Markham Stouffville Hospital Foundation invites you to the MEDIA LAUNCH for the 2008 GALA:

## TUTTO ITALIANO



Please join us!

Wed. January 30, 2008

I lam – 2pm at The Village Grocer

538 Carlton Road, Unionville



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robably most of us who reside in the Markham-Unionville-Stouffville constellation of neighbourhoods feel blessed and grateful that we do. The existence of Markham Stouffville Hospital is undoubtedly right near the top of our lists of blessings - but how do we demonstrate that gratitude, concretely.

Evan MacDonald owner of The Village Grocer in Unionville, has for 8 years now, demonstrated his appreciation of Markham Stouffville Hospital in a huge way by committing enormous energy, time and to be blunt – big bucks, as Presenting Sponsor of the hospital's annual fundraising gala. The writer of this piece, who will remain anonymous, has known Evan for over twenty-five years, and is blown away every year by the extent of Evan's generosity of spirit and pocketbook. Evan feels and exhibits huge and tangible appreciation for the wonderful role(s) Markham Stouffville Hospital has played in the lives of his immediate family and community of friends.

Were the Village Grocer's proprietor penning this appeal he would not have said the things about himself and his contributions that this writer has. What he would say can be expressed as a challenge to the rest of us: community members, community leaders, business leaders of Markham-Stouffville-Unionville, how can you help our Hospital keep on helping all of us? Please make

2008 the year you too concretely demonstrate your thankfulness for the vital force that is Markham Stouffville Hospital.



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