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**PABLOVE SHUTTERBUGS THIRD ANNUAL GALLERY SHOW
AT THE KOPEIKIN GALLERY IN LOS ANGELES SET FOR MAY 4**

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***The Hollywood Foreign Press Association Provides Grant
To Fund Pediatric Cancer Patient Photography***

Auction To Feature Photographs from Herb Ritts, Greg Hinsdale, Michael Muller, Piper Ferguson, Mark Pellington, Jeff Antebi, Marcelo Gomes, Bill Leigh Brewer, and more...

Hollywood, CA (April 22, 2013) – Los Angeles will walk the red carpet to celebrate and support The Pablove Foundation's Pablove Shutterbugs photography program on May 4, 2013 at the Kopeikin Gallery in Los Angeles. This fundraising event will feature photographs from children living with cancer across the Los Angeles area. Graduates' photos are up for sale alongside a prestigious group of modern and contemporary photographers who generously donated their work to the fundraising auction. The Pablove Shutterbugs program is made possible in part by a grant from the Hollywood Foreign Press Association, along with support from The Kopeikin Gallery, PokitDok, Epon, Shutterfly, The Animal Print Shop and Wiredrive.

"The HFPA strives to support various causes in the arts and entertainment communities," said Dr. Aida Takla-O'Reilly, president of the HFPA. "Organizations like The Pablove Foundation help fortify the livelihood of the arts while raising awareness for those in need."

The Pablove Shutterbugs program teaches children living with cancer to develop their creative voice through the art of photography—a key achievement of The Pablove Foundation's three-prong approach to fighting childhood cancer with love. Over the course of semester-length programs, weeklong summer camps, and weekend workshops, each child gains hands-on experience through a combination of one-on-one mentorship and group classes. Students receive their own camera equipment, which is theirs to keep upon completion of the program. Pablove Shutterbugs has grown to include 150 pediatric cancer patients from Children's Hospital Los Angeles, Cedars Sinai Medical Center and more.

"This will be our third annual gallery show in Los Angeles, but seeing our students' beaming smiles on the red carpet never gets old," said Pablove co-founder and executive director Jo Ann Thraikill. "This event not only celebrates our graduates, but it helps us keep the program going strong here in LA while bringing it to new communities across the country."

The May 4 gallery show will bring together students, families, mentors and celebrity supporters to celebrate the graduates' photographs and enjoy an incredible silent and live auction, food, beverages, and music by KROQ DJ Kat Corbett.

This event is free to the public and will run from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. 100% of proceeds from the evening support the Pablove Shutterbugs program through The Pablove Foundation. The Kopeikin Gallery is located at 2766 S. La Cienega Blvd.

A preview of students' prints and professional photography for auction can be viewed online at <http://wdrv.it/ZEv2hc>.

BACKGROUND ON THE PABLOVE FOUNDATION:

[The Pablove Foundation](#) is named after Pablo Thraikill Castelaz, the son of Jo Ann Thraikill and Jeff Castelaz and the little brother of Grady Gallagher. Pablo was six years old when he lost his valiant yearlong battle with bilateral Wilms Tumor, a rare form of childhood cancer. The mission of The Pablove Foundation is to fund pediatric cancer research and advances in treatment, educate and empower cancer families, and improve the quality of life for children living with cancer through hospital play, music and arts programs.

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