As reported in the June 14, 1901, edition of the Suffolk County News, “The Sagaponack Golf Club are building a most attractive club house. The large room in the center of the building can be used for dancing, theatricals, etc. Large verandas on three sides of the building, commanding a view of the links, and tennis courts...has made it ‘quite sporty.’” The Sagaponack Golf Clubhouse originally stood on the eastern shore of Sagg Pond on Bridge Lane. After the exodus of club members to the more popular Bridgehampton Club, the club-house was sold and moved to the west side of the pond on Bridge Lane by J.O. Hopping, and there it became fitted as an Episcopal chapel, below, for the summer colony.

A few years later, the clubhouse-turned-chapel was moved once more to Main Street and Hull Lane. In 1915, it was redesigned by the architect James Ware of New York City. Ware had earned early praise and recognition for pioneering modern fireproofing, improving city dwellings for the poor, and designing the Mohonk Mountain House in New Paltz. The Wares were summer residents of Bridgehampton.