

12/11/2012



CONNETQUOT HIGH SCHOOL  
190 Seventh Street  
Bohemia, N.Y. 11716

631-244-2228 ext.2131

Dear Mr. Carastro,

My name is Don Gamarano. First, I would like to say that VMCLI is a blessing to pets and their families! Your staff and medical care is incredible! My partner Louis and I have a Cavapoo, Tierra, who has had some extensive work done and you all took such great care of her and we thank you all!

I am a teacher at Connetquot High School in Bohemia, NY and work with students as they transition from school to work. I have a really fantastic young man, Zachary Schneider, who is a senior at the high school and also takes Animal Science at the BOCES Technical Center. He has expressed an interest in working with animals as a career and I thought since Zach is such a fantastic young man, he and VMCLI would be a perfect fit. On my last visit, a couple of weeks ago, Dr. Puccio suggested I speak with you. You all were in meetings so I am reaching out to you now. If you would consider a "shadow" experience, internship or volunteering Zach is definitely interested. I really appreciate your time and hope to hear from you.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Don Gamarano', is written over a light-colored background.

Don Gamarano  
Special Services/Transition  
Connetquot School District



*West Islip Schools*  
*Office of Athletics, Physical Education,*  
*Health and Recreation*



*Richard A. Simon*  
*Superintendent of Schools*

*Tim Horan*  
*Director of Athletics, Physical Education,*  
*Health and Recreation*

March 22, 2013

Dear Community Member:

On behalf of the Health & Wellness Alliance of West Islip, I would like to thank you for your generous sponsorship to help fight substance and alcohol abuse.

With the assistance of people like you, our community Health & Wellness 5K Fun Run was a huge success. Enclosed, please find a t-shirt displaying your corporate logo.

Once again, our sincere thanks for your help in this significant endeavor.

Sincerely,

Tim Horan



JOSEPH A. D'AMICO  
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June 08, 2012

Dr. Daniel Carmichael  
Veterinary Medical Center of Long Island  
75 Sunrise Highway  
West Islip, NY 11795

Dr. Carmichael,

I wanted to offer my sincere gratitude in the work you performed on my police canine partner "Mike". As police canine handlers we place a lot of faith in those medical professionals who help keep our partners healthy and performing at their best. Your professionalism, expertise, experience and explanation of the procedure performed was second to none. "Mike" is back working and we have been successful on several deployments. We couldn't have chosen a better Veterinarian, Medical Center or staff to help "Mike" get back to work.

Respectfully,

Trooper Kevin Holohan  
New York State Police  
Emergency Management  
Canine Unit



November 27, 2012

VMCLI  
75 Sunrise Highway  
West Islip, NY 11795

Dear Doctors:

*Happy Holidays! We would like to send you a heartfelt thank you for your dedication to serving the dogs of Canine Companions for Independence.*

*We depend on veterinarians like you to ensure CCI's assistance dogs receive the best health care possible. From the earliest weeks in the life of a puppy, through the intensive training of each dog and human partner, and on to the careful follow-up of each graduating team, your caring makes a difference.*

*Your efforts on behalf of our dogs further our mission of providing highly trained assistance dogs to people with disabilities. All of us at CCI, graduates, staff and volunteers, thank you for your support. Your thoughtfulness helps us enhance independence through our mission of providing exceptional dogs for exceptional people.*

*Sincerely,*

*Ruth Daniels*

*Ruth Daniels, DVM  
National Staff & Breeding Veterinarian*