and promises were kept.

Our Village Bond Rating continues to be the best bond rating ever in the history of Lynbrook according to Standard and Poor's. Our dramatic downtown revitalization projects have begun, and the vacant stores underneath the Lynbrook Train Station are now "Open for Business". Our local restaurants, shopping and entertainment continue to thrive and our Police, Sanitation and Fire Department deserve to be applauded for their excellence and service to the community.

I am blessed to have the best job in the world, to represent Lynbrook's families, seniors and business community, and to work together with my board to keep Lynbrook a great place to live, work and raise a family.

I can promise everyone, the best is yet to come.

Sincerely,
Bill Hendrick
Mayor William J. Hendrick



Boomer Esiason at Cappys Wine and Liquor in Lynbrook



Boomer Esiason and Craig Carton, (Co-Hosts of WFAN's morning radio show Boomer and Carton), arrived in Lynbrook to promote Cappy's Wine and Liquor's one year anniversary at their new location, after which, the Mayor welcomed them at the 5th Annual Wounded Warrior Concert at Truck Company's firehouse hosted by the Lynbrook Fired Department.

Pictured Top Left - Mayor, Boomer and Craig. Pictured Top Right - Craig, Mayor and Boomer (photo taken by Steve Grogan).

Lynbrook Library Lending Telescope

Explore the stars at home with the Lynbrook Library Lending Telescope. In Fall 2015, the library will be circulating the "John Hank Memorial Telescope!" All that is needed is a valid Lynbrook Public Library Adult card and a current photo ID. The telescope will be able to be borrowed for up to 2 weeks at a time. When the telescope is checked out, you will receive the Orion Star Blast Telescope, an instruction Booklet, a pocket sky guide and the travel bin. For additional information call the library 516-599-8630. This telescope is made possible by the generous donation of Tom Lynch. John Hank was a dedicated employee of the Lynbrook Public Library from February 1997 through September 2014. Proper Care and Use - Keep the telescope in a clean, dry, dust-free place, safe from rapid temperature changes and humidity. Do not store the telescope outdoors. Keep the dust caps on the front of the telescope and on the focuser when not in use. Safety - Never look at the sun with any optical instrument or permanent eye damage could result.



Another Fantastic Celebration for Patriot's Weekend

A good time was had by all. Hundreds of families came out to enjoy Lynbrook's Annual Patriot's Day celebration. There was a wide range of festivities for all to enjoy at Greis Park. The wonderful USO entertainers joined the celebration once again along with food, fun, face painting, inflatables, music, fireworks, and most of all, a celebration of community. Mayor William Hendrick thanked all the sponsors and volunteers who helped make this exciting day possible.

2015 Patriots' Sponsors: Mako Plumbing & Heating, Inc., Bee Ready Fishbein Hatter & Donovan, LLP, Miller's Housewares, Inc., Vincents Restaurant, Pearsall's Station, Crown Ford, All Ways Exterminating Co., Inc., Zelman Realty & Management Corp., NGL Group, McQuade's Neighborhood Grill, Lynbrook Deli & Catering, Astoria Bank, Lynbrook Chamber of Commerce, C & L Plumbing Supply Inc., Lynbrook PBA, Flinch & Bruns Funeral Home, Inc., Atria Tanglewood, Frank Robustello & Son Inc., Lynbrook CSEA, Sunrise Volkswagen, Inc and Peak Performance Physical Therapy



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Memorial Day Parade

Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick and the entire Board of Trustees, along with many Veterans of Lynbrook, families and friends, came out on Monday, May 28th to enjoy a parade and to remember those men and women in uniform that paid the ultimate sacrifice. Memorial Day is a time when we pay tribute to those who did not come home, and to those fighting for our freedom every day. Following the parade, the services were held at Lynbrook's Doughboy Memorial. Guest speaker was first Sgt William Bodette USMC retired.



June 1 Board Meeting



William Gaylor stepping down as Acting Village Justice

It was an emotional Board meeting as long time Acting Village Justice William Gaylor stepped down in order to seek Nassau County Legislator Francis X. Becker's Legislative seat. Judge Gaylor thanked the Mayor and the Board for their continued friendship and support, and praised the good works of Nassau County Legislator Francis X. Becker, saying, "he has big shoes to fill." Mayor Hendrick presented him with a plaque for his many years of dedicated service to the Incorporated Village of Lynbrook.

Pictured Left to Right: Board and exiting Acting Justice C. William Gaylor, III

Trustee Thomas Atkinson becoming New Acting Village Justice

A heartfelt moment from Lynbrook Village Trustee Thomas Atkinson after stepping down as Trustee and assuming the role of Lynbrook Acting Village Justice. With Trustee Atkinson's family, friends and community all in attendance, he emotionally told the packed audience how much he loved serving Lynbrook, and its residents, and said, "there is not another community on Long Island that could compare with the warmth and goodness of our residents." Lynbrook Village Mayor William Hendrick congratulated Tom as Lynbrook's newest Justice, as he was sworn in by Village Attorney Peter Ledwith.

Pictured Left to Right: Village Attorney and Father in Law Peter Ledwith swears in Acting Justice Thomas D. Atkinson as his Mother holds the Family Bible



Sam Moelis Honored as the IFF World Fencing Champion

Last year Sam Moelis won a Division I National Championship at age 16 – one of the youngest fencers to take home the U.S. top honor. Sam went on to compete in the Junior Olympics in Salt Lake City, finishing in the top eight and receiving the highest rating possible for an American fencer. In April 2015, Sam took home a world title at the International Fencing Federation's Cadet and Junior World Championships. The competition was held in Uzbekistan.

Pictured Left to Right: Mayor & Board, Sam Moelis and his Father



L to R Grace Reardon leads the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance. Sean Atkinson & Grace Reardon. Mayor & Board and Associate Justice Thomas D. Atkinson & his family



Pictured Left to Right: Island Park Fire Chief Anthony D'Esposito, Village of Island Park Trustee Matthew Paccione, Rosemarie Curran, and in attendance to congratulate AnnMarie Reardon at her official swearing in as Lynbrook's newest Trustee.

Congratulations to Lynbrook Ultimate Martial Arts and Fitness



Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick, Assemblyman Brian Curran and Councilman Anthony Santino present a Citation to Sensei M. Ibrahim, the Founder and Head Instructor at Ultimate Martial Arts and Fitness who celebrated winning 2015 NATIONAL KARATE CHAMPIONS with 21 National Medals. This event took place at Ultimate Martial Arts and Fitness in Lynbrook. 19 Students in the program are National Champions.

March 2nd Board Meeting



Picture Top Left: The Board of Trustee's, the Boy Scouts and the Scout Leaders. Top Center: Trustee Hilary H. Becker, Deputy Mayor Alan C. Beach, Mayor William J. Hendrick, Paul Sci and his wife Kathy Sci, accepting a Citation for his 102nd Birthday, Trustee Michael N. Hawxhurst and Trustee Thomas D. Atkinson. Top Right: Paul Sci, Mayor William J. Hendrick and Deputy Mayor Alan C. Beach. Bottom Left: Trustee Hilary H. Becker, Trustee Michael N. Hawxhurst, Mayor William J. Hendrick, Boy scout John Bergini, Bertie Devaney and his Wife Margaret receiving a Citation for 42 years of service, Trustee Thomas D. Atkinson and Deputy Mayor Alan C. Beach.

2015 Annual Awards Dinner



Each New Year the Chamber celebrates with an Annual Awards Dinner. This year, the Chamber is also installing its new Chamber Executive President and Executive Vice President, as well as several new Board of Directors.

Honorees: Chris Anderson, Owner of Crown Ford, Mary Kirby, Educator at Lynbrook Public School Distinct #20, Fire Chief Michael Anderson, Lynbrook Fire Department Lieut. Daniel and Det./Sgt. James Dillion, Lynbrook Police Department.

Honoring an outstanding Veteran, United State Marine Corps Sergeant James Dillon

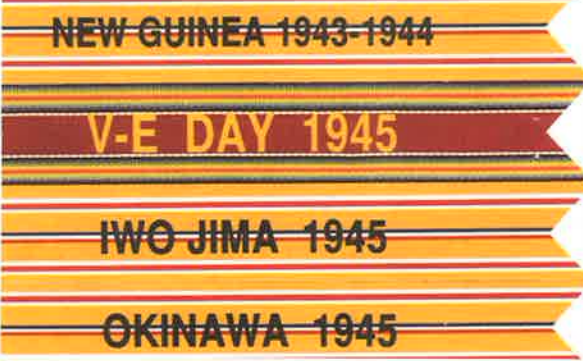


Born in Brooklyn in 1924, James enlisted in the United States Marine Corps shortly after high school graduation. His first stop was Parris Island, South Carolina for basic training and then the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, New Jersey. He was quickly chosen for Sea School and sent to Norfolk, Virginia, where he was trained and eventually assigned to the USS Langley CVL27.

James and the Langley joined the Fast Carrier Task Force 58-3, which was the main striking force of the United States Navy in the Pacific War Zone, he spent 18 months fighting our enemies. For his service in World War II, James was awarded 13 battle stars.

Upon returning home, he took classes in banking and joined National City Bank. In 1952 he married Stella and they were blessed with five children and nine grandchildren.

James has been active in Toys for Tots and many civic affairs. In 2004, he was named "Man of the Year" by the Village of Lynbrook and has received an "Award of Appreciation" for his service in the United States Marine Corps from the Lynbrook/East Rockaway Rotary Club.



Regal Cinema Coming Soon!



The current Regal Cinema is making way for a new modernized theatre which will have 10% less seating but will accommodate 13 screens, reclining seats, enhanced concessions and top rated movies. The ground breaking should be as early as this coming winter. The Lynbrook Chamber of Commerce is looking forward to this improvement which will be a vital anchor for downtown. Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick said, "Regal Cinemas will certainly be a positive step in the continued revitalization of our great village. We have outstanding stores, restaurants, gelato and ice creameries, yogurt shops, we have it all. Regal Cinemas will ensure more people can enjoy all that Lynbrook USA has to offer."

Ribbon Cutting

VIALE GELATERIA

Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick, Deputy Mayor Alan Beach, Lynbrook Board of Trustees, Town of Hempstead Senior Councilman Anthony J. Santino and Assemblyman Brian Curran joined the Lynbrook Chamber of Commerce for the Ribbon Cutting at Viale Gelateria located on Sunrise Highway in Lynbrook. The newest eatery in the village offers patrons homemade Italian gelato using an age-old secret recipe. Everyone enjoyed tasting the wonderful gelato!



ASAHI HIBACHI AND SUSHI

Another wonderful day for a grand opening! Lynbrook Families newest restaurant Asahi Hibachi and Sushi was welcomed by Mayor William Hendrick, Deputy Mayor Alan Beach, Lynbrook Village Trustee's, Senior Town of Hempstead Councilman Anthony J. Santino, Assemblyman Brian Curran and the Lynbrook Chamber of Commerce. Friends and family joined the community to welcome this outstanding Hibachi style dining establishment into the Village.



BURGER BANDIT

The first Burger Bandit held its official grand opening on Sunday, February 22nd. It is co-owned by Jonathan Cheban, along with Five-towns resident Gene Broytman as Cheban's co-owner, and the general manager is Steve Schoenly of Rockville Centre.

RIVER MILL TAVERN AND TABLES

Congratulations on the the ribbon cutting ceremony celebrating the official grand opening of the River Mill Tavern and Tables located on Ocean Avenue in Lynbrook. Located at the site of the former Swiss Tavern, this dining establishment has proven to be a place where everyone can go for outstanding food, drinks, fun, and friendship. Welcome to Lynbrook owners Frank Pignataro and Michael McDevitt! Great to be with Mayor William Hendrick, the entire Board of Trustees, Assemblyman Brian Curran, Supervisor Kate Murray, Town of Hempstead Senior Councilman Anthony Santino, Island Park Fire Chief Anthony D'Esposito and many, many great friends who all came out to show their support.



Community Spirit Award Winners Honored by New York Mets



This year's annual New York Mets' Annual Lynbrook Community Night celebration was held on May 26, 2015 at CitiField Stadium. The Lynbrook Little League gives the Community Spirit Award annually to those who best exemplify Lynbrook community spirit. The recipients are selected based on, enthusiasm, contribution, dedication, and inspiration to others - it honors local "heroes" who have made a significant difference in the community.

The award is presented each year at CitiField Stadium in cooperation with the NY Mets organization on "Lynbrook Night" where over 1,000 Lynbrookites enjoy a night out to watch a Mets game. The Mets organization celebrates the Lynbrook Little League with a pregame ceremony of Little League members and their proud parents marching through center field with the Lynbrook Fire Department color guard.

The evening included a special presentation at home plate to the recipients of the 2015 Lynbrook Community Spirit Award. This year's recipients are (L to R) Little league Manager Steve Schneider, Ronald Merrow of Sunrise Volkswagen, Village Administrator John Giordano, Police Officer Harold Comastri, Lynbrook Fire Department Ex-Chief Mike Andersen & Suffolk Legislator Tom Cilmi. The New York Mets select the recipients of the Community Service Award from nominations provided by Lynbrook Little League. The Spirit Award Program also recognizes those for their exemplary actions in following the community's small town values and providing exceptional service through performance by acting with integrity, being responsible, taking innovative action, and promoting teamwork.

Little League Director Frank Umonski threw the first pitch to open the game. The Mets won the game in extra innings.

Lynbrook Titans Awards



At the April 20, 2015 Board Meeting, the Mayor and Board acknowledged the Lynbrook High School Varsity Wrestling Team for receiving the Lynbrook Titans Perseverance Award, Dan Gillespie, Coach of the Year, and the Titan's Wrestlers for their hard work and dedication.

Giovannina Cardella 100th Birthday



What an incredible day celebrating the 100th birthday of Lynbrook resident Giovannina Cardella. Joining Lynbrook Mayor William Hendrick was NYS Assemblyman Brian Curran and friends and family at the Bristol in Lynbrook.

Holocaust Remembrance Week



The Days of Remembrance, Sunday, April 12 through Sunday, April 19, 2015, including the Day of Remembrance known as Yom Hashoah, April 15, 2015, have been set aside for the people of the Village of Lynbrook to remember the victims, and honor the survivors and rescuers of the Holocaust. Rabbi Howard Diamond of B'Nai Shalom Congregation, accepted the proclamation and talked about the importance of Holocaust Remembrance week.

Keeping Lynbrook Safe



Pictured Left - The Mayor appoints four new Police Officers, L/R - P.O. Robert Leanard, P.O. Alex Alzona, P.O. Michael Lanaro, P.O. Christopher Foy, Police Chief Joseph Neve. The Mayor promotes P.O. Eric Bruen to Sgt. and P.O. Douglas King to Sgt. Pictured Center: L/R - P.O. Alex Alzona, P.O. Michael Lanaro, Sgt. Eric Bruen, Mayor, Police Chief Joseph Neve, P.O. Robert Leanard, P.O. Christopher Foy and Sgt. Douglas King. Pictured Right: The Mayor & Board with the new Police Officers and their families.