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Last Chance for Animals' annual NYC gala: A philanthropic celebration

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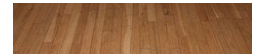
Last night, **Last Chance for Animals** (LCA) hosted its annual NYC gala at **Peter Max's** Art studio on the Upper West Side. LCA is an organization that has been in existence for 28 years, and it is dedicated to fighting against animal cruelty and advocating animal rights. Many notable personalities came to support the gala, which included: Leesa Rowland, Robin Cofer, Chris DeRose, Bebe Buell, Dominick D'Alleva, Larry Wohl, Jane and Joe Pontarelli, R. Couri Hay, Mary and Peter Max, [Jane Velez-Mitchell](#), Cassandra Seidenfeld, Jean Shafiroff, Janna Bullock, Nancy Silberkleit, Elaine Sargent, Jenna Lash and Chris Nirschel. The event had a great turnout with over 100 guests in attendance.

The gala provided guests with an informative and entertaining experience. During the event, Chris DeRose, LCA's founder, showed a video presentation that demonstrated LCA's work. There was also a silent auction that took place and all proceeds went toward LCA. Music was provided by Declassified, vegan hors d'oeuvres were provided by Franchia Vegan Café, and cocktails were provided by Medea Vodka. Guests at the gala enjoyed viewing Peter Max's work and learning more about LCA.

All event ticket proceeds from the gala supported LCA's mission. What an incredible blend of art and philanthropy!



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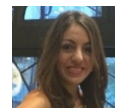
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