

Grassroots

News from Long Island Cares – The Harry Chapin Food Bank

Summer 2014



Walmart Foundation Announces \$50,000 Grant

\$50,000 Grant for Long Island Cares, Inc. to Develop Mobile School Pantry in Collaboration with Brentwood School District

The Walmart Foundation's New York State Giving Council has awarded \$50,000 to Long Island Cares to help to establish the organization's first **Mobile School Pantry** at the Brentwood Union Free School District. The Mobile School Pantry program will work to alleviate child hunger through the provision of food to children and families at seven of the district's elementary schools.

"We're very grateful to Walmart for their continued support of our work," said Paule T. Pachter, Chief Executive Officer of Long Island Cares, Inc. "Walmart has been a consistent and generous corporate partner of Long Island Cares, Inc. – The Harry Chapin Food Bank, and their most recent grant to support our new School Pantry program with the Brentwood School District will enable us to provide critical support to many children

who face the challenges of food insecurity on a daily basis."

Brentwood is the largest school district on Long Island with over 17,000 students actively registered. Brentwood has 11 elementary schools in which 60% or more of the children are currently enrolled in free or reduced breakfast and lunch programs.



Jessica Rosati, Chief Program Officer for Long Island Cares expressed her excitement about getting this new

program started. "We are so grateful to the Walmart Foundation. With over 100,000 children residing on Long Island who experience food insecurity it becomes imperative for the food bank to respond. It is our hope that we can ease the burden on Long Island children and their families by ensuring their food needs are met."

INSIDE ISSUES



Paule T. Pachter,
Chief Executive Officer
Long Island Cares, Inc.

New Hunger in America Study Reveals that Long Islanders Are Still Struggling

We've all heard the reports from our elected leaders that the economy is improving. Although this might be true for some people, according to the recent *Hunger in America* study released by Feeding America this is certainly not the case on Long Island

where more than 316,000 people are still struggling with hunger and food insecurities.

The findings of the latest *Hunger in America 2014* study report describes that over ten-percent of Long Islanders are still making difficult choices when it comes to providing food on their tables or taking care of other important, basic needs. In spite of an economy that might be improving in certain parts of

the country, too many Long Islanders are caught in a vicious cycle having to rely upon local pantries, soup kitchens and food banks to provide their daily or weekly meals. In fact, in recent years more families are turning to their local pantries to provide them regularly with groceries as opposed to just requesting emergency food assistance.

Among the significant findings of the Feeding America report for Long Island are that nearly one-third of all people facing hunger in Nassau and Suffolk County are between the ages of 30-49, which should represent a demographic that are healthy and employable. Forty-three percent of the population in need also come from households of between 4-6 members, which illustrates that hunger is affecting many more families in suburbia. Nearly two-thirds of the population in need speak English as their primary language, which would dispel the myth that most of the hungry on Long Island are undocumented immigrants or foreigners. Sixty-four percent of the families surveyed reside in rented apartments or rooms, which can drive people to pantries and soup kitchens because

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First Ever Zydeco Riverboat Cruise Culminates Annual Day Of Making A Difference

C.J. Chenier and The Red Hot Louisiana Band a Huge Hit!

It was Zydeco music on the Great South Bay as Long Island Cares, Inc. presented "The Zydeco Riverboat Cruise" featuring **C.J. Chenier and the Red Hot Louisiana Band** as culmination for a full day of activities on their **Annual Day of Making A Difference** held July 16th.

Held aboard the Lauren Kristy paddlewheel boat, the cruise left from the Bay Shore Marina at 6:00 pm, sailing across the Great South Bay and along the shorelines of Fire Island. Guests enjoyed a Cajun inspired buffet dinner, cocktails, and wore their Mardi Gras beads proudly. Although the day started with clouds and showers it turned out to be a beautiful evening for a boat ride!

Live music was provided by "The Price of Zydeco" himself, C.J. Chenier who makes his home in Port Arthur, Texas.

The son of the late Clifton Chenier, who is considered by many to be the undisputed "King of Zydeco," C.J. Chenier has risen through the ranks of Louisiana Zydeco music to earn the title, "The Prince of Zydeco." Whether he's performing live with his Red Hot Louisiana Band or recording a new album in the studio, C.J. Chenier takes the hard-driving music to new heights with his powerful voice and command of the accordion. He expanded his popularity along the Texas-



Louisiana crawfish circuit to become one of the premier Zydeco touring acts both in North America and abroad. C.J. appeared as a guest artist on numerous albums including Paul Simon's "Rhythm of the Saints," and the Gin Blossom's "New Miserable Experience" album.

C.J. Chenier



The Lauren Kristy paddlewheel boat

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Long Island Cares Announces Third Annual

Children's Concert for Hunger Awareness featuring Tom Chapin & Friends

Long Island Cares, Inc. and NBTY Helping Hands are teaming up again to present the **Third Annual Concert for Children's Hunger Awareness** featuring **Tom Chapin & Friends** at the NYCB Theatre at Westbury on **Tuesday, October 7, 2014**.

This free event is open to all Long Island school children in grades 1-4. Last year, 24 local school districts joined us at the NYCB Theatre at Westbury with 2,800 children in the audience. All of the children and their teachers received a special lesson plan prepared by Tom Chapin addressing the issue of children's hunger and good nutrition. The children also received free t-shirts, and they donated more than 4,000 pounds of food to support The Harry Chapin Food Bank.

As a result of the continued generosity of our corporate partners at NBTY Helping Hands, this year's concert will be just as exciting as our first two. Long Island Cares, Inc. and our sponsors will provide stipends for transportation services, t-shirts, lyrics and other support for the children and teachers to attend. The children will also receive fresh fruit and nutritious snacks after the show, courtesy of our corporate partners at Stop & Shop.

Once again, we expect to sell out very quickly and encourage all schools interested in attending to reserve their tickets early by emailing Claire Fratello at cfratello@licares.org or by calling (631) 582-3663 x 102. Tickets are also available to the public while they last.

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Marcum LLP Once Again Names Long Island Cares, Inc. As One of 3 Local Charities To Benefit From The 2014 Marcum Workplace Challenge

For the fourth year in a row, **Marcum LLP**, one of the largest independent public accounting and advisory services firms in the nation and the largest accounting firm on Long Island, selected Long Island Cares, Inc.—The Harry Chapin Food Bank as one of three Long Island charities benefitting from **The Marcum Workplace Challenge** that was held Tuesday, July 29, 2014 at Jones Beach State Park.

More than 200 companies were represented and more than 9,000 runners competed in the 3.5 mile run/walk. The Marcum Workplace Challenge, celebrated as the region's "largest office picnic," is also Long Island's largest participatory event. Participating organizations include businesses, non-profits and governmental agencies representing almost every industry in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. "The Marcum Workplace Challenge is a highlight of the year because it brings the business community out in a way that doesn't happen with any other event. It is a great way to build comraderie, support organizations like Long Island Cares, and just have some old fashion fun," said Carolyn Mazzenga, partner-in-charge of Marcum's Melville office.

According to Long Island Cares' Executive Director Paule Pachter, "We're extremely grateful to our partners at Marcum LLP



for selecting us again as one of the local charities to benefit from this incredible event. It's wonderful to have the opportunity to promote our efforts to assist the hungry on Long Island before so many people."

This year, for the first time Long Island Cares sponsored its own team of runners and walkers of 30 staff, Board and volunteer members: Team LICARES.

Dee Snider served as celebrity starter for the Marcum Challenge, a pre-cursor to his Annual Ride to Fight Hunger to benefit Long Island Cares taking place on September 7th at Lido Beach Park.

Happenings...



We are very thankful for everybody who came to **"The Faces of Hunger"** Art Exhibit during the month of July! We would also like to thank BACCA and artist Lewis Isaac Testa for their continued and outstanding support of Long Island Cares! From Left to Right: William E. Goryou, Program Center Manager (Long Island Cares), Carol Gandarillas, Art Director (BACCA), Antoinette Maiorini, Assistant (BACCA), Dolores Tafuir, Board Member (BACCA), Hon. Anthony Tafuri, Board Member (BACCA), Lewis Isaac Testa, Artist (Art Feeds Hunger), and Paule T. Pachter, Chief Executive Officer (Long Island Cares).



Long Island Cares' own **Kerry Tooker** was honored at the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary School Mother's Day Tea on May 10th for her work with the school's **Kids Café Program**. As our Child Nutrition Program Specialist, Kerry assists the program which is sponsored by the **Our Family Foundation by Stop & Shop** by bringing nutritious meals and nutrition education to the children. She is pictured here (L-R) with Suffolk County Legislator DuWayne Gregory, Wyandanch School Board of Education Trustee Charlie Reed, and her well-deserved plaque.



Long Island Cares was proud to attend the **Nassau County Veteran Stand Down** presented by County Executive **Ed Mangano** and Nassau County's **Veterans Service Agency**. We had the privilege of distributing 1,432 lbs. of fresh produce (oranges, pears, corn, broccoli, and carrots) to 102 veterans.



As part of **Nick Cannon's Take Over Food Drive**, Nick Cannon took over the East Setauket Elementary School as Principal for a Day! In first place, the school raised 26,732 pounds of food for Long Island Cares! Here (doing announcements) he promised no school for the following week (it was spring break) and no homework for the rest of the year! Well, the no school part was right!

Annual "Sneakers & Sandals Beach Ball" a Huge Success

It was game on for Long Island's summer social season, when **Coach Mo Cassara** and **News 12's Elisa DiStefano** hosted their annual "Sneakers & Sandals Beach Ball" to benefit Long Island Cares, Inc.- the Harry Chapin Food Bank.

Approximately 200 guests watched the the sun set over the bay at The Buoy Bar in Point Lookout while they enjoyed signature cocktails, an array of delicious passed hor'deurves and danced to live music and DJ and MC Echo of the Echo Agency. The event raised over \$11,000 to help Long Island Cares assist the 320,000 Long Islanders who are hungry and food insecure! Out thanks to Coach Mo and Elisa for hosting this fabulous event!



Coach Mo Cassara and News 12's Elisa DiStefano

ShopRite Partners in Caring Provides \$60,000 Grant to Long Island Cares, Inc.

For the fifteenth year in a row, the **Wakefern Food Corporation** has awarded a generous grant of \$60,000 to Long Island Cares, Inc. - The Harry Chapin Food Bank through its **ShopRite Partners in Caring Program**. The ShopRite Partners in Caring dollars are used to purchase food for various food pantries in Long Island Cares' network that are located in towns served by ShopRite stores.

Paule Pachter, Chief Executive Officer of Long Island Cares expressed his gratitude for the Wakefern Food Corporation's continued and substantial support. Since its founding in 1999, the ShopRite Partners In Caring Program has donated \$20 million to more than 1,400 charities, including emergency food pantries, soup kitchens, homeless shelters, child



care centers, battered women's shelters, senior citizen programs, drug rehab centers, programs for the mentally and physically disabled, after-school programs and other organizations that aid those in need.

"It is no surprise that the demand for food support has grown tremendously over the past few years. Fortunately, ShopRite's Partners In Caring donation helps us as we try to keep up with these rising requests for assistance. It is rewarding to work with such a committed corporation and to witness the impact their generosity has had on our communities. There are several local ShopRite owner families who have been extremely supportive towards our community-based pantries and have made a significant impact in the neighborhoods that serve."

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Long Island rents are too expensive. Nearly twenty-five percent of the population in need also possess a four-year college degree or more, while forty-six percent are currently unemployed. So who is benefitting from the improved economy on Long Island? Over forty-six percent of the population earns less than \$20,000 per year. The most significant finding of the *Hunger in America Study* lies in the trade-offs that Long Islanders are making just to survive. Seventy-five percent report that they make choices between paying for transportation and putting food on their tables. The same percentage has to choose between food and paying for their utilities. Sixty-seven percent choose between rent and food, and the same percentage chooses between food and paying for their prescription medications.

When it comes to hunger and food insecurity on Long Island, the problem is as close as your front door. The reported 316,000 people in need does not include children participating in certain supplemental food programs such as weekend meals or Kids Cafés, both of which Long Island Cares operates. It also doesn't capture all of the programs that provide emergency food support to people in need. Therefore the number of people affected by hunger and food insecurity on Long Island is much higher than the 316,000 reported in 2014 or the 320,000 reported in 2010. Harry Chapin said that, "Hunger is a shame in America," and that's why he founded Long Island Cares in 1980. Clearly, in 2014 hunger has become a shame on Long Island.

Thank You to All of Our Food Drive Donors!

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Long Island Cares, Inc. Receives Fair Media Council Folio Award

“Best Use of Social Media By a Non-Profit Corporation”

Long Island Cares, Inc. received the *Fair Media Council's Folio Award* for Best in Social Media by a Non-Profit Corporation at the FMC's Annual Folio Awards Luncheon on Friday, April 25 at the Crest Hollow Country Club. The award recognized Long Island Cares' use of several social media platforms to communicate information on the topic of hunger, promote their special events, and educate the public about the broad range of community services provided by the regional food bank and hunger network.

According to *Jaci Clement*, Executive Director of the Fair Media Council, "FMC Folio Awards are judged by the ultimate critic of social media campaigns, the public. The judges evaluate the entries on a variety of criteria, the most important of which is relevance to the community. The Long Island Cares' campaign successfully executed the organization's mission and beautifully

illustrated the public's need for its work in a way that strongly resonated with FMC judges, who represent the Long Island community at large. It's great to see nonprofit organizations using social media effectively, and Long Island Cares has set a new standard for all organizations – nonprofits and corporates – and what they can achieve with focused and strategic communications."

"We were extremely honored to be recognized with a Folio Award for our use of social media including our new website, Facebook page, Twitter postings, and our weekly e-blasts," said Robin Amato, Long Island Cares' Chief Development Officer and Communications Director. "There are more than 20,000 people from all walks of life that follow Long Island Cares through our various social media programs, and as a result the we have increased awareness about hunger and food insecurity to a very broad audience."

Harry Always Had a Way With Words



Long Island Cares has rolled out our latest T-Shirt featuring one of Harry's lesser known quotes but it does get his point across! The new T shirts come in all sizes, in black only. The new T shirts can be purchased for a donation of \$20 at our community events or by calling 631-582-3663. This is a wonderful opportunity to add to your tee shirt collection, support your regional food bank and maybe get a conversation started!

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November 5Annual Harry Chapin Humanitarian Awards Dinner
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Visit www.licares.org for information about Food Drive Events and ongoing food drives across Long Island!

SAVE THE DATE

TUESDAY MAY 12

19th Annual Long Island Cares' Golf Classic

At the Meadow Brook Club, Jericho, NY
Honoring Suffolk County National Bank
For more information call 631-582-3663 Ext 104

