

## SALAMANCA ATTENDS CB 2 BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION

Councilman Rafael Salamanca joined Bronx Community Board 2 for its annual back-to-school event where the board gave out more than 1,000 backpacks and school supplies to local students.



(back, l-r) Councilwoman Diane Ayala; Senator Luis Sepulveda and Councilman Salamanca joined CB 2 members in preparing students for a new academic year.

Photo courtesy of Councilman Rafael Salamanca's Office



## SALAMANCA PARTICIPATES IN POOL CHALLENGE

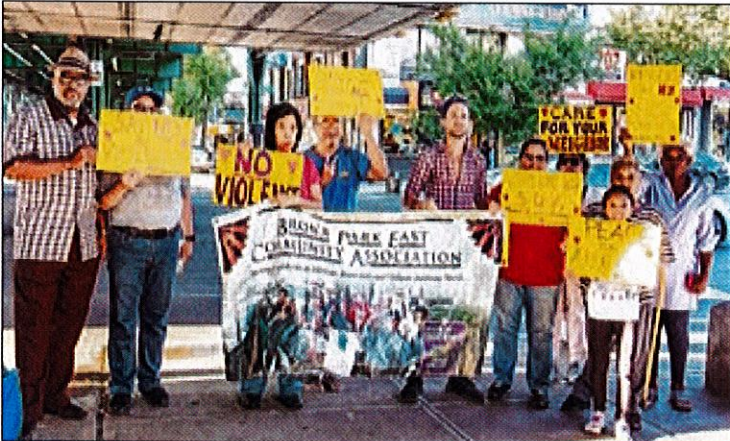
Councilman Rafael Salamanca joined Assemblyman Marcos Crespo; Councilman Ruben Diaz, Sr.; Ralph Acevedo, Community Board 2 district manager and NYC Parks Commissioner Mitchell Silver for a dip in the Floating Pool Lady at Barretto Point Park on Friday, August 24.

Salamanca (2nd from r) joined Parks and elected officials for some summer fun!

Photo courtesy of Councilman Rafael Salamanca's Office

## SUV RALLIES AGAINST VIOLENCE IN ALLERTON

Stand Up to Violence joined residents and community leaders for a community shooting response rally on Thursday, August 23 at White Plains Road and Allerton Avenue.



Rafael Schweizer (c), Bronx Park East Community Association co-founder and chairman and BPECA members participated in the shooting response rally.

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## KLEIN, TNMA HOSTS ILLUMINATION CONFERENCE

Senator Jeff Klein and the Throggs Neck Merchants Association held a Street Light Illumination Press Conference on Thursday, August 23 in front of 3421 E. Tremont Avenue. The senator pledged his support in securing the funds to install streetlights along Bruckner Boulevard.



(l-r) Senator Klein; Bobby Jaen, TNMA president; Councilman Mark Gjonaj and Stephen Kaufman, TNMA legal advisor demonstrated their unity.

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## TRIBORO CENTER CELEBRATES BE AN ANGEL DAY



Triboro Center celebrated its second annual Be an Angel Day, an anti-violence celebration, on Wednesday, August 22 at Teller Avenue and East 167th Street. Triboro Center leadership and staff distributed free ice cream to guests who also met with Hector Santiago, Stop and Shake program founder; 44th Precinct police officers and New Yorkers Against Gun Violence representatives.

(l-r) Stop and Shake's Hector Santiago, Moises Mendez, Triboro Center's Rose Ferrera, Jason Ederhart and Shragi Goldberg enjoyed some tasty ice cream.

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