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Thanks, Paul

An Extreme Thank You goes out to Paul Avenoso of Avey Electric, who, with one phone call, four days notice, and a brief explanation of the Extreme Office Makeover: Chamber Edition, was on board with his team. We met the following day to review the job; he met with the Cantwells, the owners of the building and did the rough-ins before the renovation began.

Not only does he deserve our deepest gratitude for providing the labor and materials from his warehouse, but for his dedication, enthusiasm and commitment to doing the job right, and within our time frame.



Paul (second from right) and crew.

My hat is off to Paul Avenoso and his team of 15. I hope you will call him the next time you need an electrician, 631-758-2608, as I will. "Pride in Workmanship" is their motto. Very true. For now please take the time to thank Paul by e-mailing a note to mravey@optonline.net.

—Kelleen Guyer

Extreme Office Makeover



The Team Depot members volunteered three days of their time. (Clockwise from left) Gail Hoag, team members Jen Nunns, Kathleen Ingargiola, and Stephan Babb, Janet Pickett, Kelleen Guyer, and team member Tom Adams.

sign, new lighting/electric, appliances, kitchenette, dry cleaning for chairs, window signage, dumpster, moving people, desks, traffic mats and the volunteers to do the work, but we are in need of just a few more items and we are looking for sponsors, so we can put this project to bed and plan a grand reopening at the end of January 2007.

The following items need sponsors and will be labeled with the sponsor name and contact information:

- 4 – Two drawer light grey file cabinets, \$99.99 each.
- 2 – Frames for large old prints of Lace Mill and Main Street, \$135.00 total.
- 2 – Sentry Fire Safe Security Files, \$59.99 each.
- 2 – Clocks [we will add your business name to face of clock] about \$75.

We also have a few items left for sale from the Staples Donation Surplus: www.patchoguechamber.com/makeover1.htm Call with SKU# and quantity. If we sell it all it will give us about \$320 towards these items.

If you can help us reach our goal, call or email, Kelleen Guyer, Extreme Office Makeover, Chairperson—631-365-1589, info@DesignHostPromote.com.

This is still a work in progress, but we would love to have you stop by for a grand tour.

The Extreme Office Makeover: Chamber Edition is well under way and close to completion for this year. Led by Vice President Kelleen Guyer, a crew from Home Depot (Team Depot) and other volunteers have been busy creating a brand new office. It's a great effort.

But we still need your help.

We have been successful in receiving the following: computers, printer, person to install them, carpet, paint, tile, chairs, lamps, file cabinets, conference tables, an open

Save These Dates

Wednesday, December 6—Chamber Open Networking Toy Drive Meeting, Radisson Hotel, Holtsville, 6–8 p.m., bring a new unwrapped toy for Brookhaven Town Toys For Kids Drive, 631-475-0121.

Wednesday, December 6—Organ Recital, Congregational Church, Noon, free, 12:30 Lunch, \$6, 631-475-1235.

Wednesday, December 6—Lessons & Carols, St. Joseph's College Auditorium, 7:30 p.m., free, 631-447-2329.

Thursday, December 7—KGB Live in the Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., \$5.00, 631-207-1313.

Friday, December 8—Grand Opening, Ribbon Cutting, Mangia Mangia, 69 East Main St. Celebration begins at 4:00. Ribbon cutting at 5:00.

Friday, Saturday, December 8–9—St. Paul's Episcopal Church Christmas Bazaar, Fri. 6–8, Sat. 10–3, 631-475-7845.

Saturday, December 9—New Century Singers Holiday Concert, Congregational Church, 7:30 p.m., \$25 (\$20 advance), 631-473-5426.

Saturday, December 9—Ovation's Repertory Company presents The Nutcracker Suite, Patchogue Theatre, 1 & 7 p.m. Also Dec. 10, 1 p.m., Dec. 7, 2 p.m.: Special performance for Seniors & Disabled, 631-218-0315.

Saturday, December 9—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital M.C. Hospital Ball at the Cradle of Aviation Museum.

Saturday, Sunday December 9–10—Winnie the Pooh Christmas Musical at the Clare Rose Playhouse, 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m., all tickets \$6.00, 631-654-0199.

Sunday, December 10—Santa's 5K Toy Trot. 11:00 a.m. Start and finish at BrickHouse Brewery, 67 West Main St. Pre-registration \$18, Day of race, \$20. Bring a new unwrapped toy for Kiwanis Club of Patchogue community toy drive, 631-447-2337.

Wednesday, December 13—Organ Recital, Congregational Church, Noon, free, 12:30 Lunch, \$6, 631-475-1235.

Thursday, December 14—Small Office Holiday Party at the Radisson MacArthur Hotel. 6:00–10:00 p.m. Buffet

Dinner and Live DJ provided by Sound Choice Entertainment. \$40 per person. private table guaranteed with 7 or more. Call 631-961-8291 for tickets.

December 15–30—Gateway Playhouse presents A Christmas Carol, Patchogue Theatre, 631-286-1133.

Sunday, December 17—Menorah Lighting, North Fork Bank Plaza, 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 20—Organ Recital, Congregational Church, Noon, free, 12:30 Lunch, \$6, 631-475-1235.

Sunday, December 31—Gateway Playhouse presents Holiday Hop, Patchogue Theatre, 286-1133.

Thursday, January 4—The Lift, Live in the Lobby, Patchogue Theatre 7:30 p.m., \$5.00, 531-207-1313.

January 14–17—National Retail Federation 96th Annual Convention & Expo, Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, New York City, www.nrf.com/annual07.

January 19–28—The Belle of Amherst, Clare Rose Playhouse, for ticket prices and performance times call 631-654-0199.

Thursday, February 1—Miller's Crossing, Live in the Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., \$10.00, 631-207-1313.

Sunday, February 11—Peter and the Wolf, Patchogue Theatre, 3 p.m., \$9, 631-207-1313.

Saturday, February 17—The Greater Patchogue Foundation presents Ronan Tynan in Concert, Patchogue Theatre, 8 p.m., 631-207-1313.

February 23–March 11—The Cocktail Hour, Clare Rose Playhouse, for ticket prices and performance times call 631-654-0199.

Sunday, February 25—Pilot Club of Patchogue Annual Theatre Party & Pageant, Theatre Three, Port Jefferson, 1 p.m. reception, 3 p.m. show, 631-776-2886.

Thursday, March 1—Jesse Haynes, Live in the Lobby, Patchogue Theatre. 7:30 p.m., \$5.00, 631-207-1313.

Sunday, March 4—Sweet Potato Pie...and Such, Patchogue Theatre, 3 p.m., \$9, 631-207-1313.

Sunday, March 25—St. Patrick's Parade, Main Street, 631-475-0121.

Sunday, April 15—BAM Percussion, Patchogue Theatre, 3 p.m., \$9, 631-207-1313.

Sunday, April 22—The Nelson Riddle Orchestra, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

April 27–May 12—The Waverly Gallery, Clare Rose Playhouse, for ticket prices and performance times call 631-654-0199.

Thursday, May 3—Friendship Night hosted by Patchogue Lioness Lions Club, West Lake Inn.

Friday–Sunday, June 8–10—4th Annual SeaFair on the Patchogue River. June 29–September 14 (every other Friday)—Alive After Five® on Main Street, 6-10 p.m.

Wednesday, July 4th—Patchogue Lions Club Independence Day Parade on Main Street.

July 6–22—The Senator Wore Pantyhose, Clare Rose Playhouse, 631-654-0199.

Saturday, July 21—13th Annual "Songs by the Sea" Grucci Style Fireworks, Shorefront Park.

Saturday, August 11—13th Annual Casino Blast Fireworks at Davis Park.

Meetings

Dec. 5—Foundation, Office, 8 a.m.

Dec. 5—BID, Four Sisters, 4 p.m.

Dec. 6—Chamber Open Networking and Toy Drive Meeting, Radisson Hotel, 6 p.m.

Dec. 7—Grants Committee, Office, 10 a.m.

Dec. 12—Executive Committee, office, 8 a.m.

Dec. 19—Chamber Board of Directors, Temple Beth El, 8 a.m..

Jan. 2—Foundation, office, 8 a.m.

Jan. 9—Executive Committee, office, 8 a.m.

Jan. 16—Chamber Board of Directors, Temple Beth El, 8 a.m..

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Christmas

Best Lights: #14 "Marquet"—65 foot Ferry, Rick & Roe Sinacore,
Theme: Diznee Magic

Best Sound: #15 "Changing Latitudes"—34 Foot Silverton, Steve
Grey/Chris Povey, Theme: Santa Claus Is Coming To Town



Trophy: MOST HOLIDAY SPIRIT, Stagedoor Dancers

Best Fire Department: Coram Fire Department



Holiday Boat Parade

Best Overall:

12 "For My Girls"—
32 Foot Carver, Bruce
Parker/Donna Lee. Theme:
A Christmas Carol

Best Theme:

#13 "Twin Vee"—36
Foot Twin Vee, Kenny
Becker/Pete Newirth.
Theme: Charlie Brown's

Main Street Parade

Mayor's Cup:

BEST OVERALL
UNIT, Brookhaven Town
Parks & Recreation

Commissioner's

Trophy:

MOST ORIGINAL
UNIT, World Outlook
Church of God

Chamber President's

Breakfast With Santa

250 children enjoyed
their Breakfast with Santa,
Dec. 2 at the South Ocean
Avenue Middle School.
Sarah (Marlene and Richard
Minto's granddaughter) is
the storyteller.