

## CONSOLIDATED CARPET TEAMS UP WITH THE METS FOUNDATION

### Consolidated Carpet Signs On For Fourth Season At Citi Field

#### Annual Welcome Home Dinner

**FLUSHING, N.Y., May 13, 2011** –Consolidated Carpet – the nation’s premiere full-service flooring and carpet contractor – announced that it has signed on with the New York Mets as a sponsor for the 2011 season at Citi Field, the Mets ballpark. On Sunday, April 10, 2011, the Welcome Home Dinner for the New York Mets was sponsored by Consolidated Carpet, following the Mets - Nationals game at Citi Field, and benefited North Shore-LIJ Katz Institute for Women’s Health, Katz Women’s Hospital and The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

The annual event, which officially welcomes the team back to New York, was attended by the entire organization, including players, coaches and front office staff. Cocktails started at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner and a program featuring all of the Mets players and coaches. Raffles and a silent auction took place during cocktail hour, and the evening concluded with a Mets autograph session, where guests had the opportunity to obtain autographs from their favorite Mets players.

This season’s dinner raised over \$670,000 to improve the quality of life for patients and their families.

#### **About Consolidated Carpet**

Consolidated Carpet is the nation’s premier full service flooring and carpet contractor, with headquarters in New York. As a third generation, family-owned and operated business we are hands-on, accountable and driven to satisfy our client’s needs. As one of the nation’s largest and most recognized full-service floor covering contractors, we serve our clients from planning and specification through installation and maintenance. Our prestigious clients include Fortune 500 corporations, professional service firms, luxury hotel properties, institutional properties, real estate owners, and general contractors. The firm’s website can be found at [www.consolidatedcarpet.com](http://www.consolidatedcarpet.com).

#### **About The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – NYC Chapter**

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society®, headquartered in White Plains, NY, with 68 chapters in the United States and Canada, is the world’s largest voluntary health organization dedicated to funding blood cancer research and providing education and patient services. The Society’s mission: Cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin’s disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families. Since its founding in 1949, the Society has invested more than \$550 million in research specifically targeting leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma. Last year alone, the Society made 5.1 million contacts with patients, caregivers and healthcare professionals.

For more information about blood cancer, visit [www.LLS.org/nyc](http://www.LLS.org/nyc) or call the Society's Information Resource Center at (800) 955-4572, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. EST.

**About North Shore-LIJ Health System**

The North Shore-LIJ Health System is the third largest non-profit secular health system in the country and the leading provider of healthcare in the metropolitan area. For decades, North Shore-LIJ has been at the forefront of providing the very best healthcare for women. Now they have taken the next giant step that builds on their commitment to women – breaking ground in 2008 for the Katz Women's Hospital at Long Island Jewish Medical Center and North Shore University Hospital. At the same time, the Katz Institute for Women's Health has been created to address the unique needs of women as they transition throughout their lives. Construction for the Katz Women's Hospital at North Shore will be completed in phases, the first to conclude this year. We look forward to the opening at LIJ in 2012.

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