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Leslie Wendorf and Margaret Hallsworth
Spirit Halloween Stores
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Dear Leslie, Margaret and the staff of Spirit Halloween Stores:


On behalf of the children, families, and staff at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for arranging a visit for the Spirit of Children Day you have designated as October 10th. The Halloween costumes and accessories you provided were wonderful and the decorations you brought added to the "spirit" of the party. The pumpkin painting was also a very popular addition for that extra touch to make it feel like Halloween. The children had a great time dressing up in their costumes and getting their pictures taken and the families were appreciative of the donation from your organization.

Being sick and hospitalized is difficult on any day, but during the holidays, it is especially tough for children and families. When special holiday activities are planned, they bring comfort and lift spirits, as well as provide the children with a necessary distraction and break from the hospital routine that allows them to forget about being hospitalized, if only for a short time. We sincerely appreciate the time you took out of your busy schedule to share the day with us.

Thanks again

Sincerely,

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