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\*\*\*\* Rating On November 7, Glimpses of Indian Classical Music, took place at the Wang Center. "The artists, [Jyoti Pandit, Viral Pandya, Kalpit Pandya, Sitadevi Pillarisetty, Vijay Shah, Raj Singh] presented the audience with a rich array of Indian classical music: vocal, tabla, sitar, and veena. . . . both traditions, Karnatic as well as North Indian classical music were included in this concert. The large turnout is a testimonial to what can be achieved when classy programs are presented in a classy set-up, the Wang Center. Both John and Sunita did a wonderful job of putting the program together. And, you, Jyoti, did a superb job of bringing young talents from all over the Island." - Kamal (Meena) Sridhar - Center for India Studies

"Jyoti Pandit, shared with both Library colleagues and those from the wider community, some of the harvest of her lifelong involvement with Indian classical music as a performer and <u>concert-organizer-and-presenter</u>. . . . the way Jyoti sees it - she had another opportunity to widen the audience for this marvelous music." - John Andrus

When asked by John Andrus - Helene said the food was snatched right up - there were no leftovers much to Maryanne's dismay. Samosas, chicken pakora + dipping sauces and spice tea were consumed!



## S.E.F.A.:

## **TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

I am pleased to announce that Lou Deutsch, Professor in the Department of Hispanic Languages and Literature, is the winner of our first SEFA Raffle Drawing! Professor Deutsch has won a \$50 gift certificate to Mirabelle's.

We will be having a raffle drawing in November and December as well.

(Simminate Ennever, Assistant Administrator, Office of the Director and CEO Stony Brook University Hospital)

Thanks to all in the Libraries who contributed to the campaign so far, but we have a ways to go - November and December. Take a look at the way you spend on extras in your life and perhaps you can donate a one time cash gift and choose where you'd like the money applied!

If you need a contribution envelope and form see Maryanne . Also, make sure to put your name on the outside of the envelope - for the purpose of entering the Libraries Raffle held in mid December . You will have a chance to win in the monthly raffles at the SEFA location on east campus and the one time libraries' raffle.

## **HOLD THE DATE:**

The Social committee is planning a Wine and Cheese party to be held in the Javits Room on Thursday,



December 18th. Details will follow.

## **HOLIDAY TOY DRIVE:**

Submitted by: Maryann Bell/CAS

We now have over 4000 kids on the list and only 400 respondents. So, I'm giving up the idea of requesting clothing and toys for specific children and just asking people to buy toys for children in the 3 to 12 year old range. This way we may be able to make certain that each child receives 1 large and 2 small items for Christmas. Kids like the toys better anyway.

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If you would be interested in supporting this program THERE WILL BE A BOX WITH HOLIDAY WRAPPING AND TAGGED FROM THE WEST CAMPUS LIBRARIES in Library Administration. Children's gifts will be accepted until December 12th and then collected by Maryann Bell.