Psychic Sisters
The Psychic Sisters believe that our loved ones continue to guide us along our path. Sometimes, because of our grief, we do not recognize the signs that are given to us to let us know that they are still present. Their psychic abilities began in childhood. Coming from a psychic family background, these clairvoyant, clairaudient and clairsentient abilities have been nurtured and developed for many years to support people in their lives.

Sisters and mediums Linda West and Jolene Paterson combine their ability to connect people with loved ones who have crossed over.

TICKETS

UCP-LI 5K Walk & Wheel
Throughout our 69 year history, UCP of Long Island has been committed to providing services and support to people with disabilities and their families. We strive for excellence by ensuring that our mission – to advance the independence, productivity, and full citizenship of people with disabilities - is achieved. The future of UCP of Long Island relies on its ability to be a constant voice within the community creating LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS for people with disabilities.

REGISTER TODAY!

LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS Gala
Join us Thursday, October 24, 2019 for the *Life Without Limits* Gala. A beautiful event where friends and supporters annually celebrate UCP's mission to create Life Without Limits for people with disabilities. The evening includes a cocktail hour, dinner, silent auctions, and more. Your support will help children and adults with disabilities lead independent and fulfilling lives.

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**Handbag Bingo**

Come join us for Sunday Brunch and a chance to WIN a designer bag!

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**SUPPORT US**

**DID YOU KNOW UCP of LI...**

*Spends over 92 cents of every dollar on programs and services.*

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**WAYS TO SHOW SUPPORT FOR THE PEOPLE WE SERVE**

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**FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!**

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**VOLUNTEER**

Volunteering can range from a few hours to a long-term relationship. To sign up or for further questions, please e-mail info@ucp-li.org.

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Make a meaningful, long-term gift that will cost little or nothing now and can create income opportunities for you and your family.

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**LEARN MORE**
Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible AmazonSmile purchases to UCP-LI.

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**EDUCATION SERVICES**

**Summer Fun at The Children's Center!**

*Throw off the bowlines
Sail away from the harbor
Catch the wind in your sails
Explore. Dream. Discover*

What a fun way to end Summer School; from meeting IEP goals, sensory play activities, line dancing and more!

Two highlights of our 2019 summer program were country line dancing and the petting zoo. Our children and staff boogied while learning new line dancing moves from our friend, Erika. Erika worked in conjunction with our staff to modify the line dancing activities to align with the fine and gross motor needs of our children. This was a great activity to
increase physical fitness and gross motor skills development in a fun and musical driven atmosphere.

The petting zoo was a huge success! Not only did our children have front row seats to the most friendliest, fuzziest and lovable show, but they also had the opportunity to engage with the animals.

Overall, a relaxing day for our children while they experienced 'therapeutic magic' with the variety of animals. An incredible opportunity for our children to build companionship and make a connection while promoting self-confidence and self-esteem.

As summer 2019 comes to an end, we wish all of our children a wonderful vacation and look forward to the new school year!

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

ADULT RESIDENTIAL

Dexter
Our Spotlighted House of the Month!
"I like to attend game night with friends."

-Yolan

One of our 31 homes, Dexter, is designed to offer each of our individuals the maximum level of independence. Our dedicated staff is an integral part of the residential program, providing a high level of care so that individuals like Yolan can achieve goals and be as independent as possible. With the assistance of our Direct Support Professionals, our individuals are able to participate in community events, foster lifelong friendships and experience the responsibilities of daily life.

ADULT SERVICES

MOCK INTERVIEWS WITH STERLING NATIONAL BANK!

"I appreciate all the help that The Employment Connection has given me, that they understand me as an individual, that they accept me."

-Robin

"I think The Employment Connection has given me a really good life. I really couldn't have asked for a better one."

-Kristin

The Employment Connection had the opportunity to collaborate with staff from Sterling National Bank to host mock interviews for the clients in our program. This was a great opportunity for our clients to meet recruiters and hiring managers while receiving positive feedback, reviewing resumes and build confidence by answering interview questions. Together, the team created an atmosphere for the client to experience expectations in a real job interview and help improve self-presentation.

By connecting our clients with satisfying, meaningful jobs that match their skills and interests, we change their lives, helping them find greater independence, purpose and integration with their community. At the same time, we help Long Island employers meet their hiring needs and diversity guidelines, while saving them time and money. The Employment Connection delivers a comprehensive
array of services including candidate assessments, job
matching, skills training and job coaching at the
employment site. Thanks to the efforts of our experienced,
professional staff, in recent years 86% of the workers we
placed were still working in their jobs after 90 days.

To learn more about partnership opportunities, call (631)
232-0015 or visit The Employment Connection.

Community and Independence

Meet Chi Chi, an individual in UCP-LI's Day Habilitation
Program. This program has provided the ability for Chi Chi
to pursue an inclusive lifestyle by becoming involved within
the community and by participating in interactive
activities at our Marcus Boulevard facility. In addition to
the community and interactive activities, he is also a part
of, "The Sensations", our in house musical group.

Chi Chi spends most of the day working on life skill goals
like: money management and communication. Chi Chi also
enjoys practicing throughout the week with "The
Sensations".

Staff assist Chi Chi while in the community helping to
participate in weekly shopping activities; by researching
shopping items, determining the cost of items and money
exchange. Chi Chi enjoys shopping at Target for his favorite
style of clothing and accessories.

"My favorite thing to do is
shop for hats and game night
with friends."

-Chi Chi

IN THE NEWS

Gold Coast Invitational
Today was not only a great day of sport and camaraderie, but it helped us to raise the critically needed funds that supports the adults and children that UCP of Long Island serves,” said, Robert Tils, Gold Coast Invitational Committee Chair. “This year’s outing was extra-special because we honored John and Mike, both of whom are known for their community-minded spirit.”

United Cerebral Palsy of Long Island hosted the 2019 Gold Coast Invitational on Monday, August 5, 2019 at the Cold Spring Country Club where the event raised $101,000.

In recognition of leadership and community involvement, UCP-LI honored two Long Island brothers, John Fitzpatrick, Senior Vice President of Investments at Morgan Stanley, and Mike Fitzpatrick, Assemblyman, representing the 8th District of New York. Both are active members of the Gold Coast Invitational committee.

UCP of Long Island would like to recognize and thank our Par sponsors, Knockout Pest Control, Moritt Hock & Hamroff, LLP. and New York Community Bank

Preemo Productions LLC. and the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts Give Back!

On Sunday, July 28th, 'That Motown Band' performed at The Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts.

Preemo Productions LLC. and the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts donated $2500 from the performance toward the launch of our Culinary Program. We sincerely thank our friends for putting us closer to our goal!

To learn more visit:
www.ucp-li.org