



The Life Enrichment Center AT OYSTER BAY

Happy Holidays! I agree with the classic Andy Williams song, "It's the most wonderful time of the year." It never grows old ... the Christmas carols, the baking, the decorations... I love the holidays! Not all share my enthusiasm, as many people lament about the commercialization and the fear we are losing the true meaning of our holidays.

But, naysayers, don't dismay! If you pay attention, you'll see the Holiday Spirit is with us in our daily interactions, showing up in subtle gestures. It's a warm greeting, an affectionate hug, and the overall heightened sense of awareness of the needs of others during this season. As I'm writing, it dawns on me that this describes life at the Center all year long. We celebrate a perpetual holiday – no wonder I love it here so much!

I wish you all a joyous holiday – Merry Christmas and Happy Hanukkah. I look forward to celebrating with you this month and every month in the New Year.

Join Us:

- 12/12 Hanukkah Celebration
- 12/18 Holiday Cookie Sale
- 12/19 Vernon School 6th Grade Chorus; Cookie Sale continues
- 12/21 Christmas Celebration Luncheon (Please reserve)
- 12/22 Ugly Sweater and Pajama Party
- 12/29 New Year's Eve Celebration (Please reserve)

With much love,

- Judy Palumbo, Executive Director

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