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LEGISLATOR STEVE STERN CELEBRATES OPENING OF “EXTREME STEAM” SCIENCE BUILDING AT PARK SHORE DAY CAMP



Legislator Steve Stern joins staff and campers at Park Shore Country Day Camp and Pre School to celebrate the grand opening of its new state-of-the-art science building.

Huntington, N.Y. - Suffolk County Legislator Steve Stern (D-Huntington) 16th L.D., celebrated the opening of the “Extreme STEAM” science building at Park Shore Country Day Camp and Pre-School in Dix Hills Friday, July 24.

The building is home to the camp’s year-round Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics (STEAM) program, in which campers and students learn everything from robots and coding to making movies and even neurosurgery. The program encourages hands-on learning through innovative and thought-provoking laboratory inquiries to develop hypotheses test and analyze data and draw scientific conclusions, all while having fun. The camp partnered with the Heckscher Museum of Art to bridge the worlds of arts and science together and teach the young campers to be creative thinkers.

“I am pleased to join with Park Shore Owners, Bob and Chuck Budah, Julian Aptowitz and the entire staff of the Park Shore Science Academy to celebrate the Academy’s success. I applaud Bob and Chuck Budah’s passion and foresight in developing this outstanding program, which has grown tremendously after only one year, to better prepare our young people for the workplace and world they will help to create. STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) and Art programs, particularly hands-on inter-active learning for young children, will not only prepare our students for tomorrow’s careers, but spark creativity, curiosity and a love of learning that will serve them well throughout their lives.”