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COMMUNITY UNITED TO COLLECT SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR NEEDY CHILDREN



2009 School Supplies Collected



9th District Office School Supplies Collected

CENTRAL ISLIP- Suffolk County Legislator Ricardo Montano (D-Brentwood) is very grateful for the participation of the 9th Legislative District in the Backpack Pirates School Supplies Drive, for the 3rd Annual Backpack Pirates Summer Fest, organized by Every Child's Dream. A special thank you goes out to all of the individuals and organizations that donated supplies for this wonderful occasion.

"I was delighted to see the level of participation of so many people in my community," Montano said. "We are all suffering the effects of the bad economic situation that our nation faces; however, we value the importance of a child's education."

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