

Elementary School in Rocky Point to Send "Lunchbags of Love" to Military Serving Overseas

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Farmingville, NY - On May 27, Councilwoman Jane Bonner visited the Frank J. Carasiti Elementary School in Rocky Point to help students prepare and mail out "Lunchbags of Love" to members of the military who are serving overseas. The second grade students in Mrs. Stacy Iberger's class made boxes containing personal hygiene items, candy, pens, paper, note cards, word puzzle books and decks of cards which were all donated by the students. The boxes also included decorated bags and letters written by the students to those who will receive the boxes. During her visit, the Councilwoman presented certificates of appreciation to Mrs. Iberger and the students who donated enough items to fill 12 large postal boxes.

"It's heartwarming to see the enthusiasm of the students who took part in this wonderful project," said Councilwoman Bonner. "I want to thank Mrs. Iberger, the children and their parents for helping to make life a little better for our military men and women."

Left photo: Back row left to right are Councilwoman Bonner Mrs. Iberger, Carol and Kerrin Blieka with Mrs. Iberger's 2nd Grade class. Carol Blieka's son is currently serving in the military and will be a recipient of one of the "Lunchbags of Love."

Right photo: Rocky Point School Superintendent Michael Ring (left), Councilwoman Bonner (third from left), Mrs. Iberger (sixth from left) and Rocky Point School Assistant Superintendent Dr. Deborah DeLuca with students and members of VFW Fischer/Hewins Post 6249 of Rocky Point.

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