



# DAVID YURMAN

## The Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation

The Gardens Mall | Thursday, December 1st, 2011



David Yurman, Barbara Nicklaus and Patty McDonald

In celebration of the grand opening of David Yurman Palm Beach Gardens, renowned fine jewelry and timepiece designer, David Yurman, hosted an exclusive celebratory lunch for the friends and supporters of the Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation. Guests were treated to champagne and light bites as they view the designer's latest jewelry, timepiece, eyewear, fragrance, and high jewelry collections at the newly opened boutique. David Yurman is proud to make a donation in support of the Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation.

The Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation is dedicated to supporting the health, safety and well-being of children in the local community of Palm Beach. The Foundation provides support for activities that advance and enhance the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of childhood diseases and disorders.



Patty McDonald President & CEO Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation with Barbara Nicklaus

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Marienne Gold & David Yurman



Nan O'Leary, Barbara Nicklaus & Kristen Gaeta



David Yurman & Marla Decraeve, boutique manager



Kristen Gaeta, Sydney Collins, Patty Olsson, Nan O'Leary, Julie Healey, Margaret Collins, Lisa Sabourin





# Letter from the Editor

#### Dear Friends,

We, at *Palm Beach Today International*, would like to extend a warm welcome, to you, as we gear up for the exciting 2011-2012 season. We also would like to wish you, your friends, and your family members, a **Happy Chanukah** and a **Merry Christmas!** 

We also have a birds-eye view, for you, into many of the wonderful charity events and celebrations that have been taking place in Europe, Palm Beach, New York, Miami, and California. We are proud to be associated with so many worthy philanthropic endeavors.

We would like to thanks local and international Leaders, the Top Humanitarians, for the support of our publication. As a publisher of *Palm Beach Today International* magazine I feel privilege to be surrounded by high-end Philanthropists of the world.

I sincerely appreciate your support in our success for the future! Best wishes,

#### Maya Johnson

Publisher

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# **Career Transition for Dancers 26th Aniversary Jubilee** Monday, October 31, 2011 | New York City





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Chita Rivera





Produce and Directed by Ann Marie DeAngelo Executive Producer Alexander J. Dubé

# A Halloween Thriller

## \$1,100,000.50 NOW Raised From

The Dance! Entertainment Event Of The Year

## **ROLEX Presents A Halloween Thriller**

A "Spook-tacular" Dance Celebration of Ghosts, Ghouls, Vampires & Wills for kids & adults of all ages!

1,100,000.50 was raised from Rolex presented A HALLOWEEN THRILLER A Dance Celebration of Ghosts, Ghouls, Vampires & Wilis, - Career Transition For Dancers' 26th Anniversary Jubilee held on Monday, October 31st to a capacity audience at the newly renovated New York City Center. Chita Rivera, one of Broadway's most accomplished and versatile dancer/actress/singers, hosted the one-night-only entertainment extravaganza for kids and adults of all ages!

Tony Award winner **Bebe Neuwirth** with some former Bob Fosse dancers opened the show with "*Magic To Do*" from Pippin, followed by the National Dance Institute and other children performing Michael Jackson's "Thriller." *Rolex Watch USA* President & CEO Stewart Wicht previously stated "Rolex is proud to present Career Transition For Dancers' Gala and to give the 2011 Rolex Dance Award to **Mr. Nigel Lythgoe**, co-creator/executive producer of "So You Think You Can Dance" and Executive Producer

of "American Idol." The Career Transition For Dancers

Awards for Outstanding Contributions to the World of Dance were given to: Victor Elmaleh; Nancy MacMillan; Michele Riggi; National Museum of Dance.

The 26th Anniversary Chairs were Michele Herbert, Anka K. Palitz and Stewart Wicht; Gala Chairs were: Victor Elmaleh, Darlene & Brian Heidtke, Nancy & Duncan MacMillian, Michele & Ronald Riggi. The Dinner Chair was Janice Becker; Auction Chair: Ann Van Ness; and the Journal Chair: Craig Dix. Vice Chairs were Alexander J. Dubé, Mercedes Ellington, Vicki & Christopher Kellogg, Christina Rose, Nicole Sexton and Irene Shen. Honorary Chairs were Robert Battle, Jacques d'Amboise, Marcelo Gomes, Cynthia Gregory, Gelsey Kirkland, Darci Kistler, Angela Lansbury, Natalia Markarova, Peter Martins, Donna McKechnie, Liza Minnelli, Jerry Mitchell, Bebe Neuwirth, Sono Osato, David Parsons, Ann Reinking, Chita Rivera, Desmond Richardson, Tommy Tune, Christopher Wheeldon & Karen Ziemba. The show was produced and directed by Ann Marie DeAngelo.

Career Transition For Dancers, with offices in New York City, Los Angeles, and Chicago, has helped over 5,100 professional dancers in 47 states. The organization has provided of one-on-one career counseling and program services - at no cost - and has awarded millions of dollars in scholarships for education, entrepreneurial grants, and certification programs.





# **Career Transition for Dancers 26th Aniversary Jubilee**

Monday, October 31, 2011 | New York City

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Vicki and Christopher Kellogg





Lucia Hwong Gordon and Bonnie Pfeiffer









Chita Rivera and Michele Herbert



Carmen DeLavallade



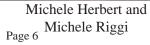
David Hew, Cheryl Gowdy, Gerre Gowdy and Clif de Raita



Fe Fendi and Anka K. Palitz



Victoria Herbert and Marc Bertman



# Halloween Thriller



Producer of "American Idol."



Barbara Taylor Bradford and Robert Bradford



Rob Rich and Michele Herbert



Arnie Rosenshein and Paola Bacchinit







Mr. Nigel Lythgoe, Executive Producer of "American Idol" with Maya Johnson Photo by Rob Rich



Christina Rose and Gianni Russo



Alexander J. Dubé and Anka K. Palitz



MJ Rogers



Donna and Dick Soloway Page 7

# Palm Beach Round Table

A non-profit, non-political, non-sectarian and non-governmental cultural organization

Betts & Robert Helander, Dom Paparone, Dick Pietrafesa, Dick Robinson, Doug Evans, Link & Jacquie Klein

The Palm Beach Round Table held their first luncheon of the season on Thursday, November 17, 2011 at The Colony Palm Beach with Luncheon *Chairman Hermé deWyman Miro* and *President Dick Robinson* presiding over the event. Sheldon Lenahan and Edwin Vinson were the Luncheon Underwriters. The guest speaker was Larry Bell, Author of *Climate of Corruption~Politics and Power Behind the Global Warming Hoax* and weekly columnist with Forbes.com. Mr. Bell stated that he did not intend to write a book but believes

there is a political crisis, not a scientific crisis regarding global warming. He said he doesn't think there is bases for the alternate energy sources and that it takes more energy to produce them than to actually use them. The Dreyfoos School of the Arts Choir performed a musical interlude led by their director Arlene Sparks prior to the luncheon.

Mrs. de Wyman Miro, Chairman, presented a scholarship to Dreyfoos School of the Arts Director Ms. Sparks. The Round Table patron members greatly enjoyed the event.







# THE LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY'S

fighting blood cancers

ANNUAL PALM BEACH GALA



Geri and Frank Morrow

Gala Organizers for
The Leukemia & Lymphoma
Society's Annual Gala
"Cirque du Palm Beach"

Palm Beach, FL – **The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS)** is proud to announce that *Geri & Frank Morrow* will again chair their *Annual Palm Beach Gala*. The gala is set to take place on January 21, 2012 at The Mar-a-Lago Club in Palm Beach. The evening's theme is "**Cirque du Palm Beach**".

Last year, the Morrow's were able to help LLS raise more than \$440,000 by securing fantastic auction items and thru the generosity of the Gala's donors. The Morrow's were previously involved as Gala Chairs for Alzheimer's Community Care which they brought to a high level of community awareness and financial success.

Saturday, January 21, 2012 Mar-a-Lago, Palm Beach

Geri & Frank Morrow Gala Chairs
Hermé de Wyman Miro International Chair
Ari Rifkin Honorary Chairman
Donald & Melania Trump Host Chairs

Pam Payne, Executive Director of the Palm Beach Area Chapter of LLS said, "We are thrilled that *Geri & Frank* have agreed to chair our gala again for the second year. With them on board, our 2012 event is sure to be another exciting and financially successful one. We sincerely appreciate their commitment to our mission."

Planning is already underway to make this year's event a most memorable and entertaining evening. Not only will this event raise necessary blood cancer research funding, but will also help support our local patients and their families by providing financial aid.

All proceeds from the Gala will benefit the LLS's mission to cure leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma and to improve the quality of life of patients and their families.

**For more information,** contact *Darby Collins*, Senior Campaign Director at **561-775-9954**.



Joanie Elliot & Kurt Von Hofmann



Paul & Paulette Noble



Maya Johnson & Jay Sullivan



Joey, Elizabeth and Jaime Fago



Frank & Geri Morrow, Katie & Leo Vecellio



Peggy Davis & Lewis Wheeler

# **KICK OFF PARTY**

## 264 The Grill

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www.264thegrill.com November 23, 2011

CELEBRITY BARTENDING EVENT GENERATES FUNDS FOR ANNUAL GALA

FOR ANNUAL GALA The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society raises funds to support blood cancer research Supporters and friends of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) gathered Wednesday, November 23, 2011 at 264 The Grill in Palm Beach for a fundraising "Celebrity" Bartending Event. Behind the bar, "Celebrity" bartenders included Geri & Frank Morrow - Gala Chairmen, Joey & Jamie Fago – Junior Gala Co-Chairmen, and Jennifer Martin – 2011 Woman of the Year. Guests were entertained by the "celebrities" and also were eligible to win dinner for two at 264 The Grill. All proceeds from the event will benefit LLS's Annual Gala – "Cirque du Palm Beach", which is set to take place on January 21st at Mar-a-Lago. The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS) is the world's largest voluntary health organization dedicated to funding blood cancer research, education and patient services. LLS's mission: Cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families.

For more information, contact Darby Collins, Senior Campaign Director at (561) 775-9954 or visit the Annual Gala's website: www.LLScirquegala.com



Celebrate with 264 the Grills New Year's Eve Bash

Four Course Dinner Party Favors Champagne Toast



Geri & Frank Morrow GALA CHAIRS



Arlette Gordon & Herme de Wyman Miro



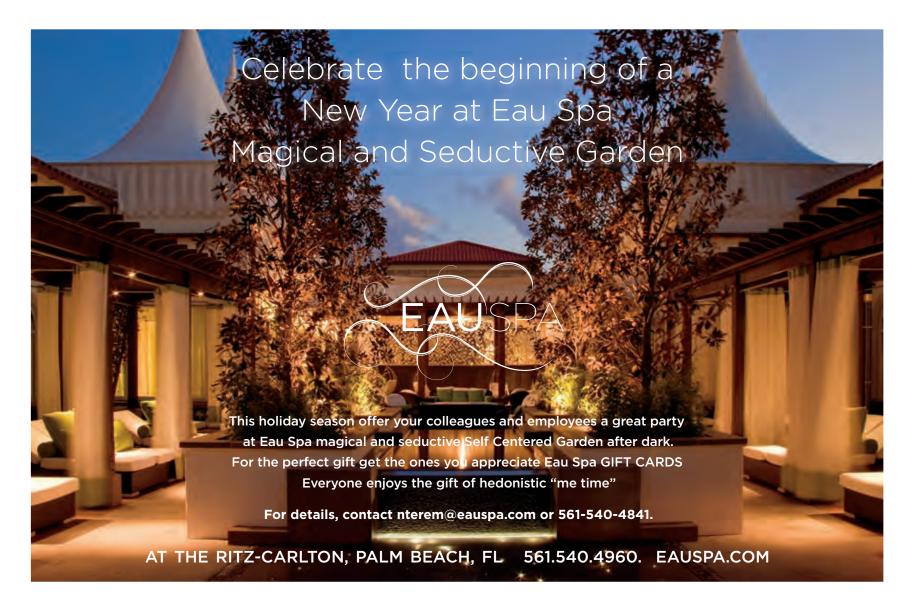
Jim Brennan & Faith Morsford



Manuel M. Levin, Margaret & Frank La Manna



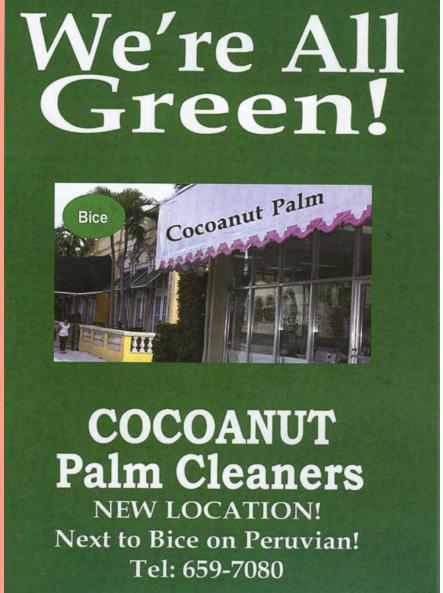
# THE LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY'S



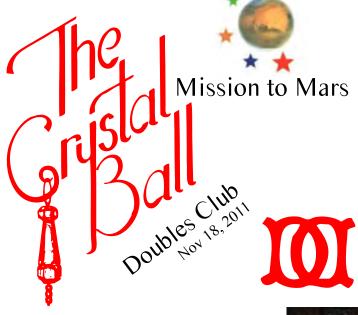


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To Benefit

**The Annual Crystal Ball** was hold at *The Doubles Club on Friday, November 18, 2011* at 7:30 pm.

This year's program will benefit the *First Astronauts Mission to Mars*, The Master of Science in Space Architecture Graduate Program, at University of Houston, Texas, the first of its kind on planet earth.

The week featured two *pre-gala cock-tail parties*, Wednesday, November 16th and Thursday, November 17th. *The Ball* was hold on Friday, November 18th. Saturday, November 19th, *the Grand Finale Cocktail Party* hold with a raffle drawing offering many impressive gifts. We plan to have a wonderful time.

Love, "Brownie"



Wendy Cardneu with Brownie McLean



Patricia Turner and Maya Johnson



Anka Palitz with a friend



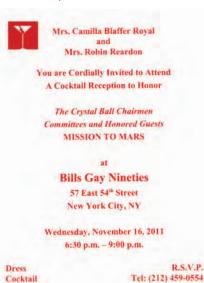
Monte L. von Rovekamp with Larry Bell



Lori Stoll

## **Bills Gay Nineties**

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Asha Puthli and Camilla Blaffer Royal

# Kings Carriage House Nov. 17, 2011



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Cocktail

Mr. & Mrs. Chip Malley

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Mr. and Mrs. Chip Malley and Judy Grubman



Chase Bruder with Brittany Sager



Joseph Gregory and Evalyn McLean



Geri and Frank Morrow



Brownie McLean, Founder & General Chairman of The Cristal Ball with her stepson John McLean III



Lola Astanova

As a "suprise thank you" to *Brownie McLean*, we were pleased to give you special performance by renowned virtuoso pianist Lola Astanova.

**Doubles Club** 783 Fifth Avenue New York, New York Friday Nov. 18 2011



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Brownie McLean and Kimlie Fox





Beach Club.

The cocktail reception was generously hosted by The Gala Honorary Chairman Patrick Park in honor of The Gala Chairman Hermé de Wyman Miro.

Close to 100 International Society Members attended and enjoyed the lovely atmosphere and each other's company.



Jan McArt, Eric Zvynaks, Ari Rifkin, **Dick Robinson** 

Frank & Geri Morrow, Joannie Elliot & **Kurt Von Hofmann** 

Mark Sullivan, Faith Morford, Judi & **Ray Richards** 



Eugene & Victoria Pollingue

**Lorraine & Malcolm Hall** 

Maude Cook, Jack & Dr. Sheila Fisher, Gail Worth

# ARTHUR MARSHALL FOUNDATION

# & Florida Enviromental Institute



# River of Grass Gala

## Make your reservation today!

Saturday, December 10 6:30 pm Kravis Center for the Performing Arts 701 Okeechobee Blvd., West Palm Beach

Join us for a great evening of fun, food, entertainment, plus presentation of the "Champions of the Everglades" awards! \$250 per person

Visit www.artmarshall.org for more info and to purchase tickets securely online.



# Centerpiece Sculptures will be auctioned off at the Gala

"Let the Dance Begin" is the name of the forged steel and stone centerpieces being crafted by artist Norman Gitzen for the River of Grass Gala. Guests will have the opportunity to bid on the nearly two-foot tall sculptures representing intertwined vines creating a heart. The complete story of Norman's inspiration for these lovely art pieces will be told at the Gala.

Photos by Maya Johnson



Deb Nichols, Mindy Cahn (Store Managers), Nancy Marshall, *President*, John Marshall, *Chairman of the Board*, Carla Cove



Nancy and John Marshall





John Marshall holding sculpture by Norman Gitzen, "Let the Dance Begin"

## Evelyn & Arthur Palm Beach hosts reception in support of the Foundation on Nov. 29

Adrianne and Fred Weissman, owners of the Evelyn & Arthur clothing boutiques, are partnering with the Marshall Foundation for a pre-Gala reception and fundraiser at the Palm Beach location at 100 N. County Road, 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29.



Refreshments will be served, and guests will receive 10% off on regular priced items, plus 10% of sales will be donated to the Foundation.



# Marshall Foundation educators lead Refuge visit for Glades Central students

Students from Glades Central High School in Belle Glade joined the Marshall Foundation education team on November 15, along with Serena Rinker from the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, to explore the Everglades at the Arthur R. Marshall Loxahatchee National Wildlife Refuge in Boynton Beach. The students compared two different habitats, and measured the health of these wetlands by examining water chemistry and identifying the aquatic animals that they found. For nearly every student, it was their first visit to the Refuge. "It showed them that science takes place outside the classroom, as well," said Rebecca Stanek, Marshall Foundation Everglades Research & Education Specialist.



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## **Available: At-Home Shopping with Professional Designers** Searching for a new look for your home?

In the current housing market, more and more people are opting to improve their current surroundings rather than playing the waiting game and hoping for a sale.

With the acquisition of the new DBA, to her suite of interior design Company in January 2011, interior décor specialist, Patricia Turner may have found the perfect solution.

Sultan Drapery of South Florida offers shop-at-home service with professional designers, for custom-made draperies, bedspreads, upholstery, and much more. "It's a very convenient service for people," says Turner.

Turner is also President of Unique Interior Designs, Inc, which focuses on home décor, remodeling rooms, adding furniture, lighting, marble, etc., all with Turner's personal attention. On the other hand, **Sultan Drapery of South Florida** focuses more on fabric and relies on Turner's staff of designers visiting busy clients in their homes.

"The strategic fit was perfect," explains Turner, "expanding our opportunities to serve an wider array of design clients."

Patricia Turner is Vice President of International Drapery Contractors, Inc., supplying the hospitality industry and cruise lines with bedding packages, window treatments, and upholstery. They also facilitate fabric conversions, whereby a desired fabric pattern can be produced in a more durable fabric, befitting to the wear and tear typical of those industries.

Born and raised in **Medellin**, **Colombia**, the culture and art of her South American roots are evident in her signature decorating designs, showcasing the diversity of the tropics. Turner brings together all of the necessary trades involved in the designing process to deliver functional and elegant final products with her client's unique signature.

Turner's innovation and vision has extended around the world, including a project done for a client in Belgium, solely by phone and Internet.

Further attesting to her expertise, Patricia Turner worked with rap star, Vanilla Ice, in the 2010 season of "The Vanilla Ice Project" on the D.I.Y. Network, as he renovated a 6,000-square-foot home in the County of Palm Beach. She is looking forward to working with him for the second season of the show, airing in the fall of 2011.

#### Patricia Turner/ Sultan Draperies of South Florida

Turner has been featured in Florida Designs Palm Beach- Home & Décor magazine. and is an authorized dealer for Hunter Douglas. She is a Certified Public Notary, and also a member of The National Association of Professional Women.

For more information about any of Turner's companies and how she can facilitate a design solution that fits your expression of life, visit

www.unique-interior-designs.com









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