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Hillsborough Township Names Team to Participate in Charity Basketball Game

Mayor Doug Tomson announced the Township team that will participate in the Hillsborough Joes vs. the NFL Pros basketball Game. "I am excited to name our Township team consisting of our Township Committee, Administrator Anthony Ferrera, Construction Official John Fiedler, Director of Parks, Recreation and Social Services Ron Skobo and Township Clerk Pamela Borek."

"Additionally, we have received word on the NFL team, which will consist of Kareem Huggins - New York Jets, Michael Campbell - New York Jets, Tony Logan - NE Patriots Barrett Brooks - Pittsburgh Steelers - Super Bowl Champion, Joey Porter - Oakland Raiders Brandon Bing - New York Giants - Super Bowl Champion and J'Vonne Parker - Denver Broncos," added Mayor Tomson.

The basketball game will be held on Saturday, April 5, 2014 at the Hillsborough High School with proceeds from the event benefiting the Hillsborough / Millstone Municipal Alliance, BoroSafe, Life Skills and Dreams for Kids.

General admission tickets purchased in advance are \$10 and the doors open at 6:15pm. For VIP advance ticket sales the cost is \$30 and that allows for VIP access for some one on one time with the Pros prior to game time, photo ops and a light meal to be enjoyed with the Pros. Tickets can be purchased through the Hillsborough Life Skills Office by contacting Minda Maggio at 908-431-6600 extension 2809 or email Rebecca Grossman at borojoesvspros@gmail.com

"This is a great opportunity for the community to come together to support these very worthy causes," stated Mayor Doug Tomson during his comments about the game.

"We hope to see you all there," concluded the Mayor.

About the Hillsborough/Millstone Municipal Alliance: to provide educational and awareness information for the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse within the Community.

About BoroSAFE: (Suicide Awareness For Everyone) to raise community awareness that suicide that is preventable and resources are available.

About Hillsborough District Life Skills: Life Skills provides education through various programs within the school district and the community. These programs educate our students, parents and community members about healthy lifestyle choices including drug/alcohol prevention, anti-bullying, communication skills, developing healthy friendships, decision making skills, peer pressure and coping skills.

About Dreams For Kids: touts more than 120 current and former professional athletes, all of whom Allgood says are role models for the community. In an effort to raise money for his organization, Lonnie lines up teams of his gridiron warriors and pits them against local all-stars. Revenues generated from the games are evenly split with local groups.

Founded a dozen years ago by Lonnie Allgood, Dreams For Kids teaches children to stay on the straight and narrow -- stay away from drugs and alcohol, work hard in school, respect your parents and teachers.

Working through Dreams for Kids, Allgood partners with schools and youth organizations throughout the country covering such topics as: say no to drugs, self-esteem, character building, respect, dream building, positive attitudes and bullying.
