



Little Flower Youth Celebrate Valentine's in Style



For this year's Valentine's Day celebration at the Residential Treatment Center (RTC), staff transformed the gym into a pink-and-red party where youth enjoyed delicious desserts, got creative at the arts & crafts table, and danced the night away.

Stony Brook Pizza Sponsors Super Bowl Party



The youth at Little Flower's Residential Treatment Center (RTC) enjoyed a Super Bowl party made possible by the generosity of local business owner Jason Short from Stony Brook Pizza. Jason donated trays of delicious food and heroes, ensuring everyone could celebrate together while cheering on their favorite teams. We're so grateful to Jason and Stony Brook Pizza for their continued support and for helping make game day one to remember for the youth!

Jake's 58 Casino Makes Little Flower February's Nonprofit Partner



Every month, Suffolk's Off-Track Betting casino patrons have the chance to turn their spare change into meaningful community impact. Through ticket redemption kiosks, guests can donate their excess change to a featured Long Island nonprofit, with each month spotlighting a different organization focused on community enrichment, health services or youth programs. This month, we're grateful to Jake's 58 Casino Hotel for selecting Little Flower as their featured charity and supporting our mission!

New Police Captain Visits St. John's



St. John's recently welcomed Captain Singh, the new Commanding Officer of the 100th Precinct, for an exciting kick-off meeting about the future of their community partnership.

The conversation centered on how St. John's and the 100th Precinct can continue working together to support local youth and strengthen the surrounding neighborhoods. This collaboration represents a commitment to creating meaningful opportunities for young people in the area.

From Caseworker to Changemaker



One afternoon in January, Little Flower welcomed back Bill Tymann for a reunion tour of our Wading River campus. Bill's journey at Little Flower began as a caseworker and later led him into leadership. During his tenure, Bill helped overcome zoning challenges that made possible our very first group home in Patchogue in 1975. As he toured campus, Bill was thrilled to reconnect with longtime staff member Paul Brown; they reminisced and shared stories of Little Flower's earlier days. Bill also brought treasured newspaper clippings for our archives and expressed heartfelt enthusiasm about becoming involved in the Little Flower community once again. We are so glad he came!

Historic Photo Corner



Here are some Little Flower youth bundled up for a snowy February outing back in 1957.

Do you have any memorabilia or pictures of Little Flower you could share with us?

We are putting together an archive for our upcoming 100th anniversary! Please upload your digital treasures [here](#), or email hickesk@lfchild.org if you have any questions.

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