

Let's Flamingle for the Kids

Guests donned their best tropical chic attire and mingled at fun interactive stations during the **St. Jude Children's Research Hospital** soiree, *Let's Flamingle for the Kids* at The Colony Hotel. In its 13th year, the event was Co-Chaired by **Lourdes Fanjul, Talbott Maxey** and **Thomas C. Quick** and raised \$250,000 for St. Jude.

The evening included sweet treats such as Palm Beach-inspired cocktails and specialty "drinksicles" from The Colony's popsicle cart. Guests enjoyed live Cuban music by the **Oriente Quartet** and engaged with St. Jude patient artwork that was brought to life via an augmented reality function in the St. Jude Experiences App. By scanning the QR code in each painting, guests watched drawings of rocket ships and superheroes come to life while learning more about the St. Jude patient artist behind each piece.

Chad Buschell, Area Executive Director, Eastern Florida and Puerto Rico for ALSAC, the fundraising and awareness organization for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, welcomed guests and thanked the Palm Beach community for its continued support of St. Jude.

"Because of generous donors like everyone here today, families never receive a bill from St. Jude for treatment, travel, housing or food, so they can focus on helping their child live," said Buschell. "St. Jude shares the breakthroughs it makes, and every child saved at St. Jude means doctors and scientists worldwide can use that knowledge to save thousands more children. St. Jude won't stop until no child dies from cancer and donor support means we can save more children."

Event Sponsors included **Paula Butler, Susan and Dom Telesco, David Yurman, Phillip Ballard, Brian Simmons, Taylor Family Foundation, Pepe Fanjul Sr. and Marc and Angie Tanner.**

"Cancer is a multi-trillion-dollar, multi-year problem requiring millions of supporters coming together," said Thomas C. Quick, Co-Chair of the *Let's Flamingle for the Kids* event. "Funds raised will help fuel the six-year, \$11.5 billion St. Jude strategic plan that expands patient care and research and triples its global investment to impact more of the 400,000 kids with cancer around the world each year. I carry the words of St. Jude founder **Danny Thomas** with me — 'No child should die in the dawn of life' — and the continued support of the Palm Beach community will help make that vision a reality."

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TOP ROW: Talbott Maxey and Thomas Quick; Ashley Miller and Amelia Pfeiffer; Suzette Arroyo and Edwin De Jesus; Gregorio Gonzales, Monia Mendoza and Joe Siolzk; Brenda Kenney and Dennis Velkovich;
MIDDLE ROW: Lora David with Marc and Alette Abo; Hilary Geary Ross and Wilbur Ross; Paola Bacchini and Arnold Rosenshein; Marie and Vernon Krause with Bonny Renick;
BOTTOM ROW: Joe and Helena Cornell; Sierra Lowe and Marc Woolf; Lorena Perozo; Barbara and Bill Luther; Silvia and Sophocles Zoullas. PHOTOS: CAPEHART