



## THE ST. PAUL'S SENTINEL

*Honoring and preserving our community's heritage*

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### **WHERE AND WHEN**

Many residents have been asking where the St. Paul's Referendum vote will be held. FYI:

The **Fieldhouse** (gymnasium) at the St. Paul's Recreation Complex. Voting takes place from **Noon to 9 p.m.**

### **BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING, TOMORROW**

The last public Board of Trustees meeting before the St. Paul's vote is TOMORROW night, **Thursday, April 14**, at 8 p.m. at Village Hall. If you're available, please come out to support our new Mayor Don Brudie and listen to what the board has to say about St. Paul's. Don't be shy about asking questions, too.

### **HEAR FROM SUSAN LUCCI AND PRESERVATION EXPERTS**

During 2009, The Garden City Historical Society hosted two Forums on St. Paul's. After the second forum the Society and the Committee to Save St. Paul's commissioned a DVD from footage shot during the October event. We encourage you to take a look at the shortened version of the video, "Save St. Paul's Now: Protect Our DNA," (<http://vimeo.com/7213734>), which can also be viewed on the Historical Society homepage, [www.gardencityhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.gardencityhistoricalsociety.org), and on the "News" page of the CSSP website, [www.savestpauls.org](http://www.savestpauls.org). If you can use the full DVD to show friends and get them to come out to vote, please reply with your name, address and phone number to this email.

### **TAKE A GLIMPSE AT THE CSSP/HISTORICAL SOCIETY PROPOSAL**

In June 2010, the Committee to Save St. Paul's and The Garden City Historical Society presented to the Village Board an "Alternative Plan" to preserve and rehabilitate St. Paul's and open 10,500 square feet of prime space for public use. You can see an outline of this proposal on the Historical Society homepage top right under photo, [www.gardencityhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.gardencityhistoricalsociety.org), and on the "News" page of the CSSP website, [www.savestpauls.org](http://www.savestpauls.org).

### **SUPPORT FOR THE CURRENT "DEFEAT DEMOLITION" CAMPAIGN**

The Committee to Save St. Paul's is grateful to the many individuals who support our campaign to defeat the upcoming bond referendum to fund the demolition of St. Paul's and have made a donation to our efforts. We sincerely appreciate any donations to help defray costs, which include payments for the ad campaign in the local papers, mailings to the entire community, printing of these mailings as well as additional copies for distribution at various venues around the village, postage for all village-wide mailings, and ancillary costs.

Donations can be sent to Committee to Save St. Paul's, P.O. Box 7642, Garden City, NY 11530 or to Ed Keating, Treasurer, Committee to Save St. Paul's, 3 Euston Road, Garden City, NY 11530. These donations will go to the campaign to defeat the April 27 referendum that CSSP is

conducting in conjunction with our partners: The Garden City Historical Society and the Eastern Property Owners for Saving St. Paul's.

To keep you informed: the Committee's recent expenses have included \$6,000 to hire Lawless and Mangione to comply with the Village's request to have a consultant (chosen from three firms recommended by the Village) verify the costs in our June 2010 proposal to preserve and rehabilitate St. Paul's. Unfortunately, to date we have not been contacted by the Village for further discussions. The "Independent Verification Report" can be viewed on the "News" page of the CSSP website, [www.savestpauls.org](http://www.savestpauls.org).

We have also incurred expenses in the hiring of our development consultant, Bill Sullivan, who formalized our proposal. Mr. Sullivan continues to make himself available to meet with the Village Trustees and Administration, and meet with resident organizations regarding the particulars of our proposal.

Please pass along this e-newsletter. Anyone you contact who wishes to be put on our mailing list is asked to email their name, address and phone number to [info@savestpauls.org](mailto:info@savestpauls.org).

**THE COMMITTEE TO SAVE ST. PAUL'S, THE GARDEN CITY HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
AND THE EASTERN PROPERTY OWNERS FOR SAVING ST. PAUL'S**

**URGE YOU TO**

**VOTE "NO"**

**ON THE APRIL 27 REFERENDUM TO AUTHORIZE BONDS TO DEMOLISH ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL**

**NOON-9 P.M.**

**THE FIELDHOUSE AT THE ST. PAUL'S RECREATION COMPLEX**

**PLEASE FORWARD THIS E-NEWSLETTER TO THOSE INTERESTED IN PRESERVING ST. PAUL'S AS PART  
OF OUR LEGACY TO OUR CHILDREN AND FUTURE VILLAGE RESIDENTS.**

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