Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh Attends Annual Brookhaven Black History Month Celebration

FARMINGVILLE, NY - Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh attended the Annual Black History Month Celebration on February 27, 2009 held in the Town of Brookhaven Auditorium. Chairperson Roberta Owens and the members of the committee, guest speakers, fire department members, video highlights and an array of ethnic cuisine, that saturated a well rounded program.

Military men and woman, past and present were recognized for their service. Councilwoman Walsh introduced the honorees and awarded them each a Certificate of Appreciation. "There is no honor I can bestow on them today that can equal the honor we have in them serving us. May God bless them and keep them safe," Councilwoman Walsh said at the event

High school students within the Town of Brookhaven maintaining a grade point average of 3.0 or better were invited to attend the celebration, and were recognized for their outstanding achievements. Councilwoman Walsh presented Certificates of Congratulation to the students from Newfield High School for their academic success.

"This is the perfect forum to meet students who work diligently to maintain above average grades securing a foothold on their future. As a former Newfield graduate myself, I find it personally rewarding to meet such fine young men and women from my district" said Councilwoman Walsh. Pictured above are Councilwoman Walsh and students from Newfield High School at the event.