



# The Dominic Trionfo Memorial Fund

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Dear Friend,

We are planning our Fifth Annual Dom's Day to support The Dominic Trionfo Memorial Fund on Sunday, October 7, 2018 at Longwood High School in Middle Island. Thank you for all those who helped make each year a big success. With everyone's contributions either it be monetary, time, and/or spreading the word about our event and fund, we can continue to have this wonderful day in memory of Dominic as well as support community scholarships and our Boater and Water Safety Classroom Program.

Dom's Day will consist of a car show, children activities, such as pumpkin decorating and games, basket auction, and a large ticket raffle. We are writing this letter with the hope that you or your company would be in a position to help us with a tax deductible financial donation or with a donation of merchandise or gift certificate to use as part of our basket auction on the day of our event.

On May 20, 2012, what started out as a beautiful day at the start of the boating season, ended tragically as our Dominic finally got the chance to use the family's jet ski on his own, a feat that he was anticipating since our family had acquired the jet ski two years before. Dominic knew that he needed to get his boater's license in order to ride on his own. Dom took the required boater safety class after he was eligible at the age of 14 and just couldn't wait for this day. Tragically his anticipation ended in devastation and he died that fateful day while on his first solo ride on the jet ski.

Dominic played football for Longwood High School and LYSA. He loved the Jets and playing for Longwood. He had a compassionate heart and kind soul. This October Dominic would have been turning 21. He would have played on the varsity football team and graduated from Longwood High School in June 2015. To honor Dominic and his love of the water, our family has established a not-for-profit organization to promote the importance of boater and water safety on Long Island. We created a Boater and Water Safety Activity Book and Classroom Program. It was test piloted at Coram Elementary School in the Longwood School District in May 2017 and this spring it was distributed in elementary schools to over 12,000 children on Long Island at no cost to them. Our program was featured on News 12. We hope to have more schools participate next year. Please see our web site for information. Our organization has already distributed over \$10,000 in academic and athletic scholarships to the Longwood Community since 2012.

To donate a basket or a gift certificate to include in our Basket Auction baskets please email your commitment to [donate@dominicmemorialfund.org](mailto:donate@dominicmemorialfund.org) by September 15, 2018. While all support is appreciated, we have found that baskets valued at \$50 or more raise substantially more for the cause.

If you are interested in sponsoring the event, please see our sponsorship form or visit [www.dominicmemorialfund.org/sponsor](http://www.dominicmemorialfund.org/sponsor) for more information.

Please visit our website [www.dominicmemorialfund.org](http://www.dominicmemorialfund.org) to sign up to volunteer at our event and to find out more information about The Dominic Trionfo Memorial Fund, Dom's Day, and our efforts.

Sincerely,  
The Monat/Martinelli Family – Family of Dominic Trionfo

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