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## Women's EXPO October 3rd

The seventh annual **Women's EXPO** will be held on Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007 from 11 am to 6 pm at Middle Country Public Library, 101 Eastwood Blvd., Centereach (located off Middle Country Rd.,

1/4 mile west of Nicholls Rd). Admission is free.

The Women's Expo provides a marketplace for Long Island women who create and distribute a variety of products including culturally diverse items, fine art, jewelry, clothing, pottery, paper products, children's and household items, gift baskets, specialty food, glassware and more. A great opportunity to network, support Long Island women entrepreneurs and shop early for holiday gift giving, the Women's Expo showcases 71 Long Island women from Nassau and Suffolk counties, promoting economic independence for LI women and supporting two worthwhile organizations in the process. Last year, more than 2000 attended the event. Lunch is available in the Expo Café and this year Dr. MaryEllen Renna, LI pediatrician and author of *Growing Up Healthy the Next Generation Way* will be the featured guest author at the Expo's Tea-At-Half-Past-Three.

A joint venture of the *LI Fund for Women & Girls* and the *Middle Country Library Foundation*, all proceeds go to help support the Library's Miller Business Resource Center and the Fund's grant-making

activities. Bank of America is the lead EXPO sponsor. Others include Astoria Federal Savings. JPMorgan Chase. People's Alliance Federal Credit Union, Citibank, LI Development Corporation/LISBAC, Community Development Corporation of LI, Stony Brook Small Business Development Center, Jefferson's Lifecare Ferry Retirement Community, and Utopia Home Care, Inc. For information go to www.womensEXPOli.org or call 631-585-9393 ext. 296 or 224.

