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## **UCP Suffolk's 3rd Annual Fashion Show A Success**



Committee and Board members.

**Hauppauge, NY** –United Cerebral Palsy Association of Greater Suffolk Inc. (UCP Suffolk) welcomed more than 240 friends to its 3rd Annual Luncheon and Fashion show held at Oheka Castle in Huntington, NY on Thursday, September 10, 2015. The event raised \$47,000.

The fashion show, which was co-chaired by Board Members Colleen West-Levy and Kim Smith, Esq., featured seventeen volunteer models from UCP Suffolk programs as well as its Luncheon and Fashion Show

Co-emcees Leeana Karlson of the K 98.3 FM Morning Show and Jim Douglas of the Max FM 103.1 Morning Show kept the crowd excited and energized as male and female models strutted down the runway in the latest fall fashions of White House/Black Market, Vanilla Sky and Marshs of Huntington.

The audience was touched when Patti Finkelberg shared how enrolling her daughter, Sydney, into UCP Suffolk's school/residential program has benefited her daughter tremendously. Sydney, who was born with a disability, has been in the school/residential program for five years and is now a thriving student at The Children's Center and has many close friends at her residence.

"The fashion show was an absolute success," Colleen West-Levy said. "The models were great and the outpouring of love and support from the friends of UCP of Suffolk has been amazing."

"It's raining outside but there is sunshine in here," Kim Smith told the audience. "We are so privileged to have so many new friends and supporters join us to help support UCP Suffolk. We thank them from the bottom of our hearts."

For more information on UCP Suffolk events and programs contact Danielle De Souza, Public Relations Manager at 631-232-0011 ext. 457 or [ddesouza@ucp-suffolk.org](mailto:ddesouza@ucp-suffolk.org).

**United Cerebral Palsy Association of Greater Suffolk, Inc.** (UCP of Suffolk) For over 60 years, UCP of Suffolk has been committed to advancing the independence, productivity, and full citizenship of people with disabilities by creating *Life Without Limits*. UCP of Suffolk provides programs and services to almost 3,500 children and adults with a variety of disabilities annually. The Children's Center at UCP of Suffolk offers early intervention, preschool and school aged programs. The agency provides Adult Day services which include Day Treatment, Day Habilitation and Respite programs, and job training and placement services. In addition, UCP of Suffolk owns and operates 31 residences throughout Suffolk County, a twelve unit apartment complex, and a comprehensive, fully accessible Health Center.

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