

SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE



DuWayne Gregory, Presiding Officer

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PRESIDING OFFICER GREGORY SPONSORS SPRING BASKETBALL LEAGUE



Amityville, NY – Suffolk County Legislature Presiding Officer DuWayne Gregory was on hand at the opening night of S.O.N.I.A.Y.'s spring basketball league, which the Presiding Officer is sponsoring, on April 7 in West Babylon. The league will be known as the "DuWayne Gregory Spring Basketball League."

Saunders Omnipresent Network Inspiring America's Youth Inc. (S.O.N.I.A.Y.) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization founded in North Babylon that offers structured programs and activities for students in grades 6-12 as an alternative to engaging in illegal and dangerous activities. Their mission is to provide inspiration and awareness to a culturally and economically diverse population through seminars, mentoring, after-school programs and recreational activities.

Keith Saunders, Founder/President of S.O.N.I.A.Y. said, "What you do for yourself dies with you, but what you do for others' lives on!" This quote from a female spectator at our last tournament, who was a breast cancer survivor, has become the adopted philosophy of S.O.N.I.A.Y. Please help support us as we host our Open Gym Youth Empowerment Programs and our First Annual DuWayne Gregory Spring Basketball League."

The league will run on Thursday nights from April 7 to June 2 at Brennan High School, 550 Mount Ave., West Babylon, every Thursday (April 7 - June 2) from 6-9:45p.m. Admission is free with valid photo identification. For more information, please visit www.facebook.com/soniyinc.

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