



# Councilwoman Valerie M. Cartright

First Council District, Town of Brookhaven

Winter 2019-2020 Council District Update



Greetings,

Happy Holidays! I hope that this message finds you well. 'Tis the season for celebration with family and friends! Please take a look at some of the upcoming events in the Town of Brookhaven and in Council District One.

As always, I encourage you to contact my office with concerns, suggestions, and to share what you think are the positive aspects of our community. Please continue to work with me to make the First Council District a place we are all proud to call our home.

Best wishes for a Happy New Year,

*Valerie M. Cartright*

Please consider donating to a family in need!

## Live, On-Air Toy Drive

Friday, December 13th • 7:00AM- 5:00PM  
Town Hall, 1 Independence Hill, Farmingville

JVC Broadcasting radio stations will broadcast live from Town Hall to promote the Town's INTERFACE Toy Drive. Those who stop by are asked to donate a new, unwrapped toy to help families in need during the holiday season. For information about drop off locations, please call the Town Youth Bureau at 631-451-8011.



Holiday Dreams is an organization dedicated to bringing presents and hope to the families that need it most during the holidays. By spending a minimum of \$100 on each child and purchasing the gifts that they requested, Holiday Dreams gives children and their families hope during the holidays.

For more information about **Holiday Dreams**, visit <http://www.holidaydreamsli.com/>



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## Town of Brookhaven Events



### Christmas Tree Lighting

Friday, December 6th  
Pre-Show Activities 4:30 PM  
Tree Lighting 6:00 PM  
Holtsville Ecology Site  
249 Buckley Road, Holtsville

Kick off the holiday season at the Town of Brookhaven's Annual Tree Lighting at the Holtsville Ecology Site. The event will feature costume characters; hot chocolate; candy canes; a preview of the indoor, walk-through, Holiday Spectacular light show; musical entertainment; and a special appearance by Santa Claus, who will arrive by helicopter, and then assist with the countdown to light the tree.

Call 631-758-9664 for more information. Plan to arrive early, as show starts promptly at 6 PM.

### Menorah Lighting

Monday, December 23rd  
6:00PM- 7:00PM  
Town Hall  
1 Independence Hill,  
Farmingville



Come join us at our annual lighting of the Menorah and enjoy entertainment, hot latkes and doughnuts. Call 631-451-6100 for more information.

### Holiday Light Spectacular

December 7th, 8th, 13th,  
14th,15th,  
20th, 21st, 22nd,  
Fridays & Saturdays : 5PM- 9PM  
Sundays: 5PM- 8PM  
Holtsville Ecology Site  
249 Buckley Road, Holtsville



Enjoy a festive indoor walk-through show of lighted displays for the holidays. A limited number of tickets will be available for pre-purchase online and include an online discount! Once the online tickets for specific times/dates have sold out, tickets will still be available to purchase at the door. Proceeds benefit the Holtsville Ecology Site .

- \$6 per person (discount online)
- Children 3 and under: Free
- Photos available with Santa for additional fees onsite

Call 631-758-9664 for more information



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## Port Jefferson Station/Terryville Chamber of Commerce Holiday Events

[www.pjstchamber.com](http://www.pjstchamber.com) • 631.821.1313

### Ride on The Polar Express!

Sunday, November 30th from 5-7 PM • Friday, December 6th & 20th from 6-8 PM

Saturday, December 7th, 14th, & 21st from 11 AM –1 PM, 3 –5 PM, 7-9 PM

Sunday, December 1st, 8th, 15th, & 22nd from 11 AM-1 PM & 5 PM—6 PM

\*11AM showings are Sensory Friendly

Port Jefferson Station/Terryville Chamber Train Car, Corner of Rte 112 & Rte 347, Port Jefferson Station

\$11 per ticket: includes Polar Express Movie, Candy Cane, Cookies & Hot Cocoa!

Register at [www.PJSTChamber.com](http://www.PJSTChamber.com) \*Space is limited to 30 people per event!

**Breakfast With Santa:** Sunday, December 22nd at 8 AM or at 10:30 AM

Polish American Independent Club, 35 Jayne Blvd, Port Jefferson Station, NY 11776

A visit with Santa plus a plate of Pancakes, Bacon, Sausage, Coffee/Tea, Hot Chocolate and OJ.

**Annual Menorah Lighting:** Sunday, December 22nd from 4-5 PM

Port Jefferson Station/Terryville Chamber Train Car, Corner of Rte 112 & Rte 347, Port Jefferson Station

This year we have Rabbi Benson of the North Shore Jewish Center who will be performing the Blessings /

Prayer for the First night of Hanukkah. All are welcome! Light refreshments will be served.

## 17th Annual **HOLIDAY** Craft & Vendor Fair

Boyle Rd Elementary School

424 Boyle Rd, Port Jeff Station

**Over 70 Vendors  
Something for Everyone!**

Saturday December 7th

10am - 4pm

**Free Admission, Food Concession, Beautiful  
Handmade Crafts, Ornaments, Pickles,  
Jewelry, Bows, BBQ Sauce, etc...**

**Too Many great Vendors to list!**

Port Jefferson Station / Terryville Chamber of Commerce and Civic Assoc.



### Annual Tree Lighting

FREE Community event

Saturday December 7, 2019 6pm - 8pm



### Chamber Train Car

(Corner of Rt 112 and Rt 347 Port Jefferson Station - entrance on Rose Ave)

**\*\*Santa coming by Fire Truck\*\*** Thanks to Terryville Fire Dept

Come enjoy the Sounds of Season by The School of Rock

Entertainment by BackStage Dance Studio

Hot Chocolate compliments of Colonial Coffee

Cookies compliments of Buttercup's Dairy

Train Whistles compliments of Bass Electric Inc

For more info: [www.PJSTChamber.com](http://www.PJSTChamber.com)



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## Three Village Historical Society 41st Annual Candlelight House Tour

Friday, December 6th 6-9 PM

Saturday, December 7th 8:30 AM- 4 PM

93 North Country Rd, Setauket- East Setauket

Bring in the holidays with the Three Village Historical Society for our 41st Annual Candlelight House Tour.

Tour six houses and other historical structures in Old Field South. Presented in full holiday décor with attention to architectural features and Historic details.

<https://www.tvhs.org/candlelight-house-tour>



## Three Village Chamber Holiday Parade

Sunday, December 15th, 5-7 PM

Main Street, East Setauket

Route Starts at Emma Clark Library and proceeds down Main Street to the Brookhaven Kiwanis

Light up floats with music, Santa and hot chocolate and cookies at the end! This is a free event along Main Street open to all ages.

Bring your community spirit and holiday cheer and join us once again for the Three Village Electric Holiday Parade!

Open participation is welcome.

All are encouraged to build a float and participate in the parade or march or dance with a group down Main Street.

After the parade, festivities will be held at the park. Festivities include: a tree lighting, refreshments, music and a chance to meet Santa! To find out more information, or to register your group, please visit <http://www.3vholidayparade.com/#top> to fill out the registration form. You can also contact Denise Williams at 631-828-9031 or email [info@3vholidayparade.com](mailto:info@3vholidayparade.com) with questions.

**For more information about Councilwoman Cartright's  
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please visit <https://www.brookhavenny.gov/501/District-1>**



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## The Port Jefferson Chamber of Commerce Santa's Workshop

Saturday, November 30th 1:00PM- 4:00PM  
Sunday, December 1st 3:30PM- 5:30PM  
December 7th, 8th, 14th, 15th, 21st 12:30PM-3:30PM

Drowned Meadow House,  
Corner of Barnum & W. Broadway, Port Jefferson

Free Event! For more information please  
call 631-473-1414 or visit [www.portjeff.com](http://www.portjeff.com)



## The Port Jefferson Chamber of Commerce 24th Annual Charles Dickens Festival

Saturday, December 7th, 9 AM- 6 PM  
Sunday, December 8th, 9 AM- 6 PM  
Port Jefferson Village- North of the LIRR

As fall sheds its leafy coat in preparation for winter, the first weekend in December once again plays host to the beloved Village of Port Jefferson

Charles Dickens Festival. Join us as we celebrate the Festival's 24th Anniversary through our cherished traditions and spectacular new additions that will add a sparkle and a smile to this magical weekend.

<https://portjeffchamber.com/events-calendar/24th-annual-charles-dickens-festival/>



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For agenda items relevant to **Council District 1**,

Community Events, & Announcements

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