

Senator Robach's Community Connection



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Out and About Events Around My District This Week

Legislatively Speaking

Earlier this week, my colleagues and I in the New York State Legislature passed the 2011-2012 Budget, which went into effect on Friday, April 1st. The budget was finalized early in the morning on Thursday, March 31st, ensuring an on-time budget.

I believe this budget is a step in the right direction to getting our state back on track and one we need to take. There are many challenges ahead, but I think it is very important we move in a different direction and this budget does that. Like many working families in this tough economic time, we are making some tough decisions. This budget reduces government spending, contains no new taxes, and protects vital services.

In the coming days, more specific details regarding this budget will be available on my web site.

Section Five Football Hall of Fame Gets a New Home

Last Saturday, I had the opportunity to help cut the ribbon on the new Section Five Football Hall of Fame, which will now be located at Sahlen's Stadium (formerly PAETEC Park). Here, I am pictured with Section Five Football Chairman Dick Cerone. Next Thursday, Section Five will induct the 2011 class into its Hall of Fame. For more pictures from Saturday's event, you can follow me on Facebook at www.facebook.com/senatorjosepherobach. Congratulations to the inductees!



On Saturday, April 2nd, Boy Scout Troop & Pack 169 will hold a fundraiser from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Danforth Community Center (200 West Avenue). All donations and proceeds will go to Japan relief efforts.

On Thursday, April 7th, Bike Zone will hold a grand opening and ribbon cutting at their new Greece location (2100 Ridge Road West) beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Section Five Football will induct the members of the 2011 class during a ceremony at the R.I.T. Inn and Conference Center also on Thursday, at 7:00 p.m.

The first Honor Flight Welcome Home is next Saturday, April 9th, as the flight is scheduled to land at the airport at 11:21 a.m. with a ceremony beginning around Noon.

The Rochester Red Wings home opener of the 2011 season is next Saturday, April 9th against the Scranton Wilkes-Barre Yankees. First pitch is scheduled for 4:05 p.m. at Frontier Field.

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