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Lindenhurst Youth Boxing Program Honored Again with "BEST of LONG ISLAND" Award

December 27, 2011 – For the second year in a row **Bettinelli's Community Boxing Academy** has been awarded **The BEST of LONG ISLAND 2012** honor for **Best Boxing Gym**; presented by The Long Island Press. This is the second time the facility has received the honor in a category that was only added in 2011.

"We've been doing this a long time now. There are months when we don't know how we'll be able to meet our expenses, but accolades like these help fuel our passion to press on; and having 800 parents on our mailing list helps too," said **Ray Bettinelli, Head Boxing Coach and Director of Operations for BCBA.**

Since 2004 **BCBA** has been serving the greater Lindenhurst community by **providing local youth** with well-rounded, **character building athletic programs** designed to help kids become self-reliant so they can go on to become **Champions in Life!** Their programs are affordable and taught in a safe and structured environment. In addition, **BCBA** offers **FREE** gym memberships to ALL youth (ages 10-17) who complete their Introduction to the Sport of Amateur Boxing course | [D.R.I.F.T.](#)

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