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**COMMITTEE NAMED FOR HOPE & WILL BALL BENEFITING
CHILDREN'S HEALTHCARE OF ATLANTA**

Ada Lee Correll Selected as Honorary Chair

Atlanta - July 15, 2009 - The committee has been named for the 2010 Hope & Will Ball benefiting Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, to be held January 30, 2010, at the St. Regis in Buckhead. 2010 marks the seventh anniversary of the event, which is attended by approximately 600 Atlantans annually.

Proceeds from the Hope and Will Ball will support integral areas of Children's, including Emergency Services and the advanced equipment needed to treat critically ill and injured children. Among the equipment needs are a defibrillator used to restore a normal heartbeat if a child goes into cardiac arrest; and a laryngoscope that enables clear views of airways, making the intubation process easier when a child needs help to breathe. Event proceeds also will fund clinical research, and family support services such as chaplaincy, child life specialists and the Big Apple Circus Clown Care Unit.

The 2010 committee, chaired by Ashley G. Preisinger of Brookhaven, includes:

- Honorary Chair - Ada Lee Correll
- Corporate Sponsorship Committee Co-chairs – Julie Salisbury and Sara Smith
- Décor Chair – Kimberley Ichter
- Invitations Committee Co-chairs – Karen Brown and Jenny Fosgate
- Patron Committee Co-chairs – Kate Hudson and Amy Reavis
- Public Relations Committee Co-chairs - Kim Hardcastle and Lisa Martinez
- Silent Auction Committee Co-chairs – Christy Roberts and Liz Shults

This is Chairperson Ashley Preisinger's fourth year of involvement with the Hope & Will Ball and first year heading up the committee. She also serves on the Board of Trustees for Georgia Shakespeare, is a member of the 2009-2010 class of Leadership Atlanta and a member of Buckhead Rotary. Ashley is the director of business development for Homrich Berg, a wealth management firm headquartered in Buckhead.

Honorary Chair Ada Lee Correll is highly involved in the Atlanta philanthropic community. She is a former trustee of the Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Foundation, which was created following the merger of Egleston Children's Health Care System and Scottish Rite Medical Center. She was ball advisor for the Hope & Will Ball during its first five years, and created the name for the ball. She is also the current chair for the Emory University School of Medicine capital campaign. The Corrells live in Buckhead.



According to Gene Hayes, president, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Foundation, “Ada Lee Correll has been an invaluable supporter of our mission at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. As a trustee of the Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Foundation, beginning just after the merger in 1998, she quickly engaged new community support for Children's. Since her involvement began, Ada Lee has consistently given generously of her time, talents and resources—her determination and passion are second to none. She asks no one to do what she does not do herself. We are blessed to have Ada Lee’s commitment and are thrilled that she is the honorary chair of the 2010 Hope and Will Ball.”

Invitations for the event will be mailed in early December. Visit www.choa.org/hopeandwillball for more information.

About Children's Healthcare of Atlanta

Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta, a not-for-profit organization, is committed to enhancing the lives of children through excellence in patient care, research and education. Managing more than half a million patient visits annually at three hospitals and 16 neighborhood locations, Children’s is one of the largest clinical care providers for children in the country. Children’s offers access to more than 30 pediatric specialties and is ranked among the top children’s hospitals by *Parents* magazine and *U.S News & World Report*. With generous philanthropic and volunteer support, Children’s has made an impact in the lives of children in Georgia, the United States and throughout the world. Visit www.choa.org for more information.

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