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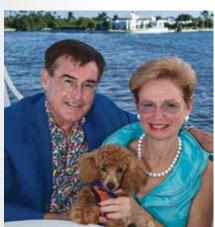


That was the motivation behind the creation of **Artistry In Motion Holographics (AIM Holographics)** for Carl Minardo. The love Carl had for his deceased grandfather was lasting, well after he died. This love was so great that he longed to "see" him and for his grandchildren and great grandchildren to be able to "feel" his presence. Because of this, **Carl teamed up with Steve Harless to make that dream a reality.** The pair invested in 3D

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Hat Luncheon

The Women's Committee of the Central Park Conservancy's Frederick Law Olmsted Awards, also known as the "hat luncheon." At the 32nd annual luncheon last year—held on May 7th, 2014, as always, at the Conservatory Garden—many hats were adorned with feathers, flowers and butterflies. But there was headgear of all kinds—from fascinators to wide-brimmed sun hats and everything in between. It's the

largest fundraiser of the year for the Conservancy, with more than 1,200 guests in attendance this year.

The total amount raised was \$3.5 million. J.P. Morgan Chase served as the corporate chair. The Frederick Law Olmsted Award went to former Mayor Michael **Bloomberg**, who received a standing ovation and cheers as he took to the podium. "Now you're making me feel bad I didn't wear a hat," he joked.



Anne Harrison, Diana Taylor, Michael Bloomberg, Katie-Harrison

"I've always believed, like Olmsted did, that the parks can be a

powerful influence for democracy, bringing people of all different backgrounds together," said Mr. Bloomberg. Central Park "belongs to all New Yorkers, but, really, it belongs to the whole world."

The 33rd Annual "Hat Luncheon" will take place on May 6th, 2015 at the Conservatory Garden.



Deborah Edell, Lizzie Tisch, Amy Fine Collins, Robert Verdi, Kimberly Chandler, Nancy Lane, Lisa Blau, Jane Wagman, Liz Lange









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Letter from the **Editor**

Dear Readers, Friends and Supporters!

We present our cover with

The 32nd annual luncheon held on May 7th, 2014. The total amount raised \$3,500 million! Central Park, New York. The 33rd annual "Hat Luncheon" will take place on May 6th, 2015 at the Conservatory Garden, Central Park.

Thanks to the leadership of Chairman Patrick Park of American Red Cross, The 58th International Red Cross Ball was announced as The Event of the Season!

We would also love to mention to you Palm Beach Symphony and Russian pianist Lola Astanova close season with a "Symphonic (R)Evolution.

Best wishes,

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and Monsieur Swifty-Sweetie

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NAMI of Palm Beach County is a non-profit, grassroots organization dedicated to providing free, evidence-based and best practice educational programs, support groups, information on resources, and advocacy with the goal to empower individuals living with mental illness and their families. NAMI believes recovery is possible. Elimination of the stigma attached to mental illness is essential to achieving the goals of empowerment, social inclusion, and recovery. For further information on NAMI of PBC please visit the website at: www.namipbc.org or contact the NAMI of PBC office at 561-588-3477.



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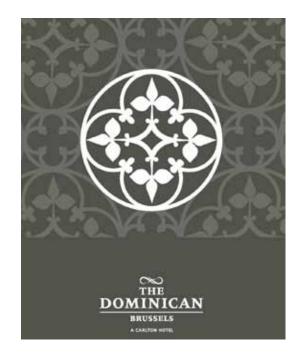
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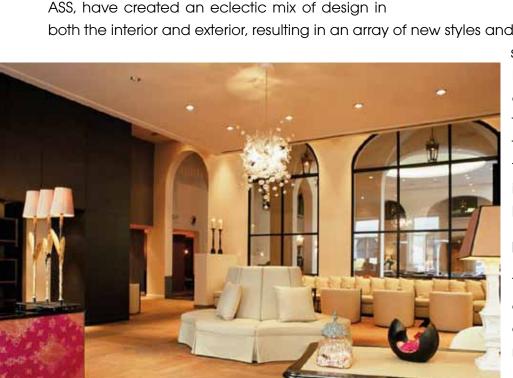


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Brussels is a sumptuous city, loved by Eurocrats and making history daily. Within this rich history of graceful architecture The Dominican strives to integrate Brussels' traditions and the building's history with cutting edge contemporary design and the ultimate in style and comfort. The Dominican is on Condé Nast Traveler's Hot List 2008.

The award winning architects of FG Stijl and LENS $^{\!\circ}$ ASS, have created an eclectic mix of design in

both the interior and exterior, resulting in an array of new styles and experiences. The rich history of the location was a





source of inspiration in the exclusive design of The Dominican, mainly the Dominican Abbey which occupied the site during the 15th century. Home to famous French painter Jacques-Louis David in the 19th century, his spirit is preserved in the original facade of his abode, which is today seamlessly integrated into the new building that houses the hotel.

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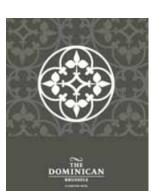
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Mar-a-Lago Champagne Reception Preludes a Grand Finale

Patrons favored champagne over vodka at the pool-side cocktail reception preceding the Palm Beach Symphony's Russian close to the season at Mar-a-Lago. Uzbekistan born virtuoso pianist, Lola Astanova, returned as a special guest artist and joined the Symphony for a grandiose finale titled "Symphonic (R)evolution."

A Russian essence invaded the estate's palatial ballroom for the final concert of the season with compositions of Shostakovich and Rachmaninoff. Under the masterful direction of Maestro Ramón Tebar, the Orchestra ardently opened the evening's performance playing Shostakovich's Festive Overture, which depicts the Russian Revolution, only to be evolved by the ultra-Romanticism of Rachmaninov's Rhapsody on a Theme by



Lola Astanova and Ramon Tebar

Paganini, performed on piano by Astanova. Finally, the Orchestra brought it back to the Revolution for a fiery conclusion with Shostakovich's Symphony No. 12.

"The Palm Beach Symphony is thrilled to once again collaborate with the very talented Lola Astanova and close our season at Mara-Lago." noted David McClymont, Executive Director of the Palm Beach Symphony. "We are encouraged by the tremendous season we have had and could not have done it without the support of so many symphony enthusiasts. Our momentum has us excited for the possibilities of next season and we look forward to bringing more world-class performances like this one to our community."

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On Tuesday, March 24, 2015, the World Affairs Council of Palm Beach hosted Gary Gambill at the Colony Palm Beach Pavilion Room. Gambill spoke to an enthusiastic audience about "Syria and Iraq: The Case For Partition." He is a Shillman Ginsburg Fellow and General Editor of the Middle East Forum and is responsible for launching and editing the on-line edition of the Forum's flagship publication "The Middles East Quarterly." Gambill has worked as country report analyst for Freedom House and as adjunct professor at College of Mount Saint Vincent.





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Paradise Lost, the aptly named anchor shop on the renowned **Via Testa**, has long been a mandatory stop when visiting Palm Beach's famous Sunset Avenue consignment district.

The shop - well known to the international set (from Tanya Pierce days) for fascinating gifts, objets d'art and home decor - has expanded with *two* new Palm Beach locations: **227 and 230 Sunrise Avenue.**

In addition to Herend, Lalique and Waterford; English, French and German china; and antiques, oils and sculptures, there are now full men's and women's departments featuring designer shoes, clothing and accessories, including bags, fine and costume jewelry, and luggage, most of it from local island homes.

What is so special about Paradise Lost is that there are no shops in Palm Beach where one may find, for instance, that definitive *Cartier* bracelet or *Chanel* handbag for her, as well as that au courant Hermes necktie or pair of Ferragamo loafers for him, and - at the same time - purchase a couple of polo mallets, a 17th century French painting or a Sutton-Kerr safari head. The variety makes for an exciting shopping experience.

The Paradise Lost Boutique (227 Sunrise) features top designer fashions and accessories, and consignors get 60% - not the average 50% - on high-end designer items. **Across the street, the Paradise Lost Showroom (230 Sunrise) is a real Paradise for decorators** - or anyone putting a home together, with antiques, furniture, light fixtures, wall art, housewares and unusual estate items throughout the showroom floor.

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Paradise Lost specializes in items that are hard-to-find, one-of-a-kind or have (merely) slipped-the-mind. The shops aspire to be that rare combination of interest and value, offering items that range from wacky to wonderful—a delightful blend of fashion boutique, estate

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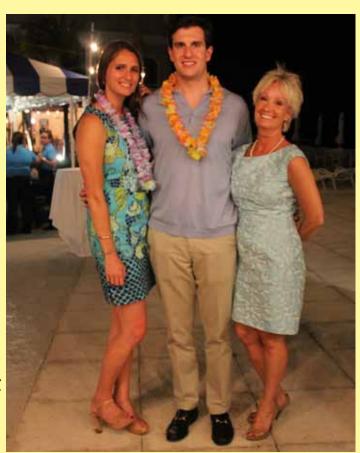
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rather—wandered through—with enough leisure to study and savor and take it all in, knowing that - while you may not have purchased a thing—you will come back again and again, out of sheer curiosity and delight.









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The 58th International Red Cross Ball made history recently as this year's most memorable gala of the season, with an Around The World in 80 Days theme. Under the direction of Chairman Patrick M. Park and Vice Chairman, Patty Myura, the "Mega Event" was sold out with 700 guests in attendance.

"I'm honored to be tonight's chairman for the ball which has garnered a reputation as the most prestigious event on the social calendar," noted Mr. Park. "I am delighted to be here as we celebrate all the American Red Cross does in our South Florida community, across the country and around the world. Our goal is to raise awareness and to promote more good will among our constituents around the globe."

International Honorary Chairs were Melania and Donald Trump, with Honorary Chairs including Michele and Howard Kessler, Nancy and William Rollnick and Kathryn and Leo Vecellio. Co-Chairmen included Veronica Atkins, Arthur E. Benjamin, Paula Butler, Hermé de Wyman

Miro, Mei Sze Greene, Suzanne L. Niedland, Bjaye Pilotte, Lois Pope, Julie Thomas, The Honorable Beverly White Yeager and Paula Zukov.

The Palm Beach Symphony, under the direction of Ramón Tebar, entertained guests during the cocktail reception, while Tenor Francesco Valpa captivated the audience with his spell-bounding solos. During the dinner reception, guests savored the intercontinental fare and danced to the tunes of the Sultans of Swing along with famed entertainer, Wayne Newton.

Proceeds from the 58th International Red Cross Ball benefit the mission of the organization -- to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors. For more information, please contact Anna Erickson at (561) 650-9105 or Anna. Erickson@redcross.org.



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Bob Mooney with Sheriff of PBC Ric Bradshaw



Drawing the largest crowd of pet lovers and advocates yet in its 13-year history, this year's Annual Doggie Ball 'fund' and 'fan' raiser for Tri-County Animal Rescue (TCAR) was filled with pups, fabulous décor, celebrity lookalikes, non-stop live music, more than 600 silent auction items and plenty of social corralling. Held at Boca West Country Club and chaired by Sharon DiPietro, the event served up two parties-in-one to save the lives of thousands of

abandoned, abused or neglected dogs and cats rescued by TCAR, the area's largest true 100% no-kill regional non-profit animal rescue organization.

Donned in this year's patriotic themed colors of red, white and blue along with their finest cowboy boots and hats, more than 660 enjoyed the Bone-Nanza preparty followed by the western-themed dinner and Doggie Ball festivities that included dancing to the Jerry Wayne Private Party Band and special guest appearance by female vocalist Kendra Erika, and a live auction. Highlights of the evening included a debut of a new TCAR mission video featuring those on the frontline everyday for rescue,



recovery and adoption at TCAR, and the presentation

of the coveted **Jeannette Christos Award** to **Marta Batmasian** for her compassionate longtime dedication to TCAR and animal advocacy. Following the presentation, **Batmasian announced a family 'matching' gift of \$100,000 to support TCAR's Capital Campaign** for the construction of a new on-site rescue and adoption facility.

The Bone-Nanza, staged throughout the club environs, flowed with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, an expanded silent auction with a first-time-ever Doggie-Cat Couture section that included a pen of rescue pups, a line-up of custom-designed pet beds and the latest fashionable pet lifestyle products and services. The Speechless Band provided the live entertainment as event-goers made donations to win at the the Famous Bone Wall and participated in the new 'Reigning Cats and Dogs' raffle sponsored by Gregory's Fine Jewelry gave paw-tyers a chance-to-win an original, one-of-a-kind necklace from



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Doggie Ball Honorary Chairs Debra and Jerry Kramer, Betsy Green and Tom Sawicz, Frank and Marie Occhigrossi, Herme de Wyman Miro, Andrea Kline, Lois Pope and Ari Rifkin were joined by Ambassadors Jay DiPietro and Jerry Kramer. This year's 'adorable and adoring' 2015 'Rescue Set' included Grand Marshal: Pomeranian Nili Rifkin joined by fellow marshals Yorkie Cindy Kramer, and Kitty Boys Blue Pope and Havanese Charlie Kline. Palm Beach County Sheriff Ric Bradshaw served as Honorary Marshal with Jean Marc Casanave as live auction auctioneer who was assisted by KOOL 105.5 radio morning show personalities Mo & Sally.

Doggie Ball Chair Sharon DiPietro and TCAR Co-Founder & Executive Director Suzi Goldsmith reported that proceeds from the annual Doggie Ball, TCAR's largest annual fundraiser, enables TCAR to continue its life-saving work, including large scale puppy mill and other rescue missions; restoring wholeness on a daily basis to animals in need; providing a safe home; comfort; nutritious food; lots of tender loving care and veterinary treatment until they can be adopted. TCAR operates solely on 100% donations — no city, regional or national government funding — to fulfill its creed: Rescue is our Mission. Rehabilitation is our Pledge. Rehome is our Purpose.

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