

Community Connection for Week Ending June 17th, 2012

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piercing of any part of the body, other than the ears.

Of the people with body piercings, more than a third received their first piercing before the age of 18. Body piercings are well-documented to have possible adverse health effects. Some studies have shown complications arising in 25% of all cases. These complications include allergic reactions, skin infections, scarring, and general discomfort.

Previously, there was no state law establishing any age restrictions on body piercing. While some studios may require written consent before piercing persons under the age 18, many others do not. For more details on this bill, visit my website at www.robach.nysenate.gov.

for Life
Recently, I had the
privilege to attend



Historical Society, 595 Long Pond Road.

Also on Monday, June 18th, Valvoline will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony at 5:30 p.m. for its new location at 2472 Monroe Avenue in Brighton.

Wednesday, June 20th, is the Annual Barnard Parade beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Premiere Signs will hold its grand opening on Thursday, June 21st, at 2:00 p.m. They

In this week's Community Connection: the Senate passes legislation regarding body piercing received by people under the age of 18, upcoming events around the area, and a recap of the Greece Relay for Life. You can view this week's Community Connection in full-screen by clicking on the link below.