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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Medici  
Da Hunt for the Cure  
909 Plymouth Street  
Pelham, NY 10803

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Medici,

*Charles & Diane*

**Thank you.** Please accept my heartfelt thank you for the generous donation of \$5,000.00 for the Children's Home of Poughkeepsie from the **Da Hunt for the Cure Fund**. We truly appreciate your thoughtfulness and dedication in support of our mission to *provide a safe and nurturing environment that improves lives and empowers at-risk children and families in the Hudson Valley and surrounding communities.*

**Your support makes a huge difference in so many ways.** Donations to the Children's Home help to close the gap between government funding and the actual cost of top quality care; including increased services to children, an enriched children's recreation program, special services to families, and enhanced services to youth transitioning to independence. Every dollar that we receive supports the hope and healing of abused and neglected children right here in our community. Every dollar received gives hope to a child who has been hurt, a teenager who has been victimized... a person who deserves a better chance at a brighter tomorrow. We cannot thank you enough for your support of the important work we do right here at home.

The season of giving and thanks is upon us, a time when we reflect with gratitude on the generosity of our community, especially friends like you. We have a number of warm, wonderful and festive activities planned for the children in our care. Some of the children will go home for the holidays and some will stay at the Children's Home. Thanks to the thoughtfulness of our community friends, board and staff, we are able to provide the children with happy holiday memories.

Since 1847, the community has generously helped to provide for the most vulnerable children in our community. Each year, hundreds of children find sanctuary at the Children's Home; a safe, warm and caring place — *a place where they can begin to heal and hope.* Thank you again for your generosity and support of the Children's Home. Wishing you a Happy and Healthy Holiday Season.

Sincerely,

*Walter J. Joseph*

Walter J. Joseph  
Executive Director

*thanks for your wonderful gift!*

