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On December 9, 2014 the Long Island Propane Gas Association Annual Christmas Party was held at the Hilton Garden Inn in Ronkonkoma, NY.

Every year we come together as an organization to celebrate the holiday season and the completion of another successful year. This year, we are proud to announce our First annual Toy Drive benefiting the Long Island Chapter of Toys for Tots.

At our October meeting, we had the pleasure of meeting with Staff Sgt. John Grigg, the Suffolk County Coordinator of Toys for Tots. Since 1947, The U.S. Marine Corps Toys for Tots program has collected new, unwrapped toys annually to distribute to community centers, churches and other nonprofit organizations. Over its life span, the Marine Toys for Tots Program has distributed over 469 million toys to over 216 million less fortunate children.

Our collection efforts began mid-October with donation boxes placed at the individual propane companies that make up our organization. We weren't sure what kind of response we would get, but EVERYONE got in the spirit! Together, we collected hundreds of gifts that go directly to the children in our community.

For more information, go to <http://www.toysfortots.org/>





