

## Councilwoman Bonner Attends Meadowbrook Pony Club's Annual Picnic Hosted by the Smithtown Hunt Club at Woodhull House

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**Farmingville, NY** - On July 23, Councilwoman Jane Bonner (pictured right) joined members of the Meadowbrook Pony Club for their annual picnic at the Woodhull House in Wading River. Young riders from Mil-Ridge Farm in Calverton participated in various activities throughout the day, which was rounded off by a visit from Councilwoman Bonner and a picnic lunch. The event was hosted by the Smithtown Hunt Club which maintains kennels on the property

"I was happy to meet all the youngsters from the Meadowbrook Pony Club," said Councilwoman Bonner. "It was such a beautiful day to be outdoors and spend some time at one of the Town's most historic landmarks."

Dating back to 1720, the Josiah Woodhull House, located at 170 North Country Road in Shoreham, is an important cultural and historic landmark for Shoreham/Wading River and the surrounding communities. Donated to Brookhaven Town in 2002, the house is located in the Long Island North Shore Heritage Area and listed on the National Register of Historic Places and the New York State Register of Historic Places. In addition to its age, the historic significance of the house is due in part to the fact that it was owned by the grandson of Richard Woodhull, one of the founders of the Town of Brookhaven. Exterior restoration of the historic house will begin this fall.

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