



*Celebrity Waiter Night*

# Celebrity Waiter Night makes history and raises \$236,792



Facilities Team

More than 75 Shands HealthCare employees dressed up in costume and waited on 325 guests at the 21st Annual Celebrity Waiter Night - one of the most entertaining and fun-filled events for employees and guests. Celebrity Waiter Night continued the tradition of educating participants and encouraging support for Shands Children's Hospital by raising \$236,792 on Monday, May 22. The event was held at the Holloway Touchdown Terrace on the University of Florida campus. Each celebrity waiter was dressed up in creative costumes according to the "Birthday Party" theme and their guests dined on Italian cuisine catered by Napolatano's Restaurant. Employee teams tried to outdo each other by performing choreographed song-and-dance numbers, cheered on by their guests.

Ten departments from Shands HealthCare participated: Finance, Legal Services, Human Resources, Managed Care, Facilities Development, Information Services, Nursing, Operations, Pharmacy, and Rehab. The UF College of Medicine pediatric physicians also participated. The Shands "themed characters" waited on their guests throughout the night and tips for the evening were donated to the Children's Miracle Network. Since 1986, Celebrity Waiter Night has raised more than \$1,345,000 for Children's Miracle Network.

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Tim Goldfarb, CEO of Shands HealthCare, with Brad Pollitt, VP of Facilities.

