



Babylon Alumni & Allies for Change (BAAC)
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The arrest of Babylon School District teacher and coach, Timothy Harrison, marks the first day of what we hope will be many instances of accountability and justice. It is a hopeful but heartbreaking moment, because while we are profoundly proud of the brave young woman who came forward, our hearts ache to learn of her experience. We respect the victim's and her family's privacy during this difficult time.

The Babylon Alumni and Allies for Change (BAAC) stand in solidarity with the victim and every other survivor bearing their stories, told and untold. We know firsthand that while this justice is long awaited, the trauma of her experience will never be fully resolved. A truly just world is one wherein all Babylon High Schoolers are safe, and not systematically groomed by their teachers and coaches in staggering numbers.

We are relieved to know that the victim's perpetrator will not have any further opportunities to harm children. And we look toward a future of holding accountable the many who committed misconduct, as well as those responsible for fostering and even condoning the culture which allowed this to happen.

Finally, we extend our compassion to the family of the perpetrator, who we know are hurting right now, too.

BAAC will continue to work towards its goal of seeking justice and accountability for the abuses suffered by countless alumni, and we hope you will join us in our efforts. We are currently working to educate alumni and community members about the importance of sharing any information they may know with NYS Attorney General Letitia James' office. More information can be found at our website at wegotyourbaac.org.

For questions about the information contained within this press release or about BAAC and its goals, please contact the team at wegotyourbaac@gmail.com.

ABOUT BAAC

The Babylon Alumni and Allies for Change are a collective who believe that the past abuses revealed by survivors who have come forward deserve to be reckoned with and prevented in the future. We are working to provide healing safe spaces for survivors, while seeking justice and accountability for their experiences, and establishing preventative policies and practices in the Babylon School District.

Learn more at: wegotyourbaac.org