Mastics Kiwanians Teach Kids About Safety

by Tara Lamberti
The Kiwanis Club of MASTICS, Suffolk East Division – Sept. 18. The Kiwanis Club of Mastics taught kindergarteners about child safety at the bingo hall on McGraw Street in Shirley. Children enjoyed safety-oriented coloring books, reflectors, and were allowed inside a real ambulance with working equipment. Each child hat tended took home a brand new helmet. Children also put together identification kits for their parents. Each identikit includes a set of fingerprints, DNA swab and a recent Polaroid photo of their child.

There were special appearances by Legislator Peter O’Leary and George Kreuscher, Kiwanis Chairman. The Kiwanis would also like to thank Pat Peluso for letting them use the hall for such a special event.

Lefferts-Liberty Presents Hixson and Kaiser Fellowships

Haseeb Mohamed proudly accepts Hixson Fellowship Award from his club, Lefferts-Liberty.

Floral Park Holds Car Show for Scholarships

The Kiwanis Club of FLORAL PARK, Long Island North Division – The Kiwanis club of Floral Park held its annual antique car show and family day at John Lewis Child school. This annual event is run to raise money for the Floral Park Scholarship Fund. This year as in many past years Floral Park has a very successful event.

Sarasota Golden K Supports Project Lift

The Golden K Club of SARASOTA SPRINGS, Mohawk Division – has supported the Project Lift program for a long time. It is an after school program for students who need some extra help with academics, social, physical and emotional skills. It is one of the programs of the Franklin Community Center in Sarasota Springs The Golden K purchased a yoga video which the group uses for exercises. Some of the members attend the annual talent show; provide some supplies for their art work, mittens and socks, and a pizza party once or twice a year. This is done in the Greenfield school, one of several in the Sarasota Springs Central school District. Kamp Kiwanis campers sponsored by the Golden K have been selected from that group some years.

William Nagelrm a Golden K member is the liaison between the GoldenK and the Project project coordinator.

Van Scoyoc Hero

(L-R): William Van Scoyoc presented the NYD Foundation with a check for $500 at our District Convention, as proud uncle BWS Pat Farenga looks on. Van Scoyoc received a Certificate of Honor from Governor Pataki and Citation of Valor from Former NYC Mayor Giuliani for single-handedly evacuating 267 financial students from the 61st floor of the World Trade Center on 9/11.