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# A Home of Their Own: North Shore-LIJ Breaks Ground on Katz Women's Hospital



Exterior view of the Katz Women's Hospital at North Shore University Hospital.

The new inpatient tower at LIJ Medical Center, home of the Katz Women's Hospital.

Tris and Saul Katz were instrumental in the formation of the North Shore-LIJ Health System more than a decade ago. Today, thanks in large part to their enduring leadership and profound insight into the needs of our communities, the health system continues to flourish.

Now, the latest vision of Mr. Katz, chairman of the North Shore-LIJ Board of Trustees, and Mrs. Katz, an associate trustee, has taken root — and when it is realized, women of all ages across the New York metropolitan region will have a hospital just for them.

On the morning of September 4, several hundred North Shore-LIJ supporters and employees gathered outside of LIJ Medical Center to celebrate the groundbreaking of the Katz Women's Hospital at LIJ, named to honor an extraordinary gift from Mr. and Mrs. Katz. recognizes and appreciates the unique physiological differences involved in treating women," Mrs. Katz told the crowd of physicians, nurses, administrators and longtime friends of the health system.

At LIJ, the Katz Women's Hospital will occupy seven of 10 floors in a brand-new, 250,000-square-foot inpatient tower. It will include 88 private rooms with accommodations for family members, antepartum and gynecological units, labor/delivery suites and a dedicated entrance and lobby. At NSUH, meanwhile, the hospital will

> feature 73 private rooms, a family resource center, concierge services for women and a dedicated lobby. But the scope of the Katz Women's Hospital will extend far beyond these two new buildings. North Shore-LIJ is



(Left to right) Michael Bloomberg, New York City mayor; Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Iris Katz, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; and Saul B. Katz, chairman, North Shore-LIJ Board of Trustees.





As New York City Mayor

Michael Bloomberg, Congresswoman Carolyn McCarthy, Nassau County Executive Tom Suozzi and other prominent elected officials looked on, Mr. Katz expressed great excitement over his involvement in the project.

"It's a proud moment for us, as we take this bold first step toward creating a hospital that will devote itself to the full spectrum of women's health issues," he said.

Two weeks later, on September 18, an indoor ceremony marked the start of construction on the Katz Women's Hospital at North Shore University Hospital (NSUH).

"We will create a state-of-the-art medical system that

also creating the

Women's Health Institute to coordinate all health system programs and services targeted to women. This means enhanced, well-integrated care for a wide range of diseases affecting women — everything from cardiac diseases and cancer to thyroid conditions and emotional disorders.

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(Left to right) Saul B. Katz, chairman, North Shore-LIJ Board of Trustees; Rita Castagna, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Frank Castagna; Iris Katz, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; and Dr. Neeta Shah, vice president of women's health services, North Shore-LIJ Health System.

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Through the Women's Health Institute, North Shore-LIJ will also reach out to the community with health screenings, classes, clinical trials and lifestyle and wellness programs.

Thanks to the Katzes' invaluable support and unwavering compassion, a healthier, happier and more empowered future is in store for every woman on Long Island and beyond.

"It's long been clear to us that women have distinct needs when it comes to healthcare," said Mr. and Mrs. Katz. "That's why we're so thrilled to help build this incredible hospital." ■



Katz Women's Hospital patient room.

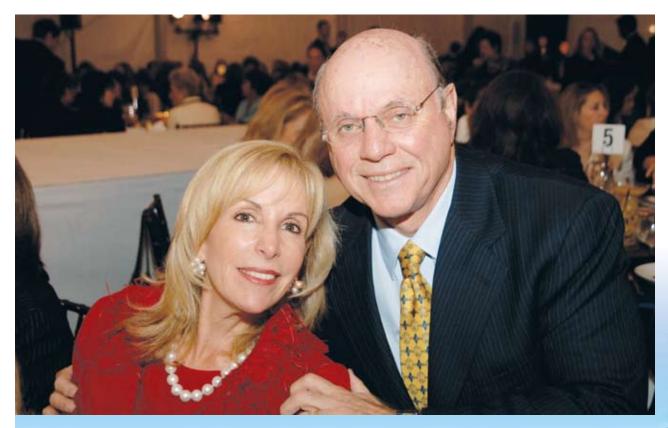


The Carol and William Achenbaum Women's Garden within the Katz Women's Hospital at LIJ Medical Center.

## North Shore-LIJ and the Katz Women's Hospital Also Thank...



William Achenbaum, trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System, with his wife, Carol.



#### CAROL AND WILLIAM ACHENBAUM

Carol and William Achenbaum have brought a ray of sunshine to the future Katz Women's Hospital at LIJ Medical Center. Their latest gift has named the Achenbaum Women's Garden, a bright and soothing oasis to be located in the lobby of the hospital. Mr. Achenbaum, a trustee, and his wife have supported various health system initiatives since 1982, including a number related to women's health.

"The creation of a hospital devoted to the treatment of women fills a gap in the specialized needs of 50 percent of our population that has been consistently neglected," said Mr. Achenbaum. "That Iris and Saul Katz, who are great friends, are the inspiration for this project made it easy for Carol and me to decide to help."

#### DAYLE AND MICHAEL KATZ

Dayle and Michael Katz share a longstanding history of generosity to the North Shore-LIJ Health System, including a recent gift to benefit the Katz Women's Hospital. Mrs. Katz, an associate trustee, has been a loyal co-chair of Partners Council for Women's Health for eight years. Her commitment to raising funds for women's health has helped make many important programs a reality. Mr. Katz, a trustee and the brother of Board of Trustees Chairman Saul Katz, has served on a variety of health system committees over the past decade and is currently a valued member of both the Finance Committee and the Audit and Corporate Compliance Committee.

#### PETER JAY SHARP FOUNDATION

Above all else, the Peter Jay Sharp Foundation strives to improve the lives of New Yorkers. The organization provides funding for a wide spectrum of arts and education initiatives and also cares deeply about the health of our communities, as evidenced by the charitable spirit it has shown North Shore-LIJ.

In 2003, the Foundation began supporting the groundbreaking Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) Research Program at The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research, led by Drs. Nicholas Chiorazzi and Kanti Rai. Now, the Foundation has turned its attention to women's well-being by making a generous pledge to the Katz Women's Hospital.

Dayle Katz, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System, and Michael Katz, trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System.

Learn how you can support the Katz Women's Hospital and Women's Health Institute by visiting http://support.northshorelij.com/katz.

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# Fall Luncheon and Fashion Show Supports Katz Women's Hospital



Members of the Luncheon Committee of the Partners Council for Women's Health.

Women's Health.

he Partners Council for Women's Health recently held its 16th Annual Fall Luncheon & Fashion Show at Old Westbury Gardens. The glamorous afternoon, sponsored by Americana Manhasset and featuring the fashions of Bottega Veneta, attracted 560 guests and raised a total of more than \$475,000 that will go toward the establishment of the Katz Women's Hospital. Emmy

Award-winning TV reporter Carolyn Gusoff served as mistress of ceremonies.

Other major sponsors of the highly anticipated event included the Jeri Finesilver Cancer Foundation, Iris and Michael Smith, Susan Feinstein, Elly Hammerman, Iris and Saul Katz, Lilo and Gerard Leeds, and Merry and Richard Slone.

For many years, the Partners Council for Women's Health of the North Shore-LIJ Health System has raised funds to ensure that cutting-edge care, facilities and technology are available to all women of the community. Currently members of both the Partners Council and its Junior Committee are devoting their time and energy to supporting the new Katz Women's Hospital and Women's Health Institute.

# Manhasset Women's Coalition and North Shore-LIJ Spread Breast Cancer Awareness to Young Women

The Manhasset Women's Coalition Against Breast Cancer, in conjunction with the North Shore-LIJ Health System's Monter Cancer Center and the Center for Tobacco Control, recently provided dozens of Manhasset High School girls with a unique educational experience on breast cancer and preventive health. The nearly 50 young attendees, all members of the Manhasset Junior Coalition Against Breast Cancer, plan to use the information they gained to act as role models and demonstrate healthy living to other teens.

Formed in 1997 to unite the women of Manhasset in the fight against breast cancer, the Women's Coalition has been a valued friend to the health system. Recently the group made a gift in support of a groundbreaking clinical trial being conducted by Dr. Richard Gralla, director of the North Shore-LIJ Cancer Institute. The study has the potential to completely eliminate vomiting as an expected side effect of chemotherapy. The Women's Coalition has also made significant contributions to the Palliative Care Unit at North Shore University Hospital.

Moving forward, the North Shore-LIJ Health System Foundation is partnering with the Women's Coalition to host a number of educational and outreach activities for the young women of the Junior Coalition that cover family history. **EVERY WOMAN COUNTS** 



As we build the first women's hospital in our region and focus our efforts on women's services (especially cardiac and cancer care), North Shore-LIJ is honored to have the valuable support of local businesses through our **EVERY WOMAN COUNTS:** A Partnership for Better Health program.

During May and October 2009 and February 2010, shop at a number of stores around Long Island and a portion of your purchase will be given back to North Shore-LIJ's new Katz Women's Hospital and Women's Health Institute.

self-examination, early intervention and the importance of a healthy lifestyle from an early age.

The young ladies of the Manhasset Junior Coalition Against Breast Cancer.



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Together we will change the face of women's healthcare forever...

Because women are worth it.



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## Schneider Children's Hospital Set to Expand



The new Schneider Children's Hospital donor recognition tower.

Since its founding, Schneider Children's Hospital (SCH) has made it a mission to touch young lives all over the New York metropolitan area and beyond. However, the medical needs of our region's children just keep growing and so the time has come for SCH to grow, too.

On December 4, a ceremony was held at SCH to celebrate the opening of an expanded Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) and atrium, as well as launch a major fundraising campaign to build a new four-story, \$132 million inpatient pavilion. To date, about \$30 million has been raised toward the construction of the pavilion, supported by Edward and Susan Blumenfeld and their family. Mr. and Mrs. Blumenfeld, two of SCH's earliest supporters, worked tirelessly to make Long Island's first and only children's hospital a reality — and today they remain deeply invested in the future of pediatric medicine.

When completed, the 100,000-square-foot addition will feature the Rudolph Pediatric Emergency Center, the Gambino Medical & Science Foundation Trauma and Imaging Center, a Radiology and Imaging Unit, a 25-bed Pediatric Intensive Care Unit and a 25-bed Medical/Surgical Unit.

Former New York Governor Mario Cuomo, who cut the ribbon at the opening of SCH in 1983, spoke to more than 200 people in attendance at the ceremony, as did three grateful former patients who now lead healthy and productive lives: Adam Lilling and siblings Donna and David Edlinger.

Afterward, a luncheon took place underneath the expansive glass dome of the soon-to-be-opened CA Wellness Center. North Shore-LIJ President and CEO Michael J. Dowling, Board of Trustees Chairman Saul B. Katz, and

Schneider Children's Hospital Executive Director and Chief of Staff Philip Lanzkowsky, MD, paid tribute to several major supporters of this important project. Mr. Dowling also revealed a colorful new donor recognition tower that will remain in the lobby of the hospital throughout construction.

The same day, a ribbon-cutting ceremony celebrated the opening of SCH's expanded Neonatal

Intensive Care Unit, which increases its capacity to 68 beds for premature infants. Those in attendance included the Lilling family; Dr. Dennis Davidson, the hospital's chief of neonatology; Dr. Fredrick Bierman, the hospital's chief of pediatrics; and many SCH physicians and nurses.

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For 25 years, Schneider Children's Hospital has served as a haven of hope for children and their loved ones. Now, the hospital can look forward to filling this vital need for generations to come. ■

+ Learn how you can support Schneider Children's Hospital by visiting http://support.northshorelij.com/schneider.

## RUDOLPH FAMILY SUPPORTS PEDIATRIC EMERGENCY CARE

s parents, Scott and Pyong Rudolph understand the importance of having easy access to a state-of-the-art emergency department — because they never know when one of their children might experience an illness or injury requiring immediate medical attention. That is why the Rudolphs, with a long history of philanthropy to North Shore-LIJ, have chosen to ensure that every child in need of emergency care can be treated in an environment designed just for them.

Named in honor of the family's latest act of generosity, the Rudolph Pediatric Emergency Center will anchor the new inpatient pavilion being built in front of Schneider Children's Hospital. When completed, it will serve as the only stand-alone Pediatric Emergency Center in the region, with specially trained staff and specially designed equipment to meet the needs of young patients.





Blumenfeld, trustee, North Shore-LIJ

(Left to right) Dr. Philip Lanzkowsky, executive director and chief of staff, Schneider Children's Hospital; Pyong Rudolph; Scott Rudolph, trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Saul B. Katz, chairman, North Shore-LIJ Board of Trustees; and Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System.

## **Children Mean the World** to the Gambino Family



(Left to right) Thomas Gambino Sr.; Frances Gambino; and Thomas Gambino Jr.

very holiday season, Schneider Children's Hospital (SCH) is transformed into a winter wonderland of toys, music and merriment to put smiles on the faces of hospitalized children. This much-anticipated party is just one example of the caring and compassion demonstrated year-round by every member of the Gambino family — Frances and Thomas Gambino Sr.; Lynn and Thomas Gambino Jr.; Diane and Carl Gambino; Mary and Andrew Rotondi; and Katherine and Leif Arntzen.

In 1992, Frances and Thomas Gambino offered new hope to seriously ill children and their families by founding The Gambino Medical & Science Foundation, dedicated to providing major philanthropic funding for construction projects and innovative programs at SCH. Among the initiatives and technology the Foundation has supported are the Child Life Program, the Gambino Bone Marrow Transplantation

Unit, the Center for Childhood Diabetes and the Pediatric Epilepsy Center.

Recently the organization made a significant gift to name The Gambino Medical & Science Foundation

Trauma and Imaging Center, to be located within the hospital's new Rudolph Pediatric Emergency Center. It will include a highly sophisticated radiology suite with a computed tomography (CT) scanner to help diagnose and evaluate medical problems.

"The Trauma and Imaging Center will make available lifesaving treatment through advanced technology to children throughout the New York metropolitan region," said Thomas Gambino Sr. "By having experienced through the years the dedication the doctors and their staff have shown in

treating the children under their care, we were easily inspired to make this gift."

+ Learn how you can support Schneider Children's Hospital by visiting http://support.northshorelij.com/schneider.

## SCH CREATES BOARD OF VISITORS

The Board of Visitors for Schneider Children's Hospital (SCH) was created in 2008 for the purpose of "spreading the word" and inspiring others to support the hospital. The Board is comprised of a committed group of individuals who are passionate about the importance of providing the best possible care to our children.

friends, family, members of the community and business associates to further increase awareness.

The Board is currently chaired by Sean Simon, a trustee of the North Shore-LIJ Health System. Othe members include Anthony Conroy; Kambiz Damaghi, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Curt Kramer; Jay Goldman; Lloyd Groveman; Anthony Nastasi, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Dr. Philip Lanzkowsky, executive director and chief of staff, SCH; Dr. Vincent Parnell, vice chairperson of pediatric surgery, SCH; Dr. Peter Silver, clinical director of the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, SCH; and Scott C. Silverman.

#### CA, INC. HAS "HEART"

CA, Inc., one of the world's largest IT management software providers, cares deeply about the future of our children and has made it a mission to help Schneider Children's Hospital (SCH) grow. In 2005, CA made a significant pledge to build the CA Wellness Center — and now the company's generosity and compassion have come to fruition.

The CA Wellness Center, a 20,000-square-foot, four-story, glass-enclosed atrium, will serve as the new "heart" of SCH. Once open, the bright and airy space will provide the perfect all-season environment for children to enjoy musical performances, educational games and programs, and other activities designed to diminish the anxiety that often accompanies a visit to the hospital.

The four-story, glass-enclosed CA Wellness Center.



This dynamic group will greatly enhance fundraising efforts for construction of the hospital's new inpatient pavilion. Each member will be responsible for gaining a total understanding of SCH and becoming acquainted with the medical staff. They will then be expected to share this information with

## Celebrating 25 Years of Leadership in Pediatrics

wenty-five years ago, Schneider Children's Hospital (SCH) opened its doors as the first dedicated children's hospital on Long Island — and during the quarter of a century since its birth, the hospital has evolved continually to keep pace with a growing pediatric population. In all of that time, however, one fundamental element of SCH has never changed: its outstanding leadership. Dr. Philip Lanzkowsky has served as executive director and chief of staff of SCH since the very beginning.

On November 3, a very special dinner was held at the Four Seasons Restaurant in Manhattan honoring Dr. Lanzkowsky for 25 years of dedication to SCH and the field of pediatrics. Dr. Lanzkowsky was one of the visionaries who fervently supported the building of a specialized children's hospital on Long Island long before such a facility existed. His passion for medicine, sensitivity to the unique needs of young patients and remarkable ambition all played an integral role in the 1983 founding of SCH and today continue to influence the hospital's success.

At the event, Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO of the North Shore-LIJ Health System, announced the creation of the Philip Lanzkowsky, MD, Chair in Pediatrics, a gift of the Steven and Alexandra Cohen Foundation. Mr. and Mrs. Cohen, who have supported Schneider Children's Hospital for several years, were presented with a commemorative gift in recognition of their generosity. The newly endowed chair is the first of its kind at SCH.



(Left to right) Dr. Philip Lanzkowsky, executive director and chief of staff, Schneider Children's Hospital; Alexandra and Steven Cohen; and Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System.



Exterior of the new wing.

## The Feinstein Institute Opens \$50 Million Expansion

uccessful medical research requires constant innovation - and this momentum grows from a deep-seated passion for discovery as well as a drive to make things happen. Susan and Leonard Feinstein possess an abundance of these qualities. It is due in large part to their vision and extraordinary spirit of goodwill that The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research has come so far in so little time.

On November 18, thanks to the ongoing support of Mr. and Mrs. Feinstein, the Boas and Marks families, and many other friends of the North Shore-LIJ Health System, The Feinstein Institute celebrated yet another milestone: the opening of a 56,250-square-foot, \$50 million addition to the current building.

The new, four-story wing contains 35,000 additional feet of laboratory and clinical research space, providing added opportunities for patients with Alzheimer's, Parkinson's and many other diseases to help scientists learn more about the disease process and develop novel treatments. The addition also features a beautiful and modern donor recognition wall on the ground floor as well as the 300-seat Goldman

International Conference Center, named in honor of a gift from Lloyd Goldman, a trustee, and his wife, Victoria. The conference center will host twice-weekly educational seminars as well as national and international research meetings.

Established in 1999, The Feinstein Institute is now known worldwide for its brilliant investigators who are bringing science directly to the patient. The dedication of these scientists combined with the generosity demonstrated by North Shore-LIJ supporters is leading to a higher quality of life for so many people.

"We really feel that this building is a marker in the road. It's not the end of the journey, but the beginning," said Mr. Feinstein, who is a trustee of the health system. "We're giving the scientists the space they need to find the cures we need." ■

Learn how you can support The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research by visiting http://support.northshorelij.com/FIMRhomepage.



## Scrapbook of Gratitude



#### PRUDENTIAL DOUGLAS ELLIMAN SUPPORTS KATZ WOMEN'S HOSPITAL

On December 15, Dottie Herman, president and CEO of Prudential Douglas Elliman Real Estate, joined with managers and agents from a number of local Prudential offices to present the North Shore-LIJ Health System with a generous gift in support of the new Katz Women's Hospital and breast cancer research. The gift was a result of proceeds generated from a giant yard sale held on November 2. Standing left to right are Ralph A. Nappi, president, North Shore-LIJ Health System Foundation; Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Dr. Neeta M. Shah, vice president of Women's Health Services, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Dottie Herman, president and CEO, Prudential Douglas Elliman Real Estate; and Bart Cafarella, senior vice president, Prudential Douglas Elliman Real Estate.



## DIANA ROSS CONCERT RAISES \$1 MILLION IN SUPPORT OF MEDICAL RESEARCH

On July 16, more than 800 supporters of groundbreaking medical research congregated at Planting Fields Arboretum State Historic Park in Oyster Bay for a musical performance from the legendary Diana Ross. National Grid served as the presenting sponsor for the event, which raised \$1 million to benefit The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research. Shown here are (left to right) Susan Feinstein; Leonard Feinstein, trustee, North Shore-LIJ; Ralph A. Nappi, chairman of the board, The Feinstein Institute; Dr. Kevin Tracey, director and CEO, The Feinstein Institute; Susan Karches; and Maureen Nappi, associate trustee, North Shore-LIJ.



#### SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL RECEIVES EXTRAORDINARY GIFT

Helen K. Dodd, who passed away a few months shy of her 105th birthday, has left a generous \$1.6 million legacy to Southside Hospital and the community she called home, donating money to further excellence in patient care at the hospital that served her and her family. Pictured at a ceremony honoring Mrs. Dodd's generosity are (left to right) Winnie Mack, RN, executive director, Southside Hospital; Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Arthur Field, Mrs. Dodd's nephew; Richard Hand, Esq., former Southside Board Member; and Warner Zumbrunn.



## EVENING OF GRATITUDE HONORS FAITHFUL FRIENDS OF NORTH SHORE-LIJ

More than 200 annual supporters of the North Shore-LIJ Health System gathered at Shea Stadium on August 20 for good food, good company and good old-fashioned New York baseball. The Evening of Gratitude thanked these valued friends for their ongoing generosity and commitment to quality healthcare — and the Mets beat the Atlanta Braves 6-1! Enjoying some pregame camaraderie are (left to right) Omar Minaya, general manager, New York Mets; Andrew Spadafora; Ralph A. Nappi, president, North Shore-LIJ Health System Foundation; and Jerry Manuel, manager, New York Mets.



#### NLD'S 19TH ANNUAL PRO-AM CLASSIC BENEFITS SCHNEIDER CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

On August 18, more than 150 golfers and 40 golf professionals participated in the NLD for Pediatrics 19th Annual Pro-Am Golf Classic, a beautiful day of golf at both Deepdale Golf Club in Manhasset and Fresh Meadow Country Club in Lake Success. In total, more than \$400,000 was raised in support of the Child Life & Education Services Program at Schneider Children's Hospital. Pictured here is Kevin J. Dwyer (second from left), senior vice president, North Shore-LIJ Health System Foundation, with his winning team.





#### SUMMER PICNIC POPS CONCERT RAISES MORE THAN \$270,000 FOR NEW BREAST CARE CENTER AT GLEN COVE HOSPITAL

Despite less-than-ideal weather conditions, there was cause for celebration at the 26th annual Summer Picnic POPS Concert, which took place June 14 on the lawn at Old Westbury Gardens. The evening of picnicking, entertainment for the young and the young at heart, and beautiful music from the Nassau Pops Symphony Orchestra raised more than \$270,000 for the new Breast Care Center at Glen Cove Hospital. (Left to right) Louis Panacciulli, music director and conductor, Nassau Pops Symphony Orchestra; Beverly VP. Banker, member, Summer Picnic POPS Concert Committee; Michael J. Dowling, president and CEO, North Shore-LIJ Health System; Dennis Connors, executive director, Glen Cove Hospital; and Francis X.B. Harrington, chairman, Summer Picnic POPS Concert Committee.

#### SWIMMERS RALLY FOR BRAIN ANEURYSM AWARENESS

Oyster Bay High School students, area residents and volunteers participated in the second annual one-mile swim across Oyster Bay Cove, raising more than \$3,000 and increasing awareness for North Shore University Hospital's Brain Aneurysm Center, part of the Harvey Cushing Institutes of Neuroscience. Eighteen swimmers took the plunge into the harbor on a picture-perfect day over Labor Day weekend to swim for a great cause. Assisting with the event was Joan Imhof (left), a brain aneurysm survivor, with her granddaughter Madison, who both finished the one-mile swim a day earlier.

+ See more photos of our friends and events at http://support.northshorelij.com/FDNphotoalbum.

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- a variety of opportunities to support North Shore-LIJ donate to building projects or individual hospitals, make a gift in honor of a loved one and much more;
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Visit us now on the Web at www.northshorelij.com/foundation.

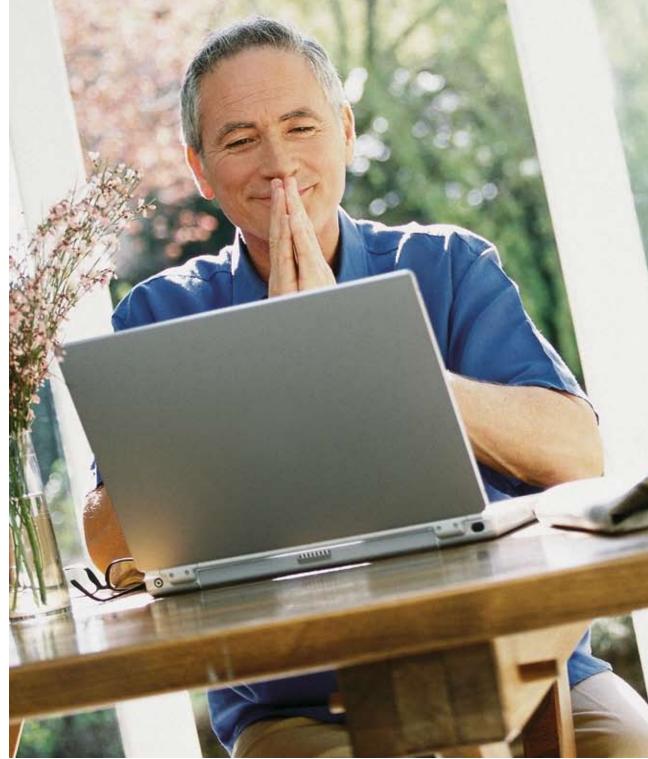
### ADOPT-A-FAMILY PROGRAM HELPS FAMILIES OVER THE HOLIDAY SEASON

The Foundation staff wishes to thank the North Shore-LIJ Board of Trustees for their participation in the Adopt-A-Family program this past holiday season. Their heartfelt generosity provided approximately \$16,000 for 200 local families in need.



### NORTH SHORE-LIJ SUPPORTER BOOSTS EMERGENCY SERVICES IN HER HOMETOWN

Residents of the town of Roslyn can feel safer thanks to the latest act of generosity by Jane Stein. Mrs. Stein, a former emergency medical technician for the Roslyn Rescue Fire Company, recently made a gift to the company through the Alvin and Dorothy Schwartz Foundation. Mrs. Stein's philanthropy allowed Roslyn Rescue to purchase three new cardiac monitors/ defibrillators, 15 new automated external defibrillators and a 2008 Chevrolet Tahoe equipped as a first responder unit.



The Alvin and Dorothy Schwartz Foundation was formed by Dorothy's parents, whose philanthropy named the Ambulatory Surgery Center at North Shore University Hospital. Continuing the family tradition of giving to North Shore-LIJ, Mrs. Stein later provided support to the Stern Family Center for Extended Care and Rehabilitation by naming the Philip M. Stein Entrance and Garden in memory of her late son. She also named the Center for Human Reproduction in his honor.



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