



### **Moffly Media Hosts 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Light a Fire Awards to Rave Reviews**

Westport, CT – November 21, 2016 – Moffly Media presented the 8th annual *Light a Fire Awards* on Thursday November 17<sup>th</sup>. This inspiring event celebrating our community's nonprofit and philanthropic leaders was held at the Westport Country Playhouse in the Jason Robards Theater and was hosted by Tony Award winning actor, director and longtime Weston resident James Naughton. An elegant cocktail reception catered by Marcia Selden Catering and Event Planning accompanied by fine wines provided by Stew Leonard's Wines preceded the awards ceremony.

The event was made possible by Community Leader Sponsor Karl Chevrolet. A portion of the night's ticket proceeds benefitted the Fairfield County's Community Foundation.

*Light a Fire* saluted those who have gone beyond the ordinary to extraordinary in their giving back to our community. From philanthropists and volunteers to organizations helping families, women, teens, and so many others in our community, the honorees are a truly unique group.

This year's honorees included: Jill and Richard Fitzburgh, Co-founders of Foundation for Gender Inequality (Best Friends to Women); Jennifer Lapine, Childcare Learning Centers (Outstanding Education Advocate); Jane and Scott Pelley, ABC of Darien; Norwalk Grassroots Tennis (Most Involved Couple); Cindi Bigelow, Center for Family Justice and more (Corporate Good Neighbor); Rebecca Wilson, Person to Person, (Outstanding Committee Member); Donna Chamoff; Boys and Girls Club Greenwich, (Best Friend to Children); Dr. Arnold Pearlstone; Americares, (Outstanding Health Advocate); Lisa Petno, Norwalk Youth Symposium; INTAKE, (Outstanding Patron of the Arts); Kathy Giusti; Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation (Lifetime Achievement); Gina Filippelli; Make a Wish (Best Friend to Families); and Olivia Jones; United Way (Outstanding Teen).

Moffly Media is the publisher of *athome* in Fairfield County, *Fairfield Living*, *Greenwich*, *New Canaan* ▪ *Darien*, *Stamford* and *Westport* Magazines. In addition to Light a Fire, Moffly Media hosts Women In Business, The Best of the Gold Coast Connecticut event, Best of Greenwich event, and *athome* magazine's A-List Awards.