

# Greater Patchogue Chamber of Commerce



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# GREATER PATCHOGUE

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## Stop Thief

David Zegel of Weiner Shoes, the new Promotions Committee Chairman, helped capture a criminal suspect.

After seeing a man steal merchandise from his store and then fleeing, David met up with officers of the Suffolk County Police Department who were fielding a complaint from another merchant who was also robbed.

The man disappeared, but an hour later David spotted the man and called 911. Again the man eluded police. Another hour later, David spotted the man again, called 911, and with the officer's speedy response, caught the man with the stolen merchandise. David identified the man and had him arrested.

When asked about the ordeal, David said, "after being put in handcuffs, the man offered to pay for the merchandise and I told him, I don't want your money, I want justice".



**The David Zegel family.**



**Rum-R, the BrickHouse band stripped their equipment from the stage when the rain began, but later set up again and returned.**



**Vendors, like these on East Main Street reported good business.**

to the street when the rain ended and increased as the night wore on.

The remaining dates are July 20, August 3, August 17, and August 31.

The Chamber is selling tickets each night to raffle off a basket of gift certificates and other items from local merchants. J.P Brown won the first basket. Items are still needed for the remaining four nights.

## Rain Doesn't Dampen First Alive After Five®

The 6th season of Alive After Five® Friday night Main Street festivities began July 6 in an event that drew large crowds despite a rain delay intermission.

The day seemed to pose no weather problems

until about 5 p.m. when ominous clouds appeared to the north. The rain began about 7 and lasted for a few minutes. The crowds that headed for cover returned



**The YMCA rock wall was popular.**

## Save These Dates

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

July 11–28—Gateway's Dreamgirls, Patchogue Theatre, 631-286-1133.

Friday, July 13—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital 2nd Annual Clam Bake, hospital south parking lot, 6:00 p.m.–9:00 p.m., \$75, 631-447-3011.

Saturday, July 14—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital 7th Annual Family Fun Day, hospital grounds, 11:00 a.m.–3:30 p.m., 631-447-3011.

Friday, July 13–Sunday, July 15—Great South Bay Music Festival, Shorefront Park, Fri., 5–11 p.m., Sat., Noon–11 p.m., Sun., Noon–9:30 p.m., 631-331-0808, [www.greatsouthbaymusicfestival.com](http://www.greatsouthbaymusicfestival.com).

Saturday, July 14—Summer Yard Sale, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rider Ave.

Saturday, July 14—Gateway's Sleeping Beauty, Patchogue Theatre, 10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m., 631-286-1133.

Monday, July 16—Patchogue Fire Department Golf Outing, West Sayville Country Club, 2:00 p.m. shotgun, 631-207-9423.

Friday, July 20—Alive After Five®, Main Street, 6–10 p.m.

Saturday, July 21—Gateway's Pinocchio, Patchogue Theatre, 10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m., 631-286-1133.

Saturday, July 21—Milagro, Shorefront Park Bandshell, 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Friday, July 27—Gateway's Jim West's Dinosaurs, Patchogue Theatre, 10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m., 631-286-1133.

Saturday, July 28—The Neighborhood Band, featuring Howie Seal & Friends, Shorefront Park Bandshell, 6:30–9:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 28—8th Annual "Songs by the Sea-Grucci Style" Fireworks, Shorefront Park.

Saturday, July 28—Lucinda Williams, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 8:00 p.m., 631-888-9000.

Sunday, July 29—Hippie Fest, The Turtles, Mountain, others, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 6:00 p.m., 631-888-9000.

Thursday through Saturday, August 2–4—Main Street August Sidewalk Sale Days.

Thursday, August 2—Frogg Cafe, Live In the Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., \$5 tickets at the Box Office only, 631-207-1313.

Friday, August 3—Alive After Five®, Main Street, 6–10 p.m.

Sunday, August 5—Solid Gold Dance Party, Village People, others, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 7:00 p.m., 631-888-9000.

Saturdays, August 11–September 1—Tai Chi Ch'uan, Shorefront Park, Patchogue, 0:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., free, email: [watertigerTC@optonline.net](mailto:watertigerTC@optonline.net).

Saturday, August 11—His Boy Elroy, Shorefront Park Bandshell, 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 11—Sal Richards & The Family, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Tuesday, August 14—Rock & Roll with Squeaky Clean, Patchogue Theatre, 10:00 a.m. & Noon, 631-207-1313.

Thursday, August 16—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital M.C. Tournament of Tournaments, Island Hills Country Club, 631-687-4483.

Friday, August 17—Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Service Golf Outing, Rock Hill Country Club, Manorville, 7:30 a.m. shotgun start, \$150, 631-658-4100.

Friday, August 17—Alive After Five®, Main Street, 6–10 p.m.

Saturday, August 18—Rocky Point Jazz Quintet, 4:00–6:00 p.m., Mariachi Band, 7:00–9:00 p.m., Shorefront Park Bandshell.

Monday, August 20—Patchogue Lions Club 32nd Annual Golf Outing, Rock Hill Country Club, Manorville, 631-654-9205.

August 22–September 8—Gateway's Cirque Dreams, Patchogue Theatre, 631-286-1133.

Saturday, Sunday, August 25 & 26—"Battle on the Bay" Power Boat Race and Shorefront Park Festival, 516-702-2601.

Saturday, August 25—The Music of Led Zeppelin, Long Island Philharmonic and Randy Jackson of Zebra, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 8:00 p.m., 631-888-9000.

Sunday, August 26—The Russian American Kids Circus, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 631-888-9000.

Friday, August 31—Alive After Five®, Main Street, 6–10 p.m.

Monday, September 3—Bela Fleck & the Flecktones, Brookhaven Amphitheater, 3:00 p.m., 631-888-9000.

Friday, September 7–Sunday, September 9—Fire Island National Seashore 3 Day Fire Island Trek, 20 mile hike from Smith Point to the Fire Island Lighthouse with overnight stops at Barrett Beach/Talisman and the Appalachian Mountain Club in Atlantique, 631-687-4765.

Sunday, September 9—Brookhaven Hospice Annual Cocktail Party, at the home of Joel Leib and Mel Goodman, Bellport, 631-687-4483.

Thursday, September 20—My Last Band & The Westons, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Sunday, September 23—Parker String Quartet, Patchogue Theatre, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Saturday, September 29—Harvest Festival, St

Paul's Episcopal Church, Rider Ave.

Sunday, September 30—L.I. Sound Chorus of SweetAdelines. Patchogue Theatre, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Sunday, October 6—Pat Cooper, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Thursday, October 11—The Sun Gets Down & Chris Van Cott, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Friday, October 12—Paul Mahos & New Life Crisis, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Saturday, October 13—The Led Zeppelin Experience: Hammer of the Gods, Patchogue Theatre, 8:00 p.m., \$42/\$37/\$32, 631-207-1313.

Saturday, October 20—Fall Yard Sale, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rider Ave.

Saturday, October 20—Mostly Moptop with Marci Geller, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Sunday, October 21—Amstel Saxophone Quartet, Patchogue Theatre, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Saturday, October 27—Kiwanis Club of Patchogue Oktoberfest, Greek Church, Pt. Jefferson Station.

Thursday, November 1—Caroline Doctorow, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Thursday, November 8—Patchogue-Medford Youth & Community Services Man and Woman of the Year Dinner, honoring Louis L. Giordano, Jr. (Giordano's Collision) and Janet Pickett (Patchogue Printing), Sunset Harbour, 7:00 p.m., \$65, 631-758-4100.

Saturday, November 10—Brookhaven Memorial Hospital M.C. Hospital Ball, Cradle of Aviation Museum, 631-687-4483.

Saturday, November 10—The Glenn Miller Orchestra, Patchogue Theatre, 7:00 p.m., \$50/\$45/\$40, 631-207-1313.

Sunday, November 11—Nilas Martins Dance Company, Patchogue Theatre, 7:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Saturday, November 24 until sell out—Tree & Wreath Sale, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rider Ave.

Sunday, November 25—Jennifer Stumm with Susie Park, Patchogue Theatre, 3:00 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Thursday, November 29—Hospice Tree Lighting, Brookhaven Hospital, Dudley Norton Garden, 631-687-4483.

Thursday, December 7—Hydroyum, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.

Friday, December 7 & Saturday, December 8—Christmas Fair, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rider Ave.

Thursday, January 3—Iridesense, Live In The Lobby, Patchogue Theatre, 7:30 p.m., 631-207-1313.



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Open General Meeting  
July 24, Noon  
Gallo Tropical  
Speakers: John Zahr of the Public Relations  
Media Group and  
Mark Shapiro of In Sync Productions  
Topic: Video Marketing

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Ameriprise Financial, George Frenzel, Financial Planning, 100 Motor Parkway, 5th Floor, Suite 1510, Hauppauge, NY 11788, 631-574-2939,  
[www.ameripriseadvisors.com/george.e.frenzel](http://www.ameripriseadvisors.com/george.e.frenzel).

Amity Auto Glass of Patchogue, Kelly Flor, Auto Glass Replacement & Repairs, 319 W. Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-758-2180.

Applebees, Michelle Schmidt, Restaurant, 7 Pearl Ct., Allendale, NJ 07401, 201-818-4669 x303,  
[www.applebees.com](http://www.applebees.com).

Bravo Supermarket, Jose Bonilla, Grocery Store, 179 S. Ocean Ave., Patchogue, NY 11772, 631-363-2913.

Caiati, Garguilo & Green, Scott Salimando, Law Office, 74 Carleton Ave., East Islip, NY 11730, 631-277-4808,  
[www.longislandlaw.com](http://www.longislandlaw.com).

## Meetings

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

July 24—General Meeting, Gallo Tropical, noon, John Zahr of Public Relations Media Group and Mark Shapiro of In Sync Productions speak on Video Marketing.

August 7—Foundation Board, office, 8 a.m.

August 14—Executive Committee, office, 8 a.m.

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

August 28—Chamber General Meeting, Patchogue Village Pool Beach Club, 8 a.m.

September 18—Chamber Annual Meeting, Congregational Church, 8 a.m.

A "Help Wanted" section is available on our chamber website. E-mail your openings to [info@patchoguechamber.com](mailto:info@patchoguechamber.com).

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Gail Hoag, Executive Director



The Patchogue Fire Department was among the participants in the 4th of July parade.



Bobbique's at 70 West Main Street, celebrated its 1st anniversary on June 14. Eric Rifkin is the owner.



Grand Opening ceremonies for the new medical building at 100 Hospital Road was held June 28. The building, across from Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical Center is owned by Damianos Realty Group. The hospital is using two thirds of the building's 55,000 square feet.