

Caron Renaissance Gala

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Congressman Patrick Kennedy, Caron Renaissance Gala chairman Petra Levin with Kathryn and Congressman Jim Ramstad

Nearly 300 guests gathered at The-Mar-a-Lago Club for the 2009 Caron Renaissance Gala, chaired by Petra Levin. The beautiful evening provided a wonderful backdrop for the black tie event raising more than \$770,000 for Caron's Lifesaver Scholarship fund. Guests enjoyed dinner and dancing late into the evening to the band Ariel and entertainment by Comedian Mark Lundholm. Congressman Patrick J. Kennedy and Congressman Jim Ramstad were awarded the Richard J. Caron Award for their advocacy efforts in the passage of the *Paul Wellstone and Pete Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008* - eliminating the disparities between mental health and physical health benefits. Sponsors for the gala included Cartier Palm Beach, Tory Burch, Gold Coast Beverage Distributors, Merrill Lynch and Western Asset Management.

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