

LI Cares Mobile Outreach Resource Enterprise Vehicle May 7 - 12

Senator Kenneth P. LaValle will host the Long Island Cares Mobile Outreach Resource Enterprise vehicle at his district office, 325 Middle Country Road, Selden from 12 noon to 3 pm.

The number of Long Islanders struggling through these difficult economic times has increased significantly. The Hunger in America 2010 study by Feeding America reports that 283,000 Long Islanders, including 110,000 children, are experiencing hunger in our neighborhoods.

Long Island Cares, Inc. - The Harry Chapin Food Bank, launched a mobile outreach program to help individuals and families that are having a hard time making ends meet. The specially equipped mobile outreach program offers a mobile pantry for the

distribution of food, personal care items, household supplies, pet food, school supplies, and more. In addition, they provide information and referral services for people in need of assistance with maintaining their home, as well as information on government entitlement services. Call 631-696-6900. ■

Sharon G. Grosser Receives Honors

Sharon Grosser, director of External Affairs for Madison National Bank and board member of the Madison National Foundation, received honors at Literacy Nassau's fundraiser, The 2010 (un)SCRABBLE Challenge. Literacy Nassau selected Long Island "Charity Superstar" Grosser for the impact she has made on the lives touched by the organization.

Ms. Grosser is also a resident of Freeport, Literacy Nassau's new home. Her work, her education and her home are Long Island through and through. ■

C.W. Post Lauded by American Red Cross

Campus Honored at Annual Red & White Dinner Dance May 20

The Nassau County chapter of the American Red Cross will be honoring the C.W. Post Campus of Long Island University as a "Partner in Preparedness" at its annual Red & White Dinner Dance, thanks to efforts by the campus to protect Long Islanders in the event of a major disaster. Along with C.W. Post, Farmingdale State College and its president Dr. W. Hubert Keen also will be honored.

For almost a decade, the C.W. Post Campus in Brookville has served as one of only three disaster relief centers at a college campus in the New York metropolitan area. Should a weather-related disaster or other emergency occur, C.W. Post - as a mega shelter - is prepared to provide food, shelter and comfort.

C.W. Post administers a comprehensive public safety program designed to protect members of the campus community. Services include crime prevention workshops, fire prevention exercises, EMT services, personal safety workshops, free escort services and an emergency alert system. The campus also serves the community through a number of health, wellness and safety programs.

Each year, the Nassau County Chapter of the American Red Cross provides relief to more than 500 Nassau residents who have been displaced by fires. Additionally, hundreds of service members and their families rely on emergency communications and assistance through the Nassau Red Cross during life-altering moments like the birth



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