

Building Dreams & Empowering Futures, One Step at a Time



SCWBEC ANNUAL SPONSOR SHOWCASE AND LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2024

The Piermont | 494 Fire Island Avenue, Babylon, NY

10:00am - 12:00pm SHOWCASE | 12:00pm - 3:00pm LUNCHEON

Early Bird Luncheon Price: **\$70** | After Sept 27: **\$75**

The cut off to purchase Luncheon tickets and SHOWCASE Sponsorships is **October 7**

WORKSHOPS *(open to all at no cost, registration is required)*

8:15am - 9:00am How to Certify Your Enterprise as a Suffolk County MWBE, presented by Grace Ioannidis, Executive Director of Multicultural Affairs Suffolk County

9:15am - 10:00am You have your MWBE... NOW WHAT? presented by Ree Wackett, Senior Business Advisor SBDC Stony Brook

DONATE A RAFFLE

Promote your business and support SCWBEC by donating a raffle basket*. To make your donation or for questions about the SHOWCASE, contact SHOWCASE@SCWBEC.org.

*Baskets must have a minimum value of \$100, Grand Prize raffle donation minimum value is \$250.
*Please do not include coupons or gift cards that must be used in conjunction with other products or services.

SHOWCASE YOUR BUSINESS AS A SPONSOR TODAY

Become a new sponsor or renew your current sponsorship to secure your table at the SHOWCASE. Included in sponsorship:

- Featured on SCWBEC website
- Featured on SHOWCASE web page
- Included in all email communication in support of the event
- Mentioned on social media
- Products/services displayed at the SHOWCASE
- Luncheon ticket(s)



For more info & to see a **List of Sponsor Benefits** visit: www.SCWBEC.org or scan the code. If you have questions please email: SHOWCASE@SCWBEC.org

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Annmarie Larosa
Chief Executive Officer

**Building Dreams:
From Teacher to Business Leader in
Early Childhood Education**

Annmarie has over 20 years of experience in Early Childhood Education, transitioning from a 12-year teaching career to becoming sole proprietor at South Shore Children's Center, which serves over 400 children. She has been a dedicated community volunteer, serving 15 years on the West Islip School district school board, active chamber of commerce member, and founding member of a nonprofit education foundation. Annmarie is now an Adjunct Associate Professor at Suffolk Community College, where she prepares students to become part of the Early Childhood workforce.