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From the Farm to Ft. Washington Ave.

farmers' market has set up shop at NewYork-Presbyterian/Columbia with offerings that Linclude everything from seasonal produce to cheeses and baked goods.

At a July 6 opening celebration of the market, which is located on Fort Washington Avenue north of 168th Street, Dr. Pardes explained that, more than making delicious food available, the new market represents a commitment to the health of the community.

Alongside programs like CHALK (Choosing Healthy & Active Lifestyles for Kids), Healthy Schools Healthy Families and the Live Your Life campaign, the market will promote healthy eating and help fight obesity. At the same time, he said, it will help improve the

environment by reducing carbon emissions through promoting foods originating within the state.

City Council Speaker Christine C. Quinn praised NewYork-Presbyterian and Columbia University for their commitment to Northern Manhattan and efforts to make it an "even more fabulous and healthy neighborhood." The new farmers' market is one of 51 in five boroughs, and among the 40 that accept food stamps and Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) cards that transfer government benefits to retailers - something the Council Speaker said will help fight hunger and obesity.

Manhattan Borough President Scott Stringer called the farmers' market an "amazing

collaborative effort" between the Hospital, university, community and government.

Making Strides for Autism

The farmers' market is open every Tuesday through November from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. To encourage its use, patients, employees and local residents will receive "Green Bucks" that can be used to purchase fruits and vegetables. The farmers' market is managed by Greenmarket, which operates similar markets throughout New York City.

Welcoming farmers and their products to Washington Heights were (from left) Juan Rosa, representative of New York City Council Member Robert Jackson; Maria Luna, Democratic District Leader; Dr. Pardes, NYP; Adriano Espaillat, New York State Assemblyman; elen Morik, NYP; Christine Quinn, New York City Council Speaker ackie Mucaria, NYP; Scott Stringer, Manhattan Borough President; Stephanie Pitsirilos-Boquin, NYP; and Lee Goldman, M.D., Columbia University Medical Center. Photo by: Richard Lobell

A Message from Dr. Pardes and Dr. Corwin

NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital has always been committed to delivering the highest quality, most compassionate care and service to our patients and their families. They are, and will continue to be, our first priority. This means that it is absolutely critical that we ensure our continued financial strength in order to make sure that the best resources are available to meet their needs.

Since the Hospital's merger over a decade ago, our efforts to manage expenses, attract the best physicians and staff, and create innovative clinical programs to bring in new patients, have positioned us very well financially. We have grown our workforce by approximately 40% to 19,000 and have invested significantly in care at the bedside. During the past two years, however, all business sectors have been affected by the nation's turbulent economic times, and health care organizations, particularly those in New York, continue to be hit with steep and ongoing Federal and State budget cuts. We have monitored our operating budget closely and adjusted it as needed by reducing non-personnel-related expenses and vacant positions. As a result of this proactive approach, NYP continues to remain financially strong. In the last few weeks, we have had to once again be proactive and reduce expenses. This time, in order to realize the necessary reductions, we had to restructure some functions, which unfortunately, resulted in the elimination of 200 full-time positions. Most of these positions were already vacant; however, regrettably we had to eliminate some filled positions and 36 of our employees had to leave their jobs at the Hospital. The Hospital is committed to helping these staff and we will work closely with them to provide transitional support and career quidance.

We understand how difficult this is for everybody. It was not an easy process but a necessary one to enable the Hospital to continue providing the safest, highest quality care and service to our patients and their families. We appreciate everyone's support during these trying times, and are confident that NYP will continue to thrive as one of the nation's top academic medical centers.





Herbert Pardes, M.D. President and Chief Executive Officer

Steven J. Corwin, M.D Executive Vice Preside and Chief Operating Officer

a night to remember

Glorious gowns and crisp tuxedos, professionally styled hair and makeup, a white stretch limo for photo ops — these things spelled P-R-O-M for the 40 teenagers who attended the Moonlight Masquerade at the Morgan Stanley Children's Hospital on May 15.

Outpatients, inpatients and former patients who have dealt with chronic and lifethreatening illnesses walked a red carpet into the Hospital's Wintergarden, which was transformed into a ballroom for the night with a deejay, hors d'oeuvres, and a three-course sit-down dinner. To top it all off, Michael "Big Mike" Lynche, an *American Idol* finalist, stopped by to perform and add a touch of celebrity sparkle to an already glittering evening.

"It's nice," said Johendy Peralta, 13, a former patient. "I couldn't go to the prom in regular school because I was in the Hospital, so tonight I could make up for what I missed."

What she enjoyed the most, Johendy said, was "getting all ready — makeup, hair, jewelry, everything."

While a stylist did the hair of 16-year-old Katie Mascher, who underwent a heart transplant in 1994 at the age of 5 ½ months, her mother, Alice Mascher, said, "We came back just to have fun — we're not here for a procedure, there are no needles. It's a very special occasion."

Makeup artists from Bobbi Brown Cosmetics and hairstylists from the Frederic Fekkai salon prepared the prom-goers for their big night, and J.P. Morgan Chase, Bloomingdale's and anonymous donors provided gowns and tuxedos.

The Hospital's Children's Helping Advisory Team (C.H.A.T.), a group of teen patients aged 12 to 17 who volunteer their time to make the Hospital as pleasant as possible, planned and organized each detail of the prom. They even held a food tasting before planning the prom dinner menu.

Willa Austen Isikoff, 17, a co-chair of C.H.A.T., said, "The best part of the prom is seeing inpatients step away from the hospital setting and have a fun night. They get to do what other kids do."

hoto by: Rene Perez

Getting to Know You

Moises Reyes, NYP/Ambulatory Care Network

- Q: What is your name, and what is your job here at NewYork-Presbyterian?
- A: My names is Moises Reyes, and I am a Chauffeur in the Ambulatory Care Network.
- Q: How long have you been at NYP?
- A: I've worked for NYP for 19 years-plus.
- Q: What's the best part of your job?
- A: I like interacting with patients and staff.
- Q: What path did you take to get to your current job?
- A: I began my journey through different positions in NYP. My first job was working in the mail room. Then I became a Transporter Dispatcher. I worked in the Laundry Department for two weeks. From there I was offered a position in the ACN as a Security Guard/Chauffeur, where I have been nesting happily ever after.
- Q: Why did you choose NYP as the place you wanted to work?
- A: I am from the community, and it is a wonderful

place to work, with many opportunities for growth.

Q: What's your favorite type of music?

A: I have many favorite types of music but mostly I enjoy salsa, merengue, bachata, jazz. I am a retired musician — a singer and drummer — and I performed with many local bands in the '70s.

Q: What kinds of vacations do you enjoy?

A: Vacations with my family are an adventure. We visit the Jersey Shore, Maine, Rhode Island, and the Dominican Republic, visiting families.

Q: What's on your personal to-do list?

A: Many things: holding tryouts for the NYP men's and women's softball teams and promoting health and wellness in sports. On weekends, travel to the Poconos and renovate my home there; be a personal softball trainer for young children; and be a good father and caregiver to my children and family.



Moises Reyes



n support of the Hospital's Strategic Initiative of Advancing Care, senior administration has announced plans to significantly expand and enhance Radiation Oncology services at the Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center at the NYP/Columbia campus. The centerpiece of the project is a new facility that will offer patients state-of-the-art treatment in a patient-friendly environment. The space is being created under the Garden Courtyard on Fort Washington Avenue, and is scheduled to open in the summer of 2012.

Building this new underground space entails extensive excavation and construction activities in the Garden Courtyard in the months and years ahead. Unfortunately, this necessitates closure of the Garden space and the removal of several trees. Upon completion of construction, the Garden area will be reconfigured and improved for staff, patients and visitors. This will include adding new, mature trees and enhanced seating areas, and the construction of new walkways.

"While we are excited about this new facility, we recognize that this marks the beginning of a challenging period for staff, patients and visitors," says Robert Kelly, M.D., Group Senior Vice President, Chief Operating Officer and Chief Medical Officer for NYP/Columbia. "We will make every effort to protect the safety of our patients, visitors and staff."

The Hospital will keep employees updated on the progress of the building project by posting information on the Infonet, and in future issues of NYPress. If at any time you have questions or concerns, you may contact Juan Mejia at (212) 305-5271 or jmm9007@nyp.org. ■



WINDEXPICESS News about the people, places and programs at NYP

making strides for autism

Staff members from NYP's Westchester, Weill Cornell and Columbia campuses and their family members joined thousands of other New York and Connecticut residents for the ninth annual "Walk Now for Autism Speaks," held June 6 at Manhattanville College in Westchester County, New York.

"We were thrilled to see such participation and enthusiasm from so many of our staff," says Linda Espinosa, Vice President, Patient Care Services, NYP/Westchester.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the neurological disorder now affects one in every 110 children and one in every 70 boys.

The walk raised nearly \$800,000, which will fund biomedical research, advocacy, awareness and family services for autism.



Walk Now for Autism Speaks was an intergenerational affair.



Lisa Mainieri, Manager, Cardiac and Vascular Service Lines, devised a way to represent both the Vivian and Seymour Milstein Family Heart Center and the Ronald O. Perelman Heart Institute at the AHA walk.

coming and going for heart health

The American Heart Association points out that by participating in its Start! Wall Street Run & Heart Walk, you are taking a step toward regular physical activity, which can lower your risk of heart disease and stroke. And, in the process, you can also raise funds to fight cardiac disease, which claims nearly a million lives annually.

NYP employees took this message seriously and turned out more than 200-strong for this year's event, which took place on June 24 in New York's Financial District. Hospital walkers and runners raised over \$40,000.

Staff of NYP/Weill Cornell's Ronald O. Perelman Heart Institute and NYP/Columbia's Vivian and Seymour Milstein Family Heart Center were among the more than 10,000 people who took part in the Start! Wall Street Run & Heart Walk, which the American Heart Association produces in partnership with the New York Road Runners.

Before and after the race, free health screenings, nutrition and fitness information, and resources on heart disease and stroke were made available to participants.

a penny saved...

By collecting pennies — nearly 50,000 of them — the third-grade class at the Solomon Schechter School of Manhattan was able to donate \$470.34 to the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) of NYP/Weill Cornell's Komansky Center for Children's Health. The NICU will use the funds to purchase developmental toys.

The 20 third-graders collected the money through the annual Penny Harvest, a program through which children aged 4 to 14 collect pennies and turn them into grants for community organizations. The children considered several organizations as potential recipients and, after hearing representatives of each organization explain how the money would be used, chose three, including the

NYP/Weill Cornell NICU.

"The Penny Harvest teaches the children the value of philanthropy — that even with small acts they can help others," said Lesley Palmer, the parent of one student.

The students presented their gift to the NICU staff in June during a visit to the Hospital, which was coordinated by Ellen Hawa, Administrative Manager, Patient Services Administration. The students also met with Hospital staff in the Pediatric Library and visited the high-tech command center on Greenberg 1.

Starting at the third-grade level, the Solomon Schechter School of Manhattan incorporates community service and charity work into its curriculum.



Third-graders from the Solomon Schechter School of Manhattan met NYP staff members from various departments.

congress on campus

Congresswoman Carolyn B. Maloney (D-NY), visited NYP/Weill Cornell on June 3 to congratulate Dr. Pardes on the success of the Hospital's recent blood drives and to present him with a copy of the remarks of commendation she had inserted in the Congressional Record. With her were representatives of the New York Blood Center, who joined her in presenting Dr. Pardes with a proclamation honoring the hard work of the many individuals who organize and participate in the Hospital's blood drive programs.

Congressman and House Majority Leader Steny H.

Hoyer (D-MD) visited NYP/Columbia on June 8 to tour the new Vivian & Seymour Milstein Family Heart Center and to speak with Dr. Pardes and Dr. Corwin about making health care more affordable for all Americans. Dr. Pardes noted that a strong partnership between the Hospital and federal officials will be key to successfully implementing new federal health reform legislation, and he thanked Congressman Hoyer for taking time to tour the Hospital and see for himself how federal funding is being used to improve the safety and quality of care for our patients.



From left, Eric Cruz, New York Blood Center; Jessica Prata, Sustainability Officer, NYP Executive Blood Drive; Jennifer Miller, Accommodations Coordinator, NYP/Weill Cornell; Wade Zamechek, New York Blood Center; Congresswoman Carolyn Maloney; Dr. Pardes; Kathleen Grima, M.D., New York Blood Center; Rolf Kovenetsky, New York Blood Center; and Anderson Mercedes, Accommodations Coordinator, NYP/Columbia.



Dr. Pardes and Congressman and House Majority Leader Steny H. Hover crossed the bridge over Fort Washington Avenue.

peer-to-peer honors

At the Society of Practitioners' annual dinner on June 8, three NYP/Columbia physicians were recognized by their peers. Attending Physician Joseph Tenenbaum, M.D., a cardiologist, and Attending Psychiatrist Ralph N. Wharton, M.D., were named Practitioners of the Year.

Special Lecturer Linda D. Lewis, M.D., a neurologist, was awarded the 2010 Alfred M. Markowitz Service Award, which recognizes physicians who take an active interest in promoting the welfare of their colleagues.



NYP/Columbia's Society of Practitioners paid tribute to (from left) Dr. Linda Lewis, Dr. Joseph Tenenbaum and Dr. Ralph Wharton.

recognizing our fab labs

NYP's clinical laboratory staff - pathologists, microbiologists, medical technologists, phlebotomy technicians, clinical laboratory scientists and a variety of other specialists - perform the laboratory tests and procedures that help to diagnose and prevent disease.

These men and women, who play a vital role in every aspect of health care, were celebrated during April 20-26, National Medical Laboratory Professionals Week. At NYP they perform more than 10.8 million billable procedures each year.



At NYP/Weill Cornell, Lab Managers hosted a reception for their team during a week honoring lab professionals

Promoting Innovation and Empathy at NYP

he 2010 Patient Centered Care Grants were awarded on June 5 to 21 different teams and departments across NYP to fund innovative projects designed to enhance the patient experience. Each year, NYP's dedicated Volunteer Department raises \$50,000, which is matched by the Hospital, to award a total of \$100,000 to fund these projects. This year, there were 146 submissions, which were reviewed by a committee of active Hospital volunteers and employees. Many of the winning projects focus on addressing the emotional needs of our patients and their families. The 2010 grant recipients are:

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OB Services Submitted by: *La Shawn Jemison* Fund 7 sleeper chairs for the labor & delivery unit to increase comfort and enhance the experience of both patients and their family members.

Emergency Services Submitted by: *David O'Brien* Purchase blanket warmers to enhance the comfort of patients while in the ER.

Health Outreach Submitted by: *RoseMary Cortez* Purchase supplies such as yarn and needles for the Needles Arts Program in order to continue to donate baby and lap blankets to our patients.

AMBULATORY CARE NETWORK

Comprehensive HIV Program Submitted by: Annie Cella, Dr. Bill LaRock & Maria De La Cruz Establish a Young Adult Compassionate Care Program to provide young people who have a difficult disease the education, tools and resources to make the transition from adolescence to adulthood.

Broadway Obstetrics

Submitted by: *Alyssa Mastroianni* Provide funding to continue Centering Pregnancy Plus, a group support model for prenatal care for mothers between 14 and 21 years old.

HT-5 Women's Health Practice Submitted by: *Ellanie Ocasio* Improve the comfort and pleasantness of exam rooms with relaxing imagery on ceiling tiles.

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Adult Emergency Department Submitted by: *Melaney Gordon* Provide hospitality cart with snacks, beverages and magazines to patients and families. Caring and Healing Committee of RBC Submitted by: *Joelle Coq* Establish music therapy program to connect with patients on a personal level and address their emotional needs.

Social Work Department/Dove Submitted by: *George Lewert* Fund Dignity Project to improve

the experience of sexual assault victims who seek treatment, making them feel safe.

Occupational Therapy Submitted by: *Abigail Shepherd* Purchase stackable washer/dryer unit for OT inpatient use to increase patients' independence at home after discharge.

NYP/MORGAN STANLEY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

5 Central/High-Risk Antepartum Submitted by: *Diana Monteleon* Fund comprehensive antepartum program to support pregnant women who are hospitalized.

Pediatric Oncology, Hematology, and Blood and Marrow Transplantation Submitted by: *Michelle Besmer & Hillary Halter* Purchase mounted digital

safes for patient/families to store their valuables securely.

Child Life Oncology Submitted by: *Melissa Rosmarin* Fund Bravery Hearts Program to provide bravery beads to promote positive reinforcement and coping for hospitalized children.

Pediatric Heart Transplant Department Submitted by: *Marni Lane & Rose Rodriguez* Fund text message service to remind high-risk teenage heart transplant patients to take their critical immunosuppressant medication.

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Child Life Program Submitted by: *Courtney Czepiga* Fund Beads of Courage program, which encourages children to tell stories using beads as symbols of their illness experiences.

Komansky Center for Children's Health/Neonatal Intensive Care Submitted by: Jennifer Small & Mary McCready Create a family-centered care room. Rehab Medicine/Pediatrics Submitted by: *Nicole Psomas* Provide crib toys for babies.

Psychiatry Greenberg 11 Submitted by: *Dawn Beverly* Purchase instruments for music therapy on inpatient psych unit.

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Social Work Submitted by: *Olita Day* Expand socialization program to enhance the outpatient hospital experience.

PATIENT CENTERED CARE GRANT COMMITTEE

A special thanks to the Volunteer Department and the Grant Committee, whose involvement and enthusiasm continue to make the Patient Centered Care Grants a thriving success each year! Nola Johnson, Volunteer, NYP/Allen; Helen Bland, Volunteer, NYP/Columbia; Abraham Kim, Volunteer, NYP/MSCHONY; Patricia Remer, Volunteer, NYP/Weill Cornell; Kathleen Wilson, Volunteer, NYP/Weill Cornell; Patricia Lahey, Volunteer, NYP/Weill Cornell; Hanna Gungor, Operations Manager, Ambulatory Care Network; Elizabeth Knudsen, Director, Patient Centered Care, NYP; Linda Valentino, Director of Nursing, Neuroscience & Specialties, NYP/Columbia; Reynaldo Rivera, Director of Nursing, Special Programs, NYP/Weill Cornell; Matthew Wolden, Administrative Director, Women's Health Service Line, NYP; Nora Contract, Director of Fiscal Services, NYP/Westchester Division and Payne Whitney Manhattan; Jaclyn Mucaria, Senior Vice President, Ambulatory Care & Patient Centered Services.

Westchester Division

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BENEFITS ENROLLMENT The annual enrollment for the Short-Term Disability, Specified Disease Insurance for

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BENEFITS DEDUCTIONS IN PAYCHECKS

Following are the paychecks in July which will have \$0 benefits contributions (except TSA) deducted.

> NewYork-Presbyterian/Columbia Bi-Weekly and Weekly paychecks distributed on July 29, 2010

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If you have any questions, please e-mail activities@nyp.org.

Please note: All tickets are limited to 4 per NYP employee. Tickets will not be held, and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.



New York Yankees vs. Boston Red Sox Sunday, August 8 8 p.m. Main Level, Section 207 \$55 per ticket (adults and children 2 years and older)

New York Mets vs. Houston Astros Friday, August 27 7:10 p.m. Left Field, Section 134 \$60 per ticket (adults and children 2 years and older)

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celebrating careers at NYP



To celebrate those whose commitment has led them to work at NYP for 10 or 15 years, the Hospital held a series of springtime breakfasts at four sites.

Along with coffee and croissants, these long-time staff members enjoyed recognition of their years of service and NYP leaders' heartfelt expressions of gratitude.







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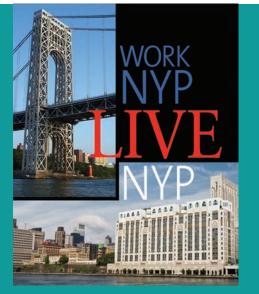
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you work in the city, why not live in the city?

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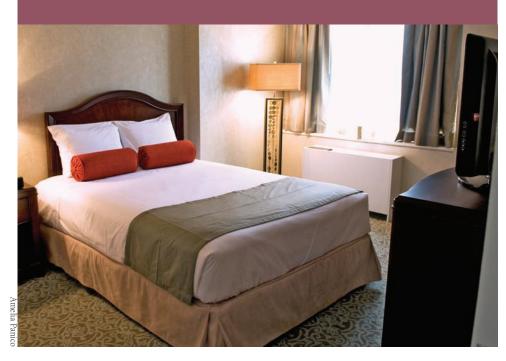
For more information, look at the NYP housing website at www. nyphrealestate.com; e-mail nyphousing@nyp.org; or call (212) 746-1968 at NYP/WeillCornell or (212) 305-2014 at NYP/Columbia.

a home away from home for patients and their families

The NewYork-Presbyterian Guest Facility at The Helmsley Medical Tower offers temporary accommodations for Hospital patients, their families and visitors.

Each spacious room offers cable TV, a fully equipped kitchen, high-speed Internet and daily maid service. The recently renovated Sovereign Suites opened to rave reviews.

The Guest Facility is located at 1320 York Avenue between 70th and 71st Streets. To learn more details or to make a reservation, call (212) 472-8400.



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