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ROBERT HUETHER

President's Message

It is my great honor and privilege to extend my term as the president of the Suffolk Chapter of the NYSSCPA through the FY2025 year and more importantly, to be able to continue my work with the exceptional professionals on the Suffolk Chapter Board and our fantastic committees to support our constituents across Suffolk County.

For this upcoming year, we want to focus our efforts on building a pipeline of fantastic CPAs across Suffolk County and reinvigorating our NextGen Committee, which has historically been one of our more active committees within the Suffolk Chapter.

The NextGen Committee seeks to provide guidance, support and resources to those students who may be interested in a career in accounting, or professionals just starting their careers in the profession. Over the last decade, we have seen our NextGen leaders move on to become members of our Suffolk Chapter Board of Directors and Executive Officers, as well as Chairs of many of our other fantastic technical committees, both at the local chapter level and at the statewide level.

We had a kick-off happy hour for our NextGen Committee on July 11 at the Refuge in Melville, meeting with those who have an interest in being a part of this exceptional committee and brainstorming ideas on how we can engage our younger professionals. See page 5 of this newsletter for a recap and pictures.)

Outside of our NextGen focus, we will continue to provide valuable CPE sessions and networking events for our members through our various Suffolk Chapter committees. As we look to build engagement from our members, we welcome feedback on what the membership would like to see going forward from the Chapter.

My journey with the NYSSCPAs began over a decade ago when I attended a Suffolk Chapter Student Night at a local Dave and Buster's and met so many warm and welcoming members of the Suffolk Chapter Board. As a result of the positive experience I had, I began to get involved and eventually became a co-chair for the NextGen Committee for many years before getting nominated to the Suffolk Chapter Executive Board and then subsequently, the Executive Officer rankings.

Since that time, I have had the invaluable opportunity to participate in

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many events and held roles at both the local and statewide level and built many relationships with professionals that continue to inspire me, many of whom I am proud to call my friends today.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the past presidents before me, who laid the foundation of a strong Suffolk Chapter. I do not take this role lightly and will hope to fill the big shoes of those before me to keep the Suffolk Chapter strong, active and healthy; whereas we can continue to provide any resources and support necessary to our members, not only this year but into the future for years to come.

I look forward to working with our Suffolk Chapter Board and committees this upcoming year to make this a fruitful year for the Suffolk Chapter and more importantly, to serve you all in any capacity that we can. If I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at rhuether@estee.com.

– Bob Huether

Suffolk Chapter Organizational Meeting

On Monday, June 17, the Suffolk Chapter held its organizational meeting for the FY2025 year. The meeting was kicked off by **Calvin Harris**, CEO of the NYSSCPAs, who expressed his thanks to the Suffolk Chapter for all of the great work that the chapter has and continues to do, and shared his vision of the Society for the upcoming year.

Amy Williams, the Chief Operating Officer for the NYSSCPAs' laid out a timeline of events to keep an eye out for in the upcoming year, including the fantastic Member Appreciation Night at the Margaritaville Resort in Times Square (See page 4 for a recap).

Tameeka Benjamin, Associate Director for Membership, then presented certain housekeeping items/best practices in setting up and creating events and reinforced the Membership team's commitment to helping the Chapter in any capacity as needed. As June 17 was the beginning of Member Appreciation week, Tameeka also laid out a timeline of member specific events to take advantage of, as well as providing the Chapter with a listing of discounts that members of the NYSSCPAs will have the ability to take advantage of over the next few months. (See page 11 for a listing of such discounts).

Bob Huether, current President of the Suffolk Chapter, then laid out his plans for the upcoming year, which includes a focus on re-engaging the Chapter's, historically very active, NextGen Committee.

In addition to the folks noted above, the meeting included the Suffolk Chapter Executive Officers and Board Members, as well as the various fantastic chairs of our many Suffolk Chapter Committees.

The Suffolk Chapter is so grateful for all of the exceptional volunteers who dedicate their personal time to keep the Suffolk Chapter vibrant and active. Thank you to all who have and continue to be involved!

Member Appreciation Event

On Thursday, June 20, the New York State Society of CPAs hosted its very first statewide Member Appreciation Night at the Margaritaville Resort in Times Square.

The event was well attended with members of the society from across the state of New York, which included Board members, Chapter Presidents and representatives, committee chairs, as well as members who haven't been particularly engaged in the society previously and wanted to participate to learn more about what the NYSSCPA has to offer for its members. The event provided tropical cocktails, a taco bar, and also included complimentary massages for all!

This event is one of many other exciting events that the NYSSCPAs has planned for its members in the upcoming year, so stay tuned for more statewide event announcements in the coming months!

NextGen Committee Meeting

On Thursday, July 12, the NextGen Committee of the NYSSCPA Suffolk Chapter held their organizational meeting for FY2025 at the Refuge in Melville to discuss plans for the upcoming year.

Participants in attendance included **Christina Galasso** (Co-Chair, NextGen Committee and VP of the Suffolk Chapter), **Bob Huether** (President of the Suffolk Chapter and Co-Chair, NextGen Committee), **John Spatola** (Immediate Past President of the Suffolk Chapter and VP of Chapters for the Statewide Board of Directors), **Sara Szczecina** (NextGen Committee Member) and **Kenneth Annunziata** (NextGen Committee Member).

In addition to brainstorming ideas for the current year (which included reaching out to high schools to present to business/accounting/finance classes to spread awareness of the profession and the society, potential social events such as Axe Throwing, coordinating a volunteer event and co-hosting other events with other Suffolk Chapter Committees), the group also had an engaging discussion on the accounting profession and the many opportunities that come along with it.

Stay tuned for more information on upcoming Suffolk Chapter NextGen Committee meetings and events.

We welcome any and all feedback on what members want to see, so please do not hesitate to reach out to Christina Galasso (cgalasso@acntaxservices.com) or Bob Huether (rhuether@estee.com) should you have any ideas/thoughts to help build engagement of our younger members.

Bob Huether, Christina Galasso, Sara Szczecina, Kenneth Annunziata, John Spatola

NYSSCPA Leadership Conference

The NYSSCPA held its annual leadership conference this year on June 7-11 at the Lodge at Schroon Lake in New York. The conference was open to the statewide NYSSCPA leadership, chapter representatives, and emerging leaders from across the state. The conference was truly engaging, and the beautiful venue allowed for some great networking opportunities amongst the NYSSCPA members and allowed everyone to really deepen their relationships and build a stronger sense of camaraderie with one another, especially around the multiple fire pits on the property.

Suffolk Chapter's own **John Spatola** (NYSSCPA VP of Chapters), **Bill Huether** (NYSSCPA executive committee member) and **Bob Huether** (NYSSCPA Director-At-Large on the Board of Directors) attended the conference and truly enjoyed the experience.

The conference was very engaging and productive as NYSSCPA Leadership held strategic planning sessions, which included discussions and development of strategies to continue pushing the CPA profession forward and enhance the services provided to NYSSCPA members. Sessions at the conference included an under-40 emerging leader's workshop and a "good governance" session which were both run by **Tommye E. Barie, CPA** and **Bill Reed** as well as a panel discussion between **Daniel Dustin** (incoming CEO of NASBA), **Jennifer Winters** (Executive Secretary at NYSBA) and a representative from the AICPA to discuss critical issues facing the profession.

Those in attendance left with a sense of accomplishment and excitement for the future of the NYSSCPA and the CPA profession. The future of the NYSSCPA and the profession is very bright and we are so fortunate to have so many talented individuals in the profession and as members.

A special thank you goes out to **Kevin O'Leary, CPA** (current NYSSCPA Board President), **Calvin Harris, CPA** (NYSSCPA CEO), **Amy Williams** (NYSSCPA COO) and the rest of the NYSSCPA staff for putting on such an excellent, productive, and engaging conference. We look forward to next year and hope to have more individuals from Suffolk in attendance.

Employee Benefits Committee: New Member Spotlight

***Joseph Sellitto** is the Senior Vice President of the employee benefits division at Bradley & Parker.*

I lead the Employee Benefits Practice and specialize in helping the C-suite design and operate robust employee benefit programs to attract and retain good employees cost-effectively. My team and I are experts in compliance with the Affordable Care Act (ACA) and ERISA, providing valuable insights and support to protect organizations from financial harm in today's challenging regulatory environment and litigious society.

Before joining Bradley & Parker in 2013, I was the President of Pension & Wealth Consultants, LLC, and I have over 30 years of industry experience. I am a proud alumnus of Chaminade High School and Hofstra University.

As a new member of the Employee Benefits Committee, I aim to be a resource to my fellow members and their clients.

Do you want to get involved in the Employee Benefits Committee?
There are meetings upcoming on July 23 (virtual) and August 23 (in Hauppauge). For information, contact Christina Galasso, cgalasso@acntaxservices.com.

Join Us at Yankee Stadium!

The NYSSCPAs invites you to join us for an unforgettable evening at Yankee Stadium on August 21. Cheer on the Yankees as they take on the Guardians, mingle with peers and seasoned professionals, and expand your network in a casual and vibrant atmosphere.

We have reserved a block of tickets on the Terrace Level. Game time is 7:05, and you will want to get there early to enjoy the amenities. Tickets are $115 each, which includes your Terrace Level seat PLUS access to the Budweiser Party Deck with free beer and soft drinks during a 90-minute pre-game gathering, and a $20 food voucher to enhance your game day experience.

Tickets are limited, and the Society is giving NextGen members first dibs. **ORDER HERE** to make sure you don't miss this exciting game!

For Suffolk Chapter Members who may be traveling this summer and are interested in baseball, refer to below for a number of upcoming baseball events scheduled for the month of August around the state:

- 8.1.24 Rochester Redwings
- 8.6.24 Buffalo Bisons
- 8.14.24 The Rockland Boulders
- 8.22.24 Syracuse Mets

CPA PAC & the Legislative Task Force

The CPA Political Action Committee (PAC) is bipartisan and raises funds to amplify the NYSSCPA's collective voice in Albany. The NYSSCPA distributes PAC donations to New York political candidates who understand the profession's needs and concerns. When you donate to the PAC, you help send a clear message to legislators that issues important to the profession affect the wider business community and the public interest—and that we will be heard.

The Legislative Task Force (LTF) is responsible for the monitoring and evaluation of New York state laws, legislation, rules and regulations related to the accounting profession, in particular, and business, in general. In conjunction with the Society's legislative staff, the LTF proactively recommends to the NYSSCPA Board various amendments and changes to existing legislation and regulations, on a continual basis.

Have a Leg/Reg Issue?
Your issues matter to us! The NYSSCPA Government Relations Team wants to help you be heard in the halls of power. If you have a suggestion for our legislative agenda, if you are having trouble getting through red tape, or would like assistance reaching your local or state officials, please email Media & Government Relations Manager **Jovan C. Richards** at jrichards@nysscpa.org.

2024 Legislative and Regulatory Agenda
The NYSSCPA has officially launched its 2024 Legislative and Regulatory Agenda. Please visit our newly adopted agenda on our website.

Pass-Through Entity Tax (PTET)
The Pass-Through Entity Tax (PTET) has been one of our biggest legislative wins over the past five years. It has saved New York taxpayers large amounts of federal tax money, at no cost to the state.

Passing PTET initially was a significant win, but the Society believes that it still needs some adjustment in order to resolve some of the issues that have arisen on a consistent basis. Most of the problems revolve around the fixed election date of March 15 of the taxable year in which the election would be effective. For example, if a partnership is formed on March 1, 2023, it can elect to pay PTET for the 2023 tax year. If it is formed on March 31, 2023, the first year in which it could elect PTET is 2024. Another example would be if there is a windfall gain in an entity after the March 15 election date, that entity cannot then elect in.

Since the imposition of the tax is fiscally neutral to the state, there is no reason to have the fixed date within the first 2½ months of a tax year. We are urging the Legislature to adopt a post year-end election date, while imposing an estimated tax requirement, with penalties for underpayment of estimates for any year, regardless of the election date.

Occupational Licensing
An antiregulatory movement sweeping the country is calling into question the need for certification/licensing across occupations, directly threatening the value of the CPA license. Already, 43 states are considering some form of occupational licensing reform, adding to bills already passed.

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CPA PAC/Legislative Task Force (cont'd)

Research shows that from the 1960s to today, the number of jobs requiring a license exploded from 1 in 20 to 1 in 4. Such rules originally applied only to learned professions, such as physicians, attorneys, architects and CPAs. (In fact, the first law regulating the accounting profession was introduced here in New York in 1896.) Today, however, these requirements have come to encompass such diverse jobs as hair braiders, auctioneers and home entertainment system installers. Currently, occupations and the learned professions are viewed the same. The AICPA and NASBA have formed a coalition with other licensed professionals called the Alliance for Responsible Professional Licensing (ARPL), which aims to educate policymakers and the public on the importance of high standards, rigorous education and extensive experience within highly complex, technical professions that are relied upon to protect public safety and enhance the public trust.

UPDATE: The NYSSCPA is monitoring the issue in New York State.

Read the 2024 NYSSCPA Legislative & Regulatory Agenda in full.

2024 Leadership Conference Debrief

The Government Relations Team was very active during this year's Leadership Conference in the Adirondacks.

- Advocacy Roundtable: The Legislative Task Force (LTF) and the Political Action Committee (PAC) met for their annual joint meeting, where leaders discussed possible additions and modifications to the Legislative Agenda; received a political and legislative update from the recently closed legislative session; and covered regular business, like reviewing and approving the annual PAC Disbursement Plan.

- Apps & Sips: The PAC successfully hosted a fundraiser to strengthen its influence in Albany. Historically, the PAC has played a vital role in opening the necessary doors in Albany to ensure that our legislative needs are being heard and met. Guests at the fundraiser were treated to the wide variety of food options that the Adirondacks has to offer, while drinking handcrafted cocktails. If you are interested in donating to the PAC, please visit our website.

- Regulatory Panel: NYSSCPA CEO Calvin Harris Jr. moderated a panel discussion with incoming National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA) CEO—and former New York State Board for Public Accountancy Executive Secretary—Daniel J. Dustin, AICPA Associate Director of State Legislative and Regulatory Affairs James Cox, and current New York State Board for Public Accountancy Executive Secretary Jennifer Winters. Discussion topics included the execution of non-CPA firm ownership, beneficial ownership information (BOI) reporting, the pipeline and more.

Member Appreciation Week

As a thank you to its valued members, the NYSSCPA kicked off "Member Appreciation Week" on June 17, 2024, which included various educational sessions and networking opportunities designed specifically for its' members.

Additionally, **the NYSSCPA announced a listing of discounts that members can take advantage now and over the course of the next few months.** See below for a listing of such discounts and feel free to take advantage of these great deals today!

DISCOUNTS

Brooks Brothers – Sign up to save on quality clothing and accessories. Conditions apply. Enroll at Membership.BrooksBrothers.com. Use Organization Number 11439, PIN code 40062.

Margaritaville Resort Times Square – Save 20% on food and non-alcoholic beverages at Margaritaville and Landshark in NYC. Discount valid June 20 to August 20.

Splish Splash – Head out to Suffolk County for a fun-filled day at the water park. Use code 24NYSSCPA at checkout to get the discounted $44.99 price.

Kimpton Hotel Eventi, NYC – Save 15% off the hotel's Best Flexible Rate, have the Daily Guest Amenity Fee waived, and receive a complimentary room upgrade (based upon availability) when you book between June 17-21 for Stay Dates June 17 to September 2, 2024. Offer not available online. Email reservation requests to Rocio.Romani@hoteleventi.com and Jerry.Leguillow@hoteleventi.com with the subject line, "NYSSCPA Member Appreciation Week Reservation Request."

Announcing: The Trusted Professional Podcast

The New York State Society of CPAs is excited to bring you a new podcast, hosted by CEO **Calvin Harris Jr.** *The Trusted Professional Podcast* will be an important source of information covering what's going on right now in the accounting profession and within the Society. Calvin will interview prominent Society members, influential CPAs and other leaders who impact the profession. A new episode of the podcast will be released on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month and can be delivered straight to your smartphone when you hit subscribe or follow.

We hope you tune in regularly from wherever you get your podcasts!

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If you have questions, comments or suggestions for a possible interviewee, please email us at podcast@nysscpa.org. And remember to tune in on the second and fourth Thursday of each month—or at your leisure!

Thank you for listening.

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Suffolk Chapter CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Suffolk Chapter Nine and Dine Classic. Details on page 14.

JULY 29, 2024
Accurate Recording of Contribution Revenue. Details on page 15.

AUGUST 29, 2024
Suffolk Chapter Annual Membership Beach BBQ. Details on page 16.

SEPTEMBER 19, 2024
Annual Super-Sized Networking Event. Details on page 17.

NOVEMBER 8, 2024
Annual All Day A&A Conference. Details on page 18.

DECEMBER 4, 2024
Annual Ethics Update. Details on page 19.

Committee Chairs! Send future meeting dates to Janet Verneuille, janet.verneuille@fnbli.com.

For up-to-the-minute NYSSCPA Suffolk Chapter activities CLICK HERE

Join Us

Join the NYSSCPA Suffolk Chapter for 9 holes of golf. It's the perfect opportunity to enjoy a fantastic day filled with golfing, networking, and fun.

Whether you're a golf enthusiast or just interested in good company and delicious dinner, this event promises something for everyone.

Suffolk Chapter Nine and Dine Classic

Thursday, July 18, 2024

at Cherry Creek Golf Links
900 Reeves Avenue, Riverhead

2:30 p.m. Registration, driving range
3:00 p.m. Shotgun start
5:30 p.m. Dinner

Pricing:

$100	Golf & Dinner
$50	Dinner Only

Sponsorships:

$1,250	Event Sponsorship (2 golfers, dinner, tee sign, event promotion)
$100	Tee Sign Sponsorship

BBQ, drink cart for golfers
Beer/wine/soda included at dinner

RSVP HERE

More Information:
John M. Spatola, jspatola@ns.cpa

Accurate Recording of Contribution Revenue

Monday, July 29, 2024
8:30 to 9:30 a.m.
At Cerini & Associates
3340 Veterans Memorial Highway, Bohemia

Join the Suffolk Chapter Nonprofit Committee to get a thorough understanding of how to classify and record different types of contribution revenue under current accounting standards. Make sure you can identify the key criteria that distinguish between conditional and unconditional contributions. Highlights:

- Contribution revenues that should be recorded for nonprofit organization under the current accounting standards
- Proper way to document when preparing workpapers for contribution revenue
- Best practices for ensuring compliance with donor restriction and relating reporting requirements.

SPEAKER
Mahnaz Cavalluzzi – Cerini & Associates

1 CPE credits (Course code: 29081501)
FREE! In lieu of fee, you are encouraged to donate to the **NYSSCPA's Moynihan Scholarship Fund!**

REGISTER HERE

Suffolk Chapter Annual
Membership Beach BBQ

Thursday, August 29, 2024
6 to 9 p.m.
at the Salt Shack
100 Cedar Beach Way
Babylon

Join us as NYSSCPA Suffolk members and non-members network amongst each other, as well as with Suffolk Chapter leadership, at this laid-back social event.

FREE! | BBQ foods | Open bar | Casual/tropical attire encouraged.

REGISTER HERE

Questions? Bob Huether, rhuether@estee.com

Several
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To sponsor this event contact
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The NYSSCPA Suffolk and Nassau Chapters are proud to co-host the

12th Annual Super-Sized Networking Event!

Thursday, September 19, 2024
7:30 to 9:30 pm
at Bijou
400 Broadhollow Rd, Melville

It's the networking event of the fall!
Including attorneys, accountants, students, bankers, members in industry, and local business owners.

$120 per person
(includes open bar, passed hors d'oeuvres, dinner, dessert)

REGISTER HERE

Questions? Bob Huether, rhuether@estee.com

SAVE THE DATES!

Annual All Day A&A Conference

Friday, November 8, 2024
8:50 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
at the Hyatt Regency, Hauppauge

8 CPE credits
Course Code: 28113522
Member/Non: $379/$479

REGISTRATION HERE

Annual All Day Tax Conference

Thursday, December 5, 2024
8:50 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
at the Melville Marriott

8 CPE credits
Course Code: 28603525
Member/Non: $379/$479

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[WEBINAR]

Annual Ethics Update

Wednesday, December 4, 2024
8:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Join us for our annual ethics update, which gives you a basic understanding of the fundamental concepts underlying your ethical responsibilities. Highlights:

- The AICPA ethical standards: the Code including proposed revisions
- New York State Laws, Regulations and Rules, including but not limited to:
  - Retention and maintenance of work papers
  - Competency requirements for attest and compilation services
  - Failing to maintain an active registration when using the title of designation
  - Reportable events
  - Commissions and referral fees, including mandatory disclosure
- Public expectations of CPAs' responsibilities
- Enforcement of rules on ethics by AICPA and NYS Office of the Professions

SPEAKER

Ernest Patrick Smith – Nawrocki Smith LLP

2 CPE credits (Course code: 11507504). **$35/$50** (member/non).

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- ✔ **Stay Current.** Our publications are nationally recognized, and our online news outlets provide updates on vital developments.
- ✔ **Find Business Partners, Employees or a New Opportunity.** With 50+ committees and regional chapters across the state, the NYSSCPA offers you outstanding networking opportunities.
- ✔ **Increase Your Clout.** Your membership status lets clients and colleagues know you adhere to a high level of professional standards.
- ✔ **Save Time and Money.** Members are entitled to discounts on a huge variety of products and services.
- ✔ **FREE CPE.** Members can take unlimited on-demand FAE self-study CPE for FREE.
- ✔ **No CPA? No Problem.** The NYSSCPA welcomes CPAs, CPA firm employees, as well as non-CPA professionals.

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FUN & GAMES: Acronyms

Acronyms are abbreviations that can be said as words. Do you know the words within these words?

1. The **D** in RADAR	
A. Distinguishing	B. Dinging
C. Distributing	D. Detecting

2. The **A** in (NAVY) SEALs	
A. Accuracy	B. Aquatic
C. Adept	D. Air

3. The **N** in SNAFU	
A. Negative	B. Normal
C. Now	D. Nine

4. The **I** in ZIP (CODE)	
A. Interchange	B. Independent
C. Improvement	D. Implement

5. The **R** in LASER	
A. Replication	B. Random
C. Reflection	D. Radiation

6. The **R** in TASER	
A. Rifle	B. Repeated
C. Repulse	D. Rebound

7. The **T** in CAPTCHA	
A. Turing	B. Timed
C. Topical	D. Tableau

8. The **C** in CARE (PACKAGE)	
A. Compact	B. Chocolate
C. Catastrophe	D. Cooperative

9. The **I** in SIM (CARD)	
A. Inside	B. Identity
C. Illegal	D. Incognito

SOURCE: merriam-webster.com

How'd you do? Flip to see if you're right...

1. **D:** RADIO DETECTING AND RANGING

2. **D:** SEA, AIR, LAND

3. **B:** SITUATION NORMAL, ALL F*?! UP

4. **C:** ZONE IMPROVEMENT PLAN

5. **D:** LIGHT AMPLIFICATION BY STIMULATED EMISSION OF RADIATION

6. **A:** TOM SWIFT'S ELECTRIC RIFLE
(This was a children's adventure story.)

7. **A:** COMPLETELY AUTOMATIC PUBLIC TURING (TEST TO TELL) COMPUTERS (AND) HUMANS APART (This helps prove you're not a robot. Turing invented it)

8. **D:** COOPERATIVE FOR AMERICAN REMITTANCES TO EUROPE

9. **B:** SUBSCRIBER IDENTITY MODULE

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