



Children's Beach House News

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Children's Beach House Announces New Partner Program

September 21, 2011 ~ Wilmington, Delaware: Children's Beach House (CBH) announced today the creation of its new Partner Program, which is designed to supply continued support to vital programs that address the needs of children in Delaware.

Wilmington Trust, part of the M&T Bank corporate family, and a leading provider of wealth management services, has taken its place as the first Champion Partner with CBH.

"We are proud to continue supporting the mission and purpose of the Children's Beach House," said Mark Graham, head of Wealth Advisory Services for Wilmington Trust. "Their unique approach focusing on the strengths of youth and their families has brought many positive outcomes for so many families and children in Delaware."

"We deeply appreciate the dedication and support from Wilmington Trust," responded Richard Garrett, CBH executive director. "They have been loyal sponsors over the years."

Betsy and Wayne Holden, also CBH Partners, applaud Wilmington Trust, M&T Bank for their support of the organization. "In these difficult times it is essential that non-profits such as CBH have corporate support in order to fulfill their missions."

Lydia Chichester du Pont founded CBH in 1937 to help children with special needs reach their highest potential as functioning members of their families and communities. Since that time, CBH has served children with polio, cerebral palsy, and a variety of mild orthopedic conditions. Today, while the programs have changed to address the needs of children in the 21st century, the mission remains constant.

Our programs stress three underlying principles: young people need a set of core assets or values to move successfully through adolescence and into adulthood; families are the most fundamental factors influencing young people; and families are strong when safe and thriving communities support them.

For more information on CBH, please visit www.cbhinc.org or call 302.655.4288.

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