



# SPECIAL KIDS

*the voice of young HSS patients*

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*Check out our new look. We are now in **Color** !*

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## THE ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

The Enrichment Program provides wonderful opportunities for HSS pediatric patients **ages 6 and older** to engage in rewarding recreational activities at HSS. Volunteers along with the Child Life staff will offer exciting learning opportunities in music, sewing, cooking, knitting, and more!

Food and fun for everyone! If you plan to attend please call the **Pediatric Special Events Hotline in advance at 212 606-1959.**

**\*Next session is Nov. 21, 2006**

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Are you interested in becoming an email buddy with a member of the HSS Junior Committee? Junior Committee members are interested in learning about kids and their experiences at HSS.

If you are interested, and have email please have your parent/guardian contact Lorraine Montuori, LCSW at:

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## YOU ARE INVITED!

ANNUAL FLORENCE AND HARVEY McCOY

### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

(for pediatric patients, age 10 and under, and their families)

DATE: Friday, December 8, 2006      TIME: 3:30 - 5:00 pm

RSVP: by Friday, December 1, 2006 to 212.606.1959

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# ART CONTEST WINNER



Congratulations  
Martin Osorio  
1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Art Contest  
Winner



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# ENRICHMENT



Children, Staff and Volunteers  
come together to experience  
rewarding recreational activities  
with each other. It is fun for  
everyone!





# PROGRAM



**Look at what we made together!**

