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HARLEM SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, THE HERB ALPERT CENTER, HONORED HERB ALPERT AT THEIR 2012 FALL BENEFIT

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NEW YORK – The Harlem School of the Arts, the community-based cultural and educational institution serving children and families of all backgrounds for nearly 50 years, hosted its Fall Benefit at Lincoln Center’s Stanley H. Kaplan Penthouse. Hosted by FOX News Channel’s Arthel Neville, the Harlem School of the Arts Fall 2012 Benefit raised more than \$200,000 to support HAS’s world-class arts training programs. The event honored legendary musician, sculptor, painter, producer, recording industry executive and philanthropist Herb Alpert. Along with his wife, singer Lani Hall, Mr. Alpert recently gifted the Harlem School of the Arts with a landmark \$5,050,00 donation, bringing their total giving to HSA to more than \$6 million since 2010.

Herb Alpert said the evening was, “A touching and unforgettable night for me, capped off by a thrilling performance by the students of The Harlem School of the Arts, who showed us how creativity can transform lives.”

Joining Harlem School of the Arts President and CEO Yvette L. Campbell were Anita Contini; Inez Dickens; Gregory Generet; Charles J. Hamilton, Jr.; Robert Jackson; Dr. Henry Jarecki; Rocco Landesman; Kate Levin; Reynold Levy; Ginny Mancini; Bill Moyers; John Rhea; Rona Sebastian; Valerie Simpson; Scott Stringer; Tamara Tunie; Melvin van Peebles; Janice Savin Williams; Keith Wright.

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Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg said in a video, “Herb Alpert, I want you to know how much it means to all of us in New York City that you would choose to reach out from across the country to help us save one of the most valuable institutions. You’re an extraordinary artist, and a truly extraordinary benefactor. On behalf of 8.4 million New Yorkers, congratulations, Herb, and congratulations to the Harlem School of the Arts.”

“Herb Alpert is a creative genius. His career continues to flourish and he continues to use his gifts as an artist and a philanthropist to make our world a better place,” said Bill Moyers as he presented the inaugural Harlem School of the Arts Leadership Award to his friend.

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