

# Councilman LaValle and Town Board Honor St. Baldrick's Day Committee for Raising \$20,000 for Childhood Cancer Research

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**Farmingville, NY** – At the March 10, Town Board Meeting, Councilman Kevin LaValle and the Town Board honored members of the St. Baldrick's Day Committee for raising \$20,000 to support life-saving childhood cancer research. Over the last 3 years, the Centereach Civic and community has raised close to \$100,000 for St. Baldrick's. The annual event was held on March 10, at the Centereach Firehouse. The Councilman presented Certificates of Appreciation to the members in attendance.

Pictured left to right Douglas Dickson, Councilwoman Jane Bonner, Maria Weiner, William Gilmanton, Jennifer Roy, Councilwoman Valerie M. Cartwright, Jennifer Dickson Supervisor Edward P.

Romaine, Councilman Kevin Lavelle, Councilman Pan Panic, Councilman Michael Loguercio, Highway Superintendent Dan Losquadro and Councilman Neil Foley.

What began as a challenge between friends in 2000, the St. Baldrick's Foundation head shaving event has grown into the world's largest volunteer-driven and donor-centered fundraising program for childhood cancer research. Since 2000, the foundation has raised more than \$186 million.

Committee members are: Jennifer Dickson, Cathy Pedro, Fran Bielmeier, Maria Weisner, Jennifer Roy, William Gilmartin, Robert Wilson, Michael Norman, and Douglas Dickson - many whom are involved with the Centereach Civic.

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