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(Reference attached event pictures)

### **RE: M.A.T.S.S. Kids' Gym Holds Annual Charity Event To Support The L.I Pajama Program**

M.A.T.S.S. Kids' Gym & Early Childcare Education Program ([www.matsskidsgym.com](http://www.matsskidsgym.com)) held its' annual month long children's pajama collection and special pajama day event during the month of January.

Our M.A.T.S.S. Syosset location **collected over 75 pajamas** to support a local charity- The Long Island Pajama Program ([www.pajamaprogram.org](http://www.pajamaprogram.org)), to bring a new pair of pajamas to children who are or suddenly become homeless.

In addition, they held a very special Pajama Day Event, whereby the staff and children wore their pajamas for the day and enjoyed a visit from **Nassau Legislator, Arnold Drucker** and **L.I Chapter President , Petti Cellura**. At the celebration, the children presented the collection to Petti Cellura.

*"This is something we enjoy doing each year to bring awareness that we have a real need in many of our Long Island communities with children displaced from their home in emergency situations, sometimes in the middle of the night"---* said, Nancy Wohlsen, Director of M.A.T.S.S Syosset.

(See pictures attached below)



Pictured: M.A.T.S.S. Staff and children with Petti Cellura, LI Chapter President- Pajama Program and Nassau County Legislator Arnold Drucker.



Legislator Arnold Drucker thanking the M.A.T.S.S. staff & children for their support.

M.A.T.S.S. children presenting collected PJs to Legislator Drucker and Petti Cellura, LI PJ Program.