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Saratoga County Children's Committee Benefits from BSNB Holiday Event

BALLSTON SPA - December 21, 2012 - A fundraiser to benefit the Saratoga County Children's Committee was held during Ballston Spa National Bank's holiday party on December 8th at The Vista in Clifton Park. BSNB employees and guests raised a total of \$1,280.

Saratoga County Children's Committee is a volunteer, non-profit group dedicated to meeting both the emergency and ongoing needs of underprivileged children in Saratoga County. Each year during the holidays, the Committee organizes the Empty Stocking Project that pairs children in need with volunteers who provide holiday gifts. Over the past six years, BSNB employees have 'adopted' a total of 68 children. The monetary donation from the recent fundraiser was presented to the Committee in order to support the needs of additional children.

"As we pause to celebrate the holidays, we know that there are families in our community facing economic hardship. We hope that this donation helps make their holidays a little brighter," said Christopher R. Dowd, President and CEO.

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