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A Newsday Community Affairs Department program engaging students in community service.



Baking People Happy

Shoreham-Wading River High School has a community service program called Nexus. Nexus allows each student to volunteer once a month at various programs. Recently the students visited the Stony Brook Veterans Home. There, they engaged the seniors in conversation, shared photos, played games and baked a Banana-Pineapple Cake. During the baking process they helped the senior's measure, mix and most of all, have some fun.

Carolyn Rodgers, a 9th grader, described the impact of the day, "It's a great feeling knowing you are helping others, especially those who served our country. It makes me appreciate the sacrifice that these veterans made for our country."

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