

Councilman Panico and Senator Lee Zeldin Participate in 4th Annual Basketball Challenge at the Mastic Athletic Complex

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Farmingville, NY - On July 10, Brookhaven Town Councilman Dan Panico (left) ditched the suit and tie, traded his dress shoes for Nikes, and teamed up with Senator Lee Zeldin (center) to participate in his 4th Annual Basketball Challenge during the Town's Safe Summer Youth Program at the Mastic Athletic Complex.

Each youth team played a 3 on 3 half-court basketball game against Councilman Panico's team. After nearly three hours of play, "Team Panico" ended up with a final score of 6 wins and 2 loses in eight consecutive games against eight different teams. Also playing for "Team Panico" was Brookhaven Town Chief Deputy Planning Commissioner Dave Genaway (right).

"Every year I look forward to this event and an opportunity to get out to meet, speak with and compete against local youths in the area," commented Brookhaven Town Councilman Dan Panico. "I thank Senator Zeldin for participating in the event, Chief Deputy Planning Commissioner Dave Genaway and everyone in the Brookhaven Town Youth Bureau for going the extra mile to make this event a success."

"Each year, Councilman Panico's 3 on 3 youth basketball challenge has been a lot of fun participating in," said Senator Zeldin. "We have some great teenagers in the Shirley-Mastic-Mastic Beach community who come out each year and make our hometown very proud. It's been great to be a part of this annual event every summer."

Councilman Dan Panico is a '96 William Floyd graduate and Senator Lee Zeldin is a '98 graduate.

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