Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce



August 2004

VIP Card

The chamber's Business Promotion Committee plans to capture the business of the students, faculty and other employees at our local colleges by presenting them with a "Patchogue College VIP Card."

These cards will be distributed in time for fall classes and will be good through 2005. We will have logos to place on the doors of participating businesses.

The cards will offer 10% off purchases. Some restrictions may apply as we negotiate with individual businesses.

Businesses will pay \$25 to participate.

If you are interested, or would like more information, please call Lorice Fiala at 475-0070 or the chamber office at 475-0121.

Sidewalk Sale Davs

Patchogue's annual Back to School Sidewalk Sale Days will be held Aug. 5-7. This coincides with the Aug. 6 Alive After 5 and is a great opportunity to get your merchandise out to a large audience.

Art Will Line Main Street

Patchogue's first annual "Celebration of the Arts" will be held on Saturday, Sept. 4., with a rain date of Sept. 11. This is a juried professional art show that is expected to bring more than 50 of Long Island's best artists to town. Attendance by the public is free.



Emily Valenti of Holbrook is one of the more than 50 professional artists who will display their works at Patchogue's "Celebration of the Arts". She posed with some of her fine crafts on display at Joy's Corner Gallery and Studio.

The artists will display their work along the center of East Main Street which will be closed between South Ocean Avenue and Maple Avenue from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Works will be for both display and sale.

A panel of judges will make awards in the categories of Oil/Acrylic, Watercolor, Pastel, Mixed Media, Graphics, Sculpture, Photography, and Fine Handmade Crafts.

The event is being run by the Foundation's Curtural Arts Committee, chaired by Joy Soper Martucci of Joy's Corner Gallery and Studio at 22 East Main Street.

If you stop in to Joy's you can also see some of the art works that will be sold at the Village Business Promotion Art Auction on Oct. 1.

Save These Dates

Aug. 3—Foundation Board of Directors, office, 8 a.m.

Aug. 5–7— Back to School Sidewalk Sale Days.

Aug. 6-Alive After 5

Aug. 7—Homegrown Long Island music at *Touring 495 Finals*, Patchogue Theatre, 7 p.m., 207-1313.

Aug. 16-Sept. 8—Back to School merchant promotion, computer giveaway.

Aug. 16—Special membership meeting, 7 p.m., North Fork Bank.

Aug. 17—Chamber Board of Directors, 8 a.m., Temple Beth El

Aug.. 18–Sept. 4—Gateway's Fosse, Patchogue Theatre, 286-1133.

Aug. 19—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical Center Tournament of Tournaments.

Aug. 20—Patchogue Elks Lodge #1323 Golf Outing at Rollin Oaks Country Club, Rocky Point, 758-1117.

Aug. 20—Alive After 5

Aug. 23—Patchogue Lions Club Golf Outing, Rock Hill Country Club, Manorville, 1:30 p.m. shotgun, \$150, info: John Vaughn, Sr., 654-9205.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \bf Aug.~24--Chamber~General~Meeting,\\ \bf TBA \end{tabular}$

Sept. 3-Alive After 5

Sept. 4—First Annual Celebration of the Arts (Rain Date Sept. 11), Juried Art Show, Main St., 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sept. 7—Foundation Board of Directors, office 8 a.m.

Sept. 9—Fuoco Memorial Golf "Festival", Rotary Club of Patchogue, Mill Pond Golf Course, 981-4364.

Sept . 9—Shenole Latimere Quartet, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 207-1313.

Sept. 12—Hospice Cocktail Party

Sept. 15—Charlie Prose Shon, Patchogue Theatre, 2 p.m., 207-1313

Sept. 9—Grants Committee, office, 10 a.m.

Sept. 17—Alive After 5

Sept. 18—BMH Medical Center Health & Family Fun Day.

Sept. 18—Mickey B's Golden Oldies, Charlie Thomas' *Drifters*, others, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 435-8822.

Sept. 21—Chamber Board of Directors, Temple Beth El, 8 a.m.

Sept. 24—Identity Theft program, Congregational Church, 7 p.m., 475-1235.

Sept. 24—The romantic guitar of *Esteban*, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 207-1313.

Sept. 25—Two time Grammy award winner *Chuck Mangione*, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 207-1313.

Oct. 1—Village Business Promotion Fundraiser, TBA.

Oct. 4—Temple Beth El Golf Tournament, Calverton Links, 475-1882.

Oct. 9-

Legendary percussionist *Billy Cobbam* with *Culture Mix*, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 207-1313.

Oct. 23—Alvin Ailey's American Dance Theatre's *Ailey* II, Patchogue Theatre.

Nov. 1-Dec.

31—Customer Appreciation Promotion.

Nov. 13—BMH Medical Center Hospital Ball.

Nov. 13—Jack's Waterfall, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 207-1313.

Nov. 20—YMCA of Long Island Diamonds and Burlap Auction, Villa Lombardi.

Nov. 21—Holiday Boat Parade

Nov. 27-Holiday Main St. Parade

Dec. 4-Breakfast with Santa

Dec. 4—Clara's Dream, The Nutcracker, Patchogue Theatre

Dec. 9, 10, 11—Ovations Dance Repertory *The Nutcracker Suite*, Patchogue Theatre, 218-0315.

South Country

pticians

331 E Main Street Patchogue NY,11772 (East of Route 112) Off 631.758.4466 Fax 631.758.4467

Joe Juliano Licensed Optician Ed Rzemieniewski Licensed Optician

America's Best Business Bank

Find out how Commerce can help your business grow. Call Chris Giamo at **1-888-751-9000**.



Convenient offices throughout New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania & Delaware including: Patchogue

MORGAN & COMPANY

Open May 21-Sept. 26



LIVE MUSIC Fri., 7-11 p.m. Sun., 3-7 p.m.



Charles Rothberg, M.D.

Diplomate, American Board of Ophthalmology

Anthony Fusco, O.D. Kurt W. Roeloffs, O.D. Optometrists

631-758-5300

331 East Main Street, Patchogue, NY 11772 www.rothberg.yourmd.com

Sales (516) 447-2886

Fax (516) 758-9727



Joseph Catalanotto Sr.

37 Sunrise Hwy. Patchegue N.Y. 11772WWW.FINDAUSEDCAR.COM



"Your Image Is Our Business" Stationery • Forms • Invitations • Newsletters Business Cards • Brochures • Menus • Tickets

DIGITAL COLOR COPIES

23 Havens Avenue • Patchogue, New York 11772 (1 block west of N. Ocean Avenue)

(631) 447-1506 • Fax (631) 447-1508







PAUL AVENOSO PRESIDENT

ELECTRIC INC.

P.O. BOX 1429 PATCHOGUE, NY 11772

758-AVEY-2839

FAX: 758-2608

STUMP GRINDING

Shrub, Tree, & Brush Removal Irrigation, Waterfalls, Ponds Pool Fill Ins

Landscape Design & Construction

JESSE TRUCKING CORP. 631-758-3791

Free Estimates •Yvonne Golsner, Pres.

Carol Proven, Proprietor
Floral Designs
of Patchogue
Fresh Cut Flowers & Silks

Weddings Truit & Specialty Baskets

Daily Deliveries to Funeral Homes & Hospitals 100 W. Main Street ~ Patchogue, NY 11772

631.447.2770 **%** 800.544.0792 **www.floraldesigns.net**





FIORI ENTERPRISES INC.

"From Corner to Corner We Do It All"
Cleaning Services - Wholesale Paper Supplies

Wholesale Commercial & Environmentally Safe Cleaning Products

FREE ESTIMATES

For further information, please call Teresa Fiori

(631) 475-3502 • Fax (631) 654-9365 www.fiorijanitorial.com 244 Medford Ave., Rt. 112 • Patchogue, NY 11772

631-289-8989

Fax 631-289-4109



REGAL FUNDING, INC.

ELEANOR KOVARIK REGISTERED MORTGAGE BROKER N.Y.S. BANKING DEPARTMENT

56 MEDFORD AVENUE PATCHOGUE, NY 11772

ALL LOANS ARRANGED THRU 3RD PARTY PROVIDERS

FHA & VA APPROVED



HORIZON MORTGAGE

Mortgage Services

James Mancuso

Loan Officer

73 North Ocean Avenue, Suite 3 Patchogue, NY 11772 jmancuso@horizonfin.com

Office: (631) 289-6200 Fax: (631) 289-3636 Cell: (631) 379-4884

Registered Mortgage Brokers - NYS Banking Department

Optimists Smile on Patchogue



Patchogue was a more Optimistic place during the last week in July. We had been hearing for months about the big deal national event that was coming to town, but it was not until 428 8 to 15 year old youngsters and their families arrived on Sunday, July 25 that we realized the significance of the event.

Optimist is a class of sail boats, bath tub sized boats that are a primary training tool for thousands of young people across the nation. Last year their national championship regatta was on Lake Michigan in Chicago. This year the decision was made to tackle the world class waters of Great South Bay and the Bellport Yacht Club, as hosts, turned to Patchogue's Shorefront Park as their site.

The Patchogue Kiwanis Club was solicited to provide volunteers to help manage the week long event and to feed hundreds of people at a Thursday night barbecue. Other local residents and businesses also piched in. North Fork and Commerce Banks were major contributers and local restaurants agreed to provide discounts for the visitors. Families from Tennessee, Alabama and Michigan were among those we spotted patronizing local businesses. Experienced regatta participants, they commented on how well this event was being managed. It turned out to be (we are told) the biggest Optimist national championship ever.

There are lots of sail boat classes. Perhaps we will have more such events.



Congressman Tim Bishop was on hand July 24 to help celebrate the 57th birthday of Amvets Post 111.



Former New York Mayor Rudolph Giuliani, campaigning with Republican Congressional candidate Bill Manger (left), signed autographs during a July 9 stop along Main Street at Alive After 5.

The 2004-2005 edition of the Chamber Directory is printed. Stop by the office or give us a call for your supply.

Brookhaven SCORE

Free Business Counseling
Chamber Conference Room
New
and Established
Businesses
Come
with your
Questions
First and Third Tuesday
of each month
10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
475-0121 for appointment

631.682.9025

illume candles @hotmail.co



Fundraising—Party Favors & Centerpieces Retail on Consignment Be the Light of the Party and Light an Illumé Candle!



MARK SHAPIRO Producer · Videographer

206 Blue Point Avenue, Blue Point, NY 11715 Phone/Fax: (631) 363-0992 • Toll-free: (800) 929-SYNC www.insyncvideo.com • E-mail: Mark@insyncvideo.com

New Members In July

Horizon Realty Group, Michael & Joseph Barone, Real Estate, 9 East Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 687-3725, miketherealtor2@aol.com, horizonlirealty.com.

Remember Yesteryears, Mindy Skur, *Antique and Auctions*, 46 East Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 654-3052.

Margaret Rogerson, Civic Member, 9 Neptune Ave., Patchogue, NY 11772, 404-7987, piggybankr@aol.com.

Coming To The Patchogue Theatre

These fall shows are being presented in cooperation with the Greater Patchogue Foundation.



Sept. 24, 8 p.m.

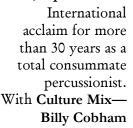
The Romantic Guitar of Esteban



Sept. 25, 8 p.m.

Two time grammy award wining jazz icon
Chuck Mangione

Oct. 9, 8 p.m.





Oct. 23, 8 p.m.

The country's best young talent from the Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre—



Nov. 13, 8 p.m.

World Peace
Party with
Jack's Waterfall

Tickets are on sale at the theatre—207-1313.

GREATER PATCHOGUE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC. 15 North Ocean Ave.

PATCHOGUE, NY 11772

PHONE: 631-475-0121 Fax: 631-475-1599

2003-2004 Officers

Thomas J. Keegan, Jr., President Allen Robinson, Vice President Marian H. Russo, Vice President David Kennedy, Secretary Tina Marie Weeks, Treasurer



Standard Presort U.S. Postage PAID Patchogue. N.Y Permit #57

Address Correction Requested

Gail Hoag, Executive Director Email: info@patchoguechamber.com

