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“Standing Woman” by Botero to Stand in the Plaza

“One of the first images I remember upon coming to America in 1977, was a Botero painting. Being able to present his work has been a once in a lifetime experience and a labor of love,” said David Benrimon when explaining his devotion to world-renowned Fernando Botero’s works of art.

David, who owns the 12-foot, bronze sculpture, Botero’s *Donna in Piedi (Standing Woman)*, executed in 2007, has generously made arrangements to loan her and display her in the Village of Great Neck Plaza at the end of the Railroad Station building in a paved area near the former Plaza Café space. It’s his way of giving back to the community. He loves Great Neck and thinks that this gift will be making a major statement that our Village supports the arts. Says Mayor Jean Celender, “*The Standing Woman*” looks gorgeous here and is an attraction that will bring people to the Plaza during the holidays, a time when we look to encourage more visitors and foot traffic in our downtown to help our local retailers. What a significant piece of artwork to adorn our village!”

David’s gallery, David Benrimon Fine Art, with locations at 79 Middle Neck Road in Great Neck and 21 East 65th Street in New York City, was founded to advise collectors and investors on today’s dynamic art world. Specializing in Impressionist, Modern and established Contemporary artists, the gallery focuses on the acquisition and sale of original paintings and sculptures by a wide range of distinguished artists. In recent years, David has become a foremost dealer in important oils by Fernando Botero, setting records for the artist two consecutive years at auction and some of the largest Botero paintings ever produced.

Botero has gained international prestige and fame with his sculptural work, featuring his signature corpulent men and women. The idealized rotund figures universalize Botero’s vision of beauty and gracefulness. They portray a rare irony because the rounded stomachs and undefined arms and legs are hardly the first things associated with grace, and yet the sculptures, as seen by the viewer, are striking and elegant. There is something inviting and enchanting about these figures.

This significant sculpture by Fernando Botero has been displayed in a plaza in Milan, Italy, as well as in front of Rockefeller Center in New York City last year. She is now on display at the Great Neck train station, as shown below. Come see her and be delighted!



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Message From Mayor Jean

Dear Friends,

At this time of year I want to take this opportunity to offer my greetings and best wishes for a wonderful holiday season and in the year ahead. It's hard to believe that another year is coming to an end. It is also an appropriate time to take stock, recap what has taken place throughout the year, and plan for times ahead. In doing so, I am always reminded of how fortunate we are here in this village and Great Neck community. There is much to be thankful for, including our dedicated Village staff and the fine people who make this village a great place to live, work and shop.

This year though, in a time of a national recession, no doubt times are difficult. It is hard not to know someone, a family member, relative or friend who has been deeply affected by the loss of a job, having to drastically cut back in spending or to have suffered losses in the stock market and in their retirement accounts.

We, in village government, are mindful of these difficult times, and likewise have made every effort to curb spending, not increase the village tax rate (two years in a row with a zero increase in our tax rate), improve productivity through upgrading our computer hardware and software, new initiatives that are less labor intensive, contracting out work that saves taxpayer money, demanding hard work from our staff and having volunteer labor of interns from our community. Through all of these measures, our Village has never been stronger both fiscally and productivity-wise.

In the last newsletter I introduced a national program called the 3/50 Project, which encourages consumers to spend a minimum of \$50 in 3 local, independently-owned Great Neck Plaza shops this holiday season. We have always encouraged our residents to "Shop in Great Neck" and frequent our many fine retail stores, restaurants and service establishments (www.the350project.net).

In this most difficult retail climate it is even more important than ever to shop locally. What 3 stores would you miss if they disappeared? Stop in, say "hello," and spend \$50 each month to save our local economy. I hope you have noticed our banner displayed on Middle Neck Road regarding "Take Pride in Great Neck." Part of the message is about supporting our local merchants, which goes a long way to ensure the Plaza has a vibrant downtown shopping district, as well as helps maintain the strong, stable housing prices in the surrounding residential neighborhoods. This banner, which we designed, was shared with the Village of Great Neck and the Great Neck Chamber of Commerce and is also displayed further north on Middle Neck Road to spread this theme throughout the Great Neck peninsula.

Please be safe and enjoy everything this holiday season has to offer. But also be mindful that motor vehicle crashes involving an alcohol-impaired driver kill or injure hundreds of people a day in the U.S. During the month of December, National Drunk and Drugged Driving Prevention Month (3D), consider what you can do to make injuries and deaths from impaired driving less of a threat. Following are tips from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) that can help you stay safe:

- Plan ahead. Always designate a non-drinking driver before any holiday party or celebration begins.
- Take the keys. Do not let a friend drive if they are impaired. Be a helpful host. If you are hosting a party this holiday season, remind your guests to plan ahead and designate their sober driver, always offer alcohol-free beverages, and make sure all of your guests leave with a sober driver.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees and staff, we wish you and your family good health and a happy New Year.



E-Newsletter

Receive News and Information via E-mail
Join Mayor Jean's E-Newsletter!

If you would like to receive news and information from our office pertaining to our Village, including this newsletter by e-mail, fill out the form below and return it to us at Village Hall. Coming soon, you will also be able to go on-line and register on the Village's web site. The submitted information will be used solely by the Mayor's office to keep you current on important matters.

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Energy Assistance Benefits to Elderly/ Low Income Families

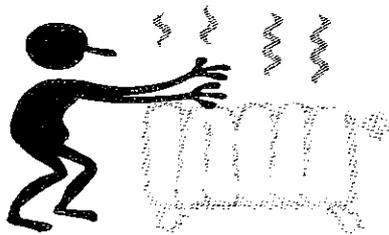
New York State's Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) provides energy assistance benefits that elderly and low-income households rely upon to keep their homes comfortably warm in the winter.

HEAP is a program administered through the State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) to aid eligible households in meeting their home energy needs.

This season the maximum regular benefit a household can receive is \$700. In addition, OTDA has increased eligibility levels to the maximum currently allowed under law. For example, a family of four with a household income of as much as \$46,837 would be eligible for assistance this year. Last winter, New York issued more than 1.5 million HEAP benefits to low-income households.

Income eligible households in New York can receive one regular HEAP benefit per season and could also be eligible for an emergency benefit if they are in impending danger of running out of fuel or having their utility services shut off. Applications were mailed to all households that received a HEAP benefit during the 2008-09 season, and such applications may be returned by mail without the need for the household to visit their local office. New applicants may apply at their local department of social services beginning today.

See if you are eligible for HEAP and other benefits at <https://www.mybenefits.ny.gov/selfservice/>.



Protect Yourself from the Swine Flu

"I encourage all residents to be aware of the difference between cold and flu symptoms. Knowledge is power, and in this case, can save your life. It's important to know immediately if you have swine flu so you begin to receive treatment and not infect those around you. Often people with swine flu symptoms mistakenly think they only have a cold," says Nassau County Legislator Judi Bosworth.

The symptoms for a cold are: a hacking cough, slight muscle aches, stuffy nose, mild fatigue, sneezing and often a headache. These cold symptoms develop and

worsen over a few days. Whereas the symptoms for the swine flu are: a fever, a dry cough, severe muscle aches, the chills, moderate fatigue, sneezing, never a stuffy nose, no sore throat, and rarely a headache. These symptoms develop in three to six hours, combined with severe chest discomfort.

The flu spreads mainly from person-to-person through coughing or sneezing of infected people. Wash your hands often with soap and water, or use alcohol-based hand sanitizers. Stay home if you feel sick to limit contact with others and keep from

infecting them. Avoid crowds, cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze, then throw the tissue in the trash after you use it. Doorknobs are a collection site for germs; use a tissue to open all doors, use tissues to turn on faucets in public restrooms as well.

Call the Nassau County Department of Health at 888/684-4271 or use their Hotline: www.health.state.ny.us/diseases/communicable/influenza/h1n1/. For immunization sites call the Flu Hotline at 227-8967, and stay informed to keep healthy.

SENIOR CITIZEN RENT INCREASE EXEMPTION

Since 1975 the Village of Great Neck Plaza has had a program to help eligible senior citizens remain in their apartments by regulating the rent. Landlords of these apartments, under this program, receive 100% of the legally increased rent. The Village subsidizes the difference between the amount formerly paid and the increase.

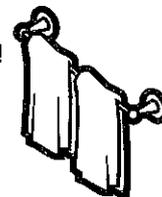
Eligibility is limited to heads of households, 62 years of age or older, whose total yearly household income does not exceed \$24,000, and have been a resident of their Village ETPA (Emergency Tenant Protection Act of 1974) apartment building for at least two years. Luxury apartments do not qualify. Anyone wishing information on this program may contact the Commissioner of Housing, Sheryl De Los Rios Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 4:30 PM.

For those who are already on the SCRIE (Senior Citizen Rent Increase Exemption) program, this is a reminder to bring in your end statements and lease renewals to continue receiving the abatement.

PLEASE THROW IN A TOWEL!

The towel doesn't have to be new, just clean. In addition to the hundreds of meals served daily to families and individuals, the Interfaith Nutritional Network also provides showers for those who have no other facilities. The towels are then donated to the individual. Donations have decreased due to the economy and there are times that no towels are available. Our mayor, Jean Celender, has agreed to run a towel drive. Beginning in January there will be a receptacle in Village Hall for you to donate your towels.

If you can spare a bar of soap as well, that'd be great!



Resident Parking & Pedestrian Safety Committee Helps Shape Traffic Safety

The Village of Great Neck Plaza Resident Parking and Pedestrian Safety Committee attended the public information meetings held on the conceptual design plans for two major improvement projects that the Village is currently undertaking with partial federal grant funding. These projects are the Barstow Road/North Station Plaza and Linden Place Traffic Calming Project and the Middle Neck Road Pedestrian and Bicyclist Transportation Enhancement Project (TEP). The issues discussed were: slowing down motorists at the train station; improving bicycle parking at the station, improving the appearance of the streets/sidewalks enhancing pedestrian safety, and to provide an area for public art in that location. The VGNP Resident Parking and Pedestrian Comm. was on hand to support these projects for providing improvements that calm traffic and improve pedestrian safety by constructing medians, shortening crossing distances and providing more visible crosswalks.

We encourage all residents to visit our website at www.greatneckplaza.net and look under the heading "Items of Interest" for details of these two Village Transportation Improvement Projects. The PowerPoint presentations and design plans are included there for your perusal. We welcome your review and comments of these materials. Please give your input to the Mayor and Board of Trustees. Your feedback/suggestions on these projects to improve the quality of life in the Plaza is of utmost importance to the Board of Trustees.



ment to improve pedestrian safety and accessibility. The authors complain that municipalities, primarily focused on the state level, aren't spending enough to make roads safer for people who are on foot, on a bike or in a wheelchair. Entitled *Dangerous by Design: Solving the Epidemic of Preventable Pedestrian Deaths (and Making Great Neighborhoods)*, the report found that, of the 9,168 pedestrian deaths in 2007-2008 where the accident site is known, over 40 percent occurred where pedestrians failed to use a crosswalk. Only one in 10 deaths occurred in a crosswalk, according to the report, and 60 percent took place on arterial roads where the speed limit was at least 40 miles per hour. The report also features techniques for enhancing pedestrian safety nationwide. These include incorporating such traffic calming techniques as roundabouts and reconfigured road alignments to slow down drivers; and adopting "complete streets" policies whereby equal access and priority are given to all modes of travel from walking to driving.

We are proud of our record for undertaking these traffic calming projects and the fact that the Plaza is an innovative, leading village in the implementation of traffic calming and transportation enhancement projects. There is no other village, in either Nassau or Suffolk Counties, that has obtained or implemented more of these important safety and walkable communities initiatives than the Village of Great Neck Plaza. We have finished or are completing close to 3 million dollars obtained during the past eight years that includes five (5) federal transportation grant monies, with only a small percentage of the funds being expended with village taxpayer monies, and not requiring taxes to be increased to implement these grants. The leveraging of grant monies to make necessary and important safety and infrastructure improvement projects is not only good governance, it will save money down the road for future infrastructure improvements when these are needed.

By using traffic calming techniques like reconfiguring road alignments, road diets such as reducing a travel lane as we did on Great Neck Road, and installing visible crosswalks, barriers like the Barstow Road modern roundabout to slow drivers, our streets have become more accessible, and motorists more compliant. Providing pedestrian count-down signals and other features, which we assisted Nassau County in a pilot project in our Great Neck Road project, is the new standard being adopted in the County when signals are upgraded on their roadways. We are making our streets safer for walking, biking and safer for our children. To review a copy of this report, and the village's major traffic calming initiatives, visit our website at www.greatneckplaza.net, under "Items of Interest."

Star Performer Nomination Form

The "Star Performer" Ceremony will be on January 14, 2010 at 9:30 A.M. If you wish to nominate a "Star Performer," please fill out the form below, return it, and we will invite you and your "Star" to attend.

Name of your nominee: _____

Their employer _____

Employer's Phone # _____

Four words that best describe the nominee: _____

My name & phone number: _____

If you wish to nominate a Star Performer send this form to:
Carol Teplin, Village of Great Neck Plaza, 2 Gussack Plaza, Great Neck, NY 11022.

TRAFFIC CALMING HELPS MAKE SAFER STREETS

STATION BRANCH LIBRARY

By Pamela Marksheid, Trustee

The Mayor and Trustees of the Village of Great Neck Plaza have been very active in maintaining the location of the Station Branch of the Great Neck Library. Although it was not publicly disclosed, the Library was seriously considering relocating the Station Branch, from the Gardens Shopping Center to Great Neck Estates.

Your government officials learned of this possible move when the landlord of the shopping center appeared at our Village meeting for another issue. Both the Mayor and I immediately called the Director of the Library to discuss this possibility. We were told that the rent was too high and the space inadequate. We contacted the landlord who was willing to discuss both issues and the Village offered its help in acting as a mediator. The Director of the Library told me that there is a 3 minute open microphone at the end of each meeting and people could then address this.

Since the next Great Neck Library meeting was only a few days away, we mobilized as many of our residents as possible. I wrote a letter that was posted in many of our apartment buildings, brought petitions to both of our senior living homes, and left copies at the Station Branch for walk-ins to read. Our great residents reacted swiftly and forcefully. There were over 100 residents appearing at the Library meeting, all to discuss their outrage about the possible move. Representing the Great Neck Plaza Government, I read a letter voicing our indignation and explaining all the reasons why the Station Branch should stay at its current location in the Gardens shopping center. I also presented petitions containing over 200 names of our senior citizens who are able to walk to the library now but not if it was relocated. We are hopeful that all of our voices were heard. I have spoken to a Trustee of the Library who said the Library is trying to now work with the landlord to possibly find another space in the shopping center.

Although the Mayor and the Trustees are greatly involved in this issue, we need you, the residents, to also continue to express your viewpoints and keep up the pressure. The Station Branch is a vital and heavily used library. Let us continue to work together and keep it located where our residents can easily use it.

Trustees Pam Marksheid and Gerry Schneiderman at the Station Branch of the Great Neck Library



Texting and the Use of Cell Phones While Driving

By Sheldon M. Goodman, Ph.D., Safety Consultant

While this article will inevitably cause some of our residents to raise their eyebrows in disbelief and even anger, it is crucial that it be written. I would like it to be the opening of a dialogue that can begin in our Newsletter. The consequences are too grave not to proceed. The Virginia Tech Transportation Institute did a study tracking drivers who text and it revealed they are more than twenty times more likely to be involved in a collision as non-distracted drivers. The study found that texting takes a drivers eyes off the road for 4.6 seconds, long enough to blindly travel the length of a football field. While it may seem to be a gross oversimplification, texting is considered by many researchers to be more dangerous than drunken driving. Talking or texting on either hand-held or hands-free devices causes "inattention blindness." You simply do not process the information that is falling upon your eyes.

"I can handle it" is often heard by cell phone/texting proponents, as it is often stated by the social drinker. People tend to view time behind the wheel as idle time, when they should be focusing on their driving skills. There have been many public calls for us to take more responsibility for our actions, from limiting energy use to wasteful spending to quitting smoking. The same type of thinking must be applied to responsible cell phone use when behind the wheel of our car.

The new technologies that help us multitask in our everyday lives, and increasingly popular social media sites, present a hard-to-resist challenge to the typically safe driver. Cell phones can be wonderful devices that have become totally embedded in our society. They help us feel connected in the ever increasing world we live in, that is plagued on so many levels with estrangement and alienation, brought upon by a multitude of social, political, and economic problems. If they are not regulated they can kill. To put the problem in a frightening social context, a report by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration revealed that six thousand people died and more than 500,000 were injured in 2008 crashes involving a distracted driver. No one would question banning drinking and driving or aver that it is an infringement on personal freedom. However, if you mention texting and driving there seems to be a great deal of debate. The issue has been called by some as the "next frontier" in the battle against bad driving. Some have offered that cell phone bans are not enforceable. Others argue that drivers do all sorts of distracting things when they are behind the wheel like eating, arguing with their children in the back seat or listening to music, so it makes little sense to outlaw just this one activity.

So let me hear from you (e-mail me at smg4safety@aol.com) and let us begin in our quest to make the Village of Great Neck Plaza an even more safe and desirable place to live and work. Thank you.

Editor's note: New York State law forbids the reading, writing or sending of messages while driving, effective Nov.1, 2009. The law, signed in August by Gov. Paterson, comes as officials nationwide are expressing increasing concern about distracted driving. However, the law defines texting-while-driving as a secondary infraction, meaning a driver must be stopped for something else for a police officer to issue a ticket for illicit texting. Anyone caught violating this law is subject to a fine of \$150.

Vigilant Volunteers Conduct R.O.C.O. Rope Training on Plaza Centre Garage

By Vigilant Firefighter Steven Neuhaus



On the weekends of October 17th and 24th, the Great Neck Vigilant Fire Company conducted a rope operations training class for its membership. The 50 hour class, intended to teach firefighters to access, package, and remove victims from both high angle and confined space scenarios, was organized and run through R.O.C.O., a ropes training company based in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Throughout the course firefighters were trained on various rope operations, as well as proper removal of victims in emergency situations. Firefighters received certification in ROCO.

For more information about the Vigilants, visit their website at www.vigilantfd.com.

VGNP Storm Water Program

Why is stormwater runoff a problem?

Our village is part of a stormwater runoff permit program regulated by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation under the EPA Phase II stormwater program. Improving the quality of our stormwater runoff is a goal of this program since debris, chemicals, dirt and other pollutants and flow into a storm sewer eventually will enter our nearby creeks, wetlands and coastal surface waters. We can all do our part to make sure we don't pollute and that we ensure nothing but rainfall and snow melt enters into our storm drains and is discharged untreated into the water bodies we use for swimming, fishing, recreating.

The EPA web site has many useful brochures that can be downloaded for detailed descriptions of pollution solutions. One such brochure describes lawn care, pet waste, residential landscaping, erosion control and auto care. Please take a moment to visit the site at www.epa.gov/nps/toolbox/other/after_the_storm.pdf.

Plaza Courtroom Gallery Presents: "The Hamptons and Beyond: An Artistic Journey"

The Village of Great Neck Plaza is proud to present their new art show, which debuted in the Plaza Courtroom Gallery last week with an Artists Reception. Curated by Great Neck resident Irwin Levy and Esperanza Leon, the owner of the Solar Contemporary Art & Design Gallery in East Hampton. Esperanza, originally from Venezuela, named her gallery "Solar" because in Spanish it has many different meanings. It is the word for sunshine, gathering place, courtyard, and bring people together, to name a few. When she wanted to form this company and do exhibits which are out of the ordinary and bring people together from many different places, the word Solar kept coming into her head.

The show features the delightful work of photographer Dalton Portella, whose three works on display are so interesting, not only from his sensitive composition and extraordinarily talented eye, but the way he uses paper, how he prints the images and varies the framing of each of them. Terry Elkins paints in oil and utilizes the style of collage, using antique-style maps mounted on panel pieces which entice the viewer to look closely for the hidden meaning contained in each work. Grant Haffner uses acrylic, marker, pencil and paint-pen on wood panel as he depicts the twisting roads and landscapes of the South Fork, which dominate his colorful paintings, revealing the intersection of sky and road.

Irwin Levy wrote, "I'd like to thank all who attended the Opening Reception of "The Hamptons and Beyond: An Artistic Journey" at the Great Neck Plaza Village Hall Wednesday, October 21. I invite the public to see the exhibit weekdays from 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM. For a personal tour of the exhibit with me, call 516-456-1337, or email irwintlevy@gmail.com



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Plaza Veterans Honored on Nov. 11th

by Ted M. Rosen, Deputy Mayor

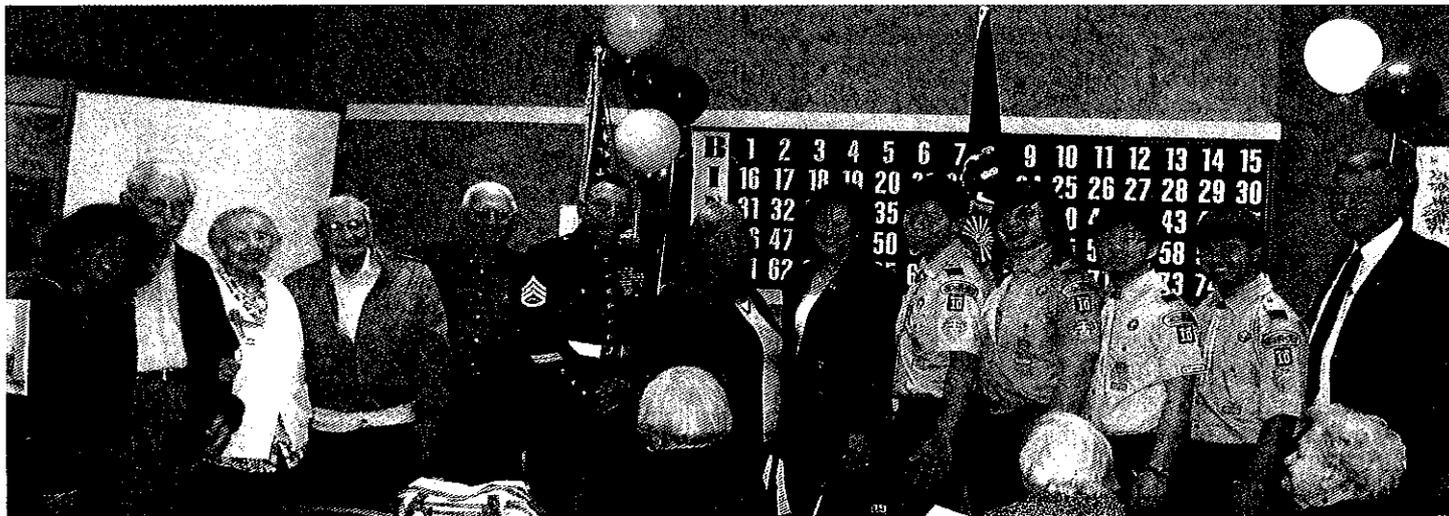
Patriotism and love of country filled the air as the Village of Great Neck Plaza held a special tribute to our veterans on Veterans Day, November 11, 2009, at the Atria Great Neck and also at the Atria Cutter Mill. The program began with a color guard from Boy Scout Troop 10, which opened the program with a Procession and Posting of the Nations' Colors, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Sarah Denard, a nursing student at Queensborough Community College, led the singing of the National Anthem. Rabbi Lisa Rubin of Temple Beth-El provided the convocation, blessing our veterans and the men and women in the armed services on active duty today.

The Mayor then introduced Ed Rieff, a veteran himself who volunteers by therapeutically reading his poetry to soldiers returning from Iraq. Mr. Rieff read two of his poems and Mayor Celender presented him with proclamations from the Village and from Congressman Gary Ackerman and thanked him for all he did and continues to do for our country.

There was a special tribute to Eugene Steinberg who served in WWII. His widow Ruth, donated the 48-star flag, which had been presented to her from the U.S. Army as a widow of a WWII veteran, to the Village of Great Neck Plaza in Mr. Steinberg's memory. Several of the Boy Scouts ceremoniously unfurled the flag and then folded it in the traditional style of the armed forces. The Mayor said that the flag will be proudly displayed in Village Hall.

Mayor Celender then invited U.S. Marine Staff Sergeant Justino Vasquez to help give out the proclamations from the village as well as proclamations from Congressman Gary Ackerman, to all the veterans and home front workers who were being honored. Deputy Mayor Rosen called upon the Boy Scouts to ceremoniously "Retire the Colors," after which Trustee Pam Marksheid gave special recognition to people whose spouses had served in WWII and were now deceased.

Mayor Celender thanked everyone for attending and expressed gratitude to Marcie Klein, Babs Mohel, Gayle Alles and Norman Wasserman, from the Atria's of Great Neck for their help in coordinating and hosting this wonderful event. She also thanked Mel Sachs, the founder of the Great Neck Veterans Club, the scouts from Boy Scout Troop 10 and Congressman Gary Ackerman and his staff for preparing the beautiful certificates from his office.



Great Neck Senior Center Veterans Group

Men and women Veterans of World War II and Korea meet once a month every second Friday at the Great Neck Senior Center, 80 Grace Avenue at 1:30 PM for refreshments and a speaker.

Need information? Call Mel Sachs, Coordinator of the Veterans Group, at the Senior Center at 487-0025 and join this exciting, exhilarating group of Veterans. Share your story with them!

Entré Raising Money for Charity

A local café at 10 Grace Avenue, Entré, donated 10% of their sales on October 23rd to The Great Neck Breast Cancer Coalition, a community-based organization with programs all year round regarding breast cancer. Store owner, Cris Murphy, stated "I was looking for a way to give back to the Great Neck community, and felt it appropriate to support a local organization in October for Breast Cancer Awareness Month." Entré is now offering dinner specials every night. So if you love their breakfast and lunches, stop by and try their new dinner entrees. Give it a try!

For more information on the work of The Great Neck Breast Cancer Coalition, visit their website at www.greatneckbcc.org.

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Dates to Remember:

Menorah Lighting 5:30 PM on Monday, December 14 at the Great Neck Chamber Kiosk

Tree Lighting date and site to be announced, call the Village or check our website: www.greatneckplaza.net

January 14, Star Performer Award Ceremony, 9:30 AM in VGNP Courtroom

The Plaza Welcomes New Merchants

The Village is happy to welcome the following businesses that have opened in the Plaza. Stop in and greet these merchants and say "hello." They bring vitality, diversity and new life to our community.

If you are a new storeowner in town, or have new management or changed locations, the Plaza would be happy to provide a free Ribbon Cutting Ceremony to celebrate your opening or re-opening. Call Carol Teplin at the Village, 482-4500, and she will help coordinate one with you. Some recent additions are as follows:

- Banyan Asian Fusion Hibachi Restaurant, 31 Middle Neck Road
- Dashing Diva Nail Salon and Spa, 30 Middle Neck Road
- Café Aroma, Gelato & more at 8 Bond Street
- Lola Tapas Restaurant, 113 Middle Neck Road
- Levanthal Clothing Store, 83 Middle Neck Road



Banyan Asian Fusion Hibachi Restaurant and Bar



Dashing Diva Salon