



THE RUSSIAN NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

THE LEAGUE OF NATION'S HEALTH

THE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR CULTURE AND SCIENCE 'HARMONY'

AND FORUM HALL

PRESENT

CHARITY EVENING
December 8, 2011



Charity takes up a new fashion these days and becomes for many of us the means of expression of spare emotions or simply gives a chance to be involved into a good cause, especially when it concerns health of the children.

Russian charity has always been very special and charged emotionally, as any benefaction seems meaningless if it lacks a subtle emotional linkage between those in need, and those who can help.

Charity is currently becoming a trending topic in Russia: donations through sms-messages, cyber-money and terminal stations gain more and more popularity among the public including young people.

'Touch the Heart of the Child' and **'Health Wave'** charity projects initiated by **Leo Antonovich Bokeria**, the President of the Russian Non-Profit Organization 'The League of Nation's Health' and the Director of Bakulev Center for Cardiovascular Surgery, are held throughout the past **ten years**.





The issue is that about 25,000 children with congenital heart disorders (CHD) are born in Russia every year. Over a half of them need an urgent life-saving surgery. Over 75% of children, who were not operated in time, do not attain the age of one. Urgency of surgical treatment reduces further on, however all these children should be operated before they turn 2-3. This is the sad part of the story. The other part, which is an optimistic one, is that over 97% of children with congenital heart disorders grow up perfectly healthy and live productive life if operated in time.



In 2006 the League launched a new project called 'Health Wave' that is a ship tour across the country by a team of doctors of the leading research centers: **Bakulev Center for Cardiovascular Surgery of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences, Federal State Institution Fyodorov Research and Technology Complex for Eye Microsurgery, Federal Research and Clinical Center for Otolaryngology of the Federal Medicine and Biology Agency, Moscow Research Institute for Pediatrics and Pediatric Surgery, Research Child Health Center of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences.**

The purpose of these projects is to define children who need treatment in the country's leading medical centers and to finance treatment in the above centers if no quotas are granted.

All the events are organized through the direct involvement of regional public health authorities and specialists of the federal research centers. While the latter decide upon operating, the former organize transfer of children together with their parents to the site of operation. Insufficiency of funds for accommodation, medicines, equipment and operation itself (if no regional quotas are granted) is compensated by charitable donations.





Thanks to these projects **thousands of children** have been examined by the best specialists of the country's leading research centers free of charge. Hundreds of them have been operated for free.



In 2009 the Presidium of the League of Nation's Health instituted a **Child Heart Award** for the 10th anniversary of the '**Touch the Heart of the Child**' project.

Members of the Presidium of the League of Nation's Health: **Leo Bokeria, Iosif Kobzon, Gennady Onishchenko, Irina Rodnina, Victor Sadovnichy, Lyudmila Shvetsova, Sergey Abramov and Evgeny Velikhov.**

Guest of the Charity Evening: **Svetlana Vladimirovna Medvedeva, the spouse of the President of the Russian Federation.**



Well-known politicians, sportsmen, famous actors and actresses and TV stars support charity projects of the League every year: **Iosif Kobzon**, People's Artist of the Soviet Union, **Mikhail Ostrovsky**, Deputy Secretary of Public Chamber of the Russian Federation, **Tatiana Yakovleva**, First Deputy Director of the United Russia Party, **Olga Borzova**, Chairman of the State Duma Committee for Health Care, **Ramzan Kadyrov**, President of the Chechen Republic, **Anatoly Artamonov**, Governor of Kaluga Region, **Vladimir Gorodetsky**, Mayor of Novosibirsk, **Victor Kostin**, Vice-Governor of Yaroslavl Region, **Valeria**, Honored Artist of Russia, **Oleg Gazmanov**, People's Artist of Russia,





Vladimir Spivakov, Tamara Gverdtiteli, Zurab Sotkilava, Diana Gurtskaya, QUATRO Band, Alexey Goman, Alena Sviridova, Art Group Soprano, Marina Khlebnikova, Mark Tishman, Sati Kazanova, Irina Dubtsova.



Receipts from sale of tickets for the charity concert are transferred for charity projects.

Enjoy the pleasure of participation in the utmost humane project.

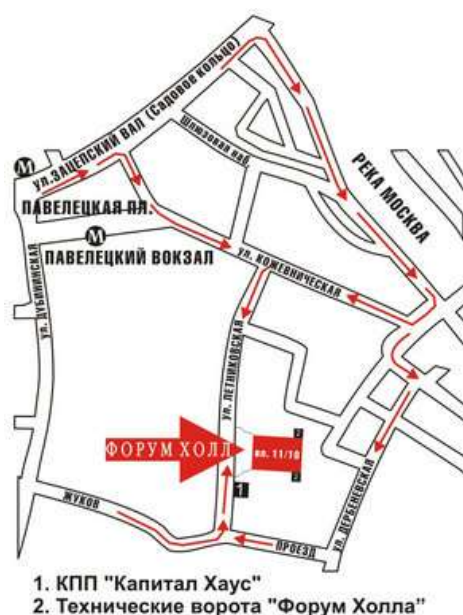
**President of the League of Nation's Health
Director of Bakulev Center for Cardiovascular Surgery
of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences
Member of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences**

L.A. Bokeria

Meeting place and time: Forum HALL,
11/10 Letnikovskaya Street, Moscow, 19.00-23.00

FORUM HALL has become a meeting place with a capital 'M': it is a place of meeting of the Minister of Finance of the Group of Eight and the President of Israel, a place of celebration of the 50th anniversary of diamond-mining industry of Russia and exposition of a quincentenary masterpiece of Michelangelo.....





Dress-Code: Formal

Men: Tuxedo would be an asset (it may be of dark color); formal suit with a tie
Women: Cocktail dress; long dress

Number of the participants: 700-1000 persons, representatives of public authorities, owners and chief executive officers of Russian and foreign companies, famous scientists, sportsmen, well-known actors and actresses, public characters.

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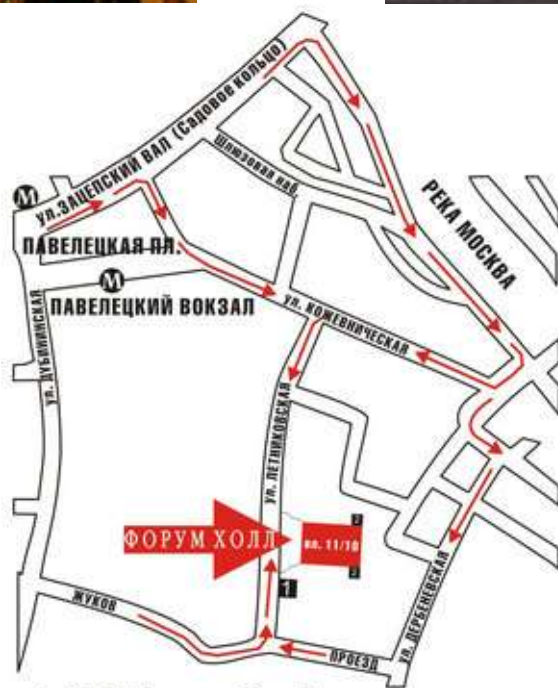
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FORUM HALL

11/10 Letnikovskaya Street, Moscow
Grand hall (1750 sq.m)
Banquets admit 1700 persons



1. КПП "Капитал Хаус"
2. Технические ворота "Форум Холла"





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Guests of the charity event:

- 1. Artists of International Spivakov Charitable Foundation**
- 2. Dancing group of Moiseyev Dancing School**
- 3. Vocal singers: Vitaly Chirva and Dali**
- 4. Quatro Band**
- 5. Lara Fabian and Igor Krutoy**



