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HAMPTONS HAPPENING RAISES \$450K FOR SWCRF

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ore than 300 guests attended the 15th Annual Hamptons Happening culinary charity event that raised more than \$450,000 to support the groundbreaking research of the Samuel Waxman Cancer Research Foundation (SWCRF).

“The proceeds generated by the Hamptons Happening help support more than 30 scientists who are some of the world’s brightest minds working diligently to develop a cure for cancer. The SWCRF seeks to award more than \$2,000,000 in new grants this year and community support is critically important in this effort,” said Samuel Waxman, M.D., founder and CEO of the SWCRF. “We are always grateful and moved by the generosity of our honorees, sponsors, guests, and the more than 25 participating chefs, restaurants, wine and spirit makers and food purveyors who make this fun summer event possible.”

The SWCRF honored luminaries in cuisine, fashion, and business for their longtime support of cancer research. The honorees were: celebrity chef and Emmy-Awarding Winning cooking show host Lidia Bastianich and generations of the Bastianich family; Ian Duke, legendary owner of five restaurants in Southampton and New York City; business honoree, Antonella Bertello, real estate entrepreneur and owner of the historic The Baker House 1650 boutique hotel in East Hampton; and iconic womenswear designer Nicole Miller as fashion honoree.

This year, the Hamptons Happening was reinvented to bring guests flavors of the world to Bridgehampton for one night. Pat Farrell and the Cold Spring Harbor Band (The Billy Joel Tribute Show) and DJ Lisie from Jarrell Entertainment had guests dancing all night.

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Kenneth Fishel, Maria Fishel and Bradley Fishel



Kenneth Fishel, Ian Duke, Marion Waxman, Nicole Miller, Lidia Bastianich, Antonella Bertello, Maria Fishel, Bradley Fishel



Ann Liguori



Caly Bevier, Nicole Miller



Antonella Bertello



Chef Palak Patel



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