

Supervisor Romaine Joins William Floyd HS Students for "A Day in the Life of the Carmans River" at the Manor of St. George in Shirley

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Farmingville, NY - On September 24, Supervisor Ed Romaine (third from left) joined students and teachers from William Floyd High School at the Manor of St. George in Shirley during a hands-on science exploration of the Carmans River. This event was part of "A Day in the Life of the Carmans River," which was created by the Central Pine Barrens Joint Planning and Policy Commission.

"The students showed such great enthusiasm for the work they were doing," said Supervisor Romaine. "This program provides them with in-the-field experience and the opportunity to learn more about the Carmans River. They will leave here with a better understanding of the river's environmental significance and how important it is to the local ecosystem. I thank the Central Pine Barrens Commission for leading the way with this very special event."

"A Day in the Life of the Carmans River" is designed to help students develop an appreciation for and knowledge of Long Island's rivers and estuaries, to collect useful scientific data and to allow them to become stewards of water quality and natural resources. The Town of Brookhaven and more than 30 other partner organizations and agencies, and 27 school districts are co-sponsors of the event which also includes "A Day in the Life of the Peconic Estuary" and "A Day in the Life of the Nissequogue River."

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