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**ST. CHARLES and WAL-MART PARTNER TO OFFER
ASSISTED SHOPPING FOR THE MOBILITY IMPAIRED**

St. Charles Hospital, in conjunction with Wal-Mart in East Setauket, is happy to announce four hours of holiday shopping at Wal-Mart with assistance for the mobility impaired.

Thursday, December 20, Wal-Mart will open from 7:00 am to 11:00 am with special assistance for individuals with wheelchairs, walkers, canes, etc. Bill Hannigan, Director, Adaptive Sports and Community Outreach, St. Charles, stated, "As a wheelchair user myself, I know how difficult it can be to navigate stores during the busy holiday season. This is a great way for St. Charles, in partnership with a local business such as Wal-Mart, to assist individuals with disabilities maneuver the retail environment."

For information on shopping for the mobility impaired at Wal-Mart, please call (631) 474-6134.

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