Farmingville, NY - On July 25, Supervisor Ed Romaine attended the Court of Honor ceremony for Gregory Schneider, Quentin Mitchell and Shadman Chowdhury of Boy Scout Troop 414 in Center Moriches who attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in the Boy Scouts of America.

For his Eagle Scout project, Gregory constructed a planter at Our Lady Queen of the Apostles School in Center Moriches. Quentin chose to construct two long benches with flower containers on the ends, and they were placed between buildings at the William Floyd School. Shadman chose to construct a corral for animals housed at Camp PaQuaTuck in Center Moriches.

To become an Eagle Scout, a scout must earn a minimum of 21 merit badges, demonstrate leadership, and perform an approved community service project. Since the first Eagle Scout Award was presented in 1912, no more than 4 percent of all Scouts have attained the Eagle Scout rank.

Pictured left to right are Supervisor Ed Romaine, Eagle Scouts Gregory Schneider, Quentin Mitchell and Shadman Chowdhury, and Scoutmaster Miguel Roura.