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Community Update: Week Ending 8/5/11

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vendors and exhibitors this weekend from across the country. Last year, 250,000 visitors attended the festival to enjoy the artists and listen to the more than 32 live music performances. The festival is open from 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Visit the festival's web site, http://www.park-avenue.org/events.html, for more details and enjoy Park Ave this weekend! The festival runs along Park Avenue from Alexander Street to Culver Road. Between these two streets, Park Avenue is closed to traffic from 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday.

August is National Immunization Awareness Month

As parents enroll their children for the upcoming school year and college students head back to campus. August is National Night Out on August 4th. The crime prevention rally was held at the Irondequoit Town Hall Performing Arts Center Gazebo where police, ambulance and firefighter vehicles were on hand. Adults and children of all ages were able to learn about and experience public safety hands-on.

Irondequoit's National Night Out is similar to events across the country during which neighborhoods demonstrate their unity against crime through increasing crime prevention awareness and generating support for local anticrime programs. National Night Out events have proven to be effective, inexpensive programs at engaging