

The 17th Annual Bunny Hop

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Catherine Carey with sons Paul and Bryan



Muffie Potter Aston with twins Bracie and Ashleigh and Roger Webster

The Society of Memorial-Sloan Kettering Cancer Center's Associate Committee hosted their 17th Annual Bunny Hop at FAO Schwarz. The committee welcomed over 1,000 guests for an evening of entertainment, which raised over \$350,000 to benefit the Department of Pediatrics at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center. Fashion designer Lilly Pulitzer, who provided colorful attire from her new spring collection for the Co-chairs, their children and event staff, sponsored the event. Additional sponsors of the event included The Laurel Condominium, Commerce Bank, and UBS Financial Services, Inc.

Children and their families were welcomed by Peter the rabbit, Winnie the Pooh, Corduroy, Clifford the Big Red Dog, Harry Potter and the "Doctors of Humorology" from The Big Apple Circus Clown Care, a program that brings artists from the circus to visit sick children in hospitals across the country.

Guests partook in activities such as face painting, magicians and of course shopping, which included a Silent Auction boasting great gifts for parents in attendance. There was also a live performance from the Little Maestros who entertained, singing songs and blowing bubbles, topped off by The Stinky Pinky show,

which had children erupting in laughter. Oliver Cheng Catering and Events served up delicious treats and edible fun including mini burgers and bunny shaped grilled cheese, a cupcake and cookie decorating station, and even candy necklace making. David Beahm's colorful and youthful designs, including a two-story-tall bunny, covered the first and second floors.

Memorial Sloan-Kettering is the world's oldest and largest private institution dedicated to the prevention, detection, and control and cure of cancer. The Associate Committee was founded in 1984 as part of The Society of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer center. The Committee's purpose is to introduce a younger generation to the volunteer and philanthropic activities and to raise funds for the center. For more information please visit: www.mskcc.org



Donald and Melania Trump with son Barron.
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