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THE FOURFRONT GROUP PARTNERS WITH THE SHOOTING STAR CHILDREN'S HOSPICE CHARITY

The Fourfront Group, one of the UK's leading commercial interior specialists have decided to partner with the Shooting Star Children's Hospice Charity and are aiming to raise £20,000 in 2009. Based in Hampton, The Charity provides essential care and support for children and young people with life-limiting conditions and their families, free of charge, 365 days a year.

The Group has wasted no time in getting behind this challenge and managed to raise a staggering £8,500 at their Christmas party, through a charity auction, raffle and games. The next major fundraising event on the calendar is the Reading Half Marathon where 20 employees have agreed to run to support the Charity.

Clive Lucking, Group Managing Director says "with the rapid expansion of the Fourfront Group, Directors agreed that it was time to give something back to the community and we have decided to support the Shooting Star Children's Hospice Charity. One can only imagine the pain and suffering that these families have to endure and Shooting Star does an incredible job in providing comfort and care and the most traumatic of times."

Clive adds: "Over the next year we aim to raise as much money as possible and this will be achieved through donations, fundraising events, volunteering schemes etc. Our suppliers have been very supportive and provided fantastic prizes which enabled us to raise a significant amount during our Christmas lunch".

Amy White, Corporate Relationship Manager at The Shooting Star Children's Hospice adds: "with no long term statutory funding, we rely on voluntary donations to fund the £3 million needed each and every year to sustain our care service provision. Therefore the support of the Fourfront Group is truly appreciated and together we can make a real and lasting difference. The money already raised at the Christmas lunch is extraordinary amount, and is such a fantastic result."

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Notes to editors:**About the Fourfront Group**

The Fourfront Group is one of the UK's leading commercial interior specialists. The Group consists of Area Sq, Cube Interior Solutions, 360 Design Studios and Sketch Studios.

Whilst each company operates independently, the strength of the Fourfront Group resides in its ability to offer a comprehensive range of services encompassing office design and fit-out (Area Sq), commercial interior contracting (Cube), pure design consultancy (360 Design Studios) and furniture procurement (Sketch Studios).

The Group's first company, Area Sq, was launched in 2000, and has established a reputation as the leader in its marketplace. Cube Interior Solutions was created in 2004, 360 Design Studios started trading in September 2006 and Sketch was launched in March 2007.

The Group employs in excess of 100 people, has a combined turnover of £38 million and operates from Grafton Street, W1, and Egham, Surrey.

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About Shooting Star Children's Hospice

The Shooting Star Children's Hospice is a very special place, a home from home for families who find themselves in truly unimaginable circumstances. Discovering your child has a life-limiting condition must be one of the most devastating experiences a family can encounter. The Shooting Star Children's Hospice provides support and care to young people and their families, enhancing quality of life through, respite care, hospice at home, and end of life care, offered free of charge, 365 days a year.

Our care services support children and their families in the western half of Greater London and surrounding areas through short breaks, care at home, support for siblings, emergency care and end of life care. It costs £3 million every year to maintain our services at Shooting Star House and in the community, and as we receive no long-term statutory funding, the majority of this comes from voluntary donations.