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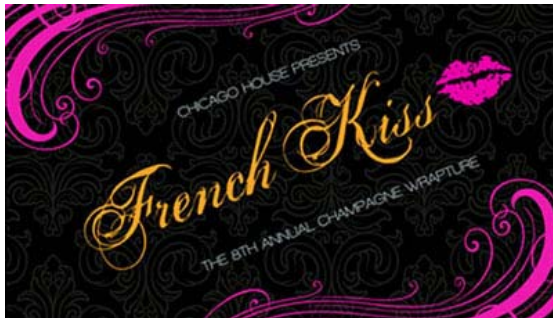
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Brentano Gives back to Chicago Community with Artistic Donation Event Proceeds Benefit HIV and AIDS Organization



Brentano participated in the 8th Annual Champagne Wrapture event on Dec. 16, 2009.

Wheeling, IL (January 2010)— Brentano once again participated in a charity event sponsored by [Chicago House](#), an organization whose mission is to "provide housing and hope to individuals and families living with HIV and AIDS."

The event, which took place on December 16th, 2009, was the organization's 8th Annual Champagne Wrapture. It asks Chicago's top designers to create pieces inspired by their sponsor Veuve Clicquot's champagne bottles. Over 250 guests gathered at Hotel Sax for a champagne reception and to bid on the donations.

Brentano Design Director Iris Wang contributed a beautiful 84"x60" tablecloth made from a Brentano fabric in a stunning geometric pattern. Included in their donation was a set of 4 Waterford Crystal champagne flutes.

All proceeds from the event benefited Chicago House. Since 1985, Chicago House has been providing numerous programs such as housing, prevention services like rapid HIV testing, and an employment program for people living with HIV and AIDS.

About Brentano:

Founded in 1990 by Design Director Iris Wang and her husband and President E-Kwan Chen, Brentano has grown from a modest beginning of eight patterns to an internationally represented textile house. Brentano's fabrics stem from Wang's philosophy of balancing beauty + performance. Their growing collection of eco-fabrics expands this ideology by demanding textiles to meet thoroughly researched standards of environmental consciousness while maintaining their beauty. Celebrating their 20th anniversary in 2010, Brentano continues to offer a variety of innovative and interesting textiles, including eco-friendly faux leather, high performance upholstery, fire-resistant, outdoor and Crypton and Nano-Tex fabrics. Please visit www.brentanofabrics.com for more information.



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Brentano donated a geometric tablecloth made from their fabrics as well as a set of Waterford Crystal champagne flutes to create a festive holiday table.

