

## Councilman Panico Receives Award from Mastic Sports Club

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*Pictured left to right are Councilman Panico, Commissioner of Special Needs, Mastic Sports Club, Debbie Metz, Deputy Chair of the Town of Brookhaven Planning Board Cecile Forte and Councilman Panico's Chief Legislative Aide Lori Anne DeIulio Casdia.*

**Farmingville, NY** - - On September 24, the Mastic Sports Club held their Annual Coach's Appreciation Dinner Dance. They presented Councilman Daniel J. Panico an award for his outstanding commitment and work in making the adaptive playground a reality to the community.

"With sincere appreciation and in grateful recognition for your outstanding commitment in your collaboration to make the Mastic Sports Club Kyle Sports for Special Needs Adaptive Playground dream become a reality in our community for all our children." cited Debbie Metz, Commissioner of Special Needs, Mastic Sports Club.

"Whether it be constructing the adaptive playground at the Moriches Complex for children with disabilities, or improving and augmenting other recreational facilities for our children and families, I find it very rewarding to invest in our neighborhoods and families," commented Brookhaven Town Councilman Dan Panico. "To be recognized for this work is an honor and I look forward to working with everyone involved in the Mastic Sports Club for years to come. The coaches, commissioners, directors and most importantly, the kids are some of the most supportive and delightful people you could ever meet."

Councilman Panico accepted this award, which was a surprise, indicating his continued commitment to the entire Council District residents. He also indicated that he was not nearly done with his work in this area announcing the deal with the property owners of the parcel known as the 'Links' and obtaining more recreational opportunities for the residents.

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