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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

ESPN's Adam Schefter Helps Raise \$85,000 for Jackie and Hank Herskowitz Children's Scholarship Fund at Katz JCC's 6th Annual Sports Night

MARGATE, NJ (August 13, 2021) - ESPN's Adam Schefter joined the Sixth Annual Jackie & Hank Herskowitz Sports Night fundraising event as the headline speaker on Thursday, August 12 at 6pm at the Katz JCC, 501 N. Jerome Avenue in Margate, NJ. "After having to cancel the JCC Sports Night last summer due to the devastating effects of COVID-19, I am thrilled to once again be able to hold this event. Our guest speaker, Adam Schefter, is one of the biggest names in sports reporting. As always, this was a fantastic event raising money for kids' programs," said Jeff Herskowitz, Chairman of the Katz JCC Sports Night fundraising event.

Adam Schefter is a Senior NFL Insider at ESPN. He joined ESPN as an NFL Insider in August 2009, and now appears on a variety of programs, including NFL Live, Sunday NFL Countdown, Monday Night Countdown, SportsCenter and more throughout the year. He also hosts his own ESPN Audio podcast, "The Adam Schefter Podcast." One of the top sports reporters in the industry, Schefter has covered the NFL since 1990. His influence extends to Twitter, where he has almost eight million followers, along with over one million on Instagram, and close to that on Facebook. Schefter has earned numerous accolades for his work. Sports Illustrated's NFL site, The MMQB, named him the 2014 Media Person of the Year for breaking multiple significant stories during the NFL's free agent period and off-season. In October 2010, Sports Illustrated included Schefter in its "Power 40+", a listing of the most influential people involved in the NFL. A former president of the Pro Football Writers of America, Schefter has authored five books. Schefter, who is involved in a variety of philanthropic work, is active with Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF), acting to raise funds and awareness for Diabetes, as his wife, Sharri, is a Type 1 diabetic.

The JCC's Sports Night event has been named after the late Jackie & Hank Herskowitz of Margate whose philanthropy helped so many. Their philanthropic legacy continued with the Sixth Annual Jackie & Hank Herskowitz Sports Night fundraising event, which raises money for its scholarship fund to further its mission to provide the children and seniors of Atlantic County, as well as the community as a whole, programs and services that enhance and enrich their lives.

For more information on the Milton & Betty Katz Jewish Community Center, visit www.jccatlantic.org.

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The mission of the Milton & Betty Katz JCC of Atlantic County is to foster an appreciation of Jewish identity, values and culture, to promote health, education and welfare of our members, to strengthen Jewish family life, to build a sense of community and ensure Jewish continuity for our children, our children's children and ourselves.