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Play Ball!

Local Leaders Join North Babylon Youth League for Opening Day 2010 Festivities



Pictured back right, Suffolk Legislator Lou D'Amaro (D-North Babylon) joins (from left) North Babylon Fire Chief John Schneidawin, Babylon Town Councilman Tony Martinez, NBYL President Michael Filippone and players from the Orioles for Opening Day 2010.

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(NORTH BABYLON, NY... April 19, 2010) –North Babylon resident and Suffolk Legislator Lou D’Amaro (D-North Babylon) recently joined local elected officials, community leaders, parents and the real stars of the day – the ballplayers – as the North Babylon Youth League (NBYL) opened its 53rd season with the annual parade and ceremonial first pitch at Phelps Lane Park in North Babylon.

Under the direction of League President Michael Filippone and operating under the international Little League charter, more than 725 North Babylon children ages 5-18 are participating in baseball, softball and challenger divisions this season. This is an especially exciting year for Legislator D’Amaro as, for the first time, both of his sons are playing on NBYL baseball teams this year.

“As a parent and neighbor, I would like to thank all of the volunteers in the North Babylon Youth League for giving their time and energy to make it possible for our youngsters, no matter their age or ability, to ‘play ball!’,” said Legislator D’Amaro. “Today, Phelps Lane Park -- tomorrow, it could be Yankee Stadium. I wish the players, coaches, parents and fans all the best during the 2010 season.”

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