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FREE HAIRCUTS TO HELP CHILDREN

York, PA, May 24, 2010- On Monday, June 7, 2010, YWCA York and Shortino's Hair Salon will team up to support *Locks of Love* and the YWCA Early Learning Center through a unique haircutting fundraiser, where YWCA York employees and clients will have the opportunity to receive free haircuts and collect pledges and donations for each inch of hair cut. All hair will be donated to *Locks of Love*, a nonprofit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children suffering from long-term medical hair loss. For those not willing to part with their hair, monetary donations will also be accepted.

To learn more, please contact Ashley Zurawski at 717-845-2631 ext.154, or azurawski@ywcayork.org. To learn more about YWCA York programming, please visit us online at www.ywcayork.org.

Founded in 1858 and headquartered in Washington, D.C., the YWCA is a women's membership movement whose mission is to eliminate racism and empower women. Strengthened by diversity, the YWCA draws together members who strive to create opportunities for women's growth, leadership and power to attain a common vision: peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all people. The YWCA represents approximately 2 million women, girls and their families in the United States and 25 million women worldwide. The YWCA has more than 300 associations throughout the United States. The World YWCA is at work in more than 100 other countries. For information about the YWCA or local YWCA associations, visit our website, www.ywca.org.

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