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NAPO-NY's 7th Annual Get Organized Month is a Hit!

Professional Organizers help Literacy Partners move into 2011 with updated storage solutions.

New York, NY (January 27, 2011) January proved to be an exciting 7th Annual "Get Organized Month" for NAPO-NY. It started with Mayor Bloomberg issuing a Proclamation, officially declaring January as GO Month in NYC.

GO Month is a national initiative in January created by the National Association of Professional Organizers (NAPO) to educate individuals and businesses about the benefits of organization. NAPO members share their expertise through a variety of programs, workshops and events.

Getting organized is one of the top ten New Year's resolutions made by Americans year after year. Sharon Lowenheim, President of NAPO-NY, says "GO Month is an opportunity to demonstrate the tremendous impact that organization can have on people's lives. Organization reduces stress, improves peace of mind and makes life more enjoyable all around."



As part of the GO Month initiative, sixteen members of NAPO-NY shared their talents with the Literacy Partners staff at their headquarters in midtown Manhattan on January 21st. They worked together to reorganize the teaching materials in a large classroom, re-categorize the books in the library, facilitate enhanced filing procedures, streamline supply closets and utilize the space in the IT department more productively.

Susan A. McLean, Executive Director of Literacy Partners comments, “A well organized environment is key to achieving maximum productivity both educationally and organizationally. We are so grateful to the National Association of Professional Organizer's New York chapter for its team of dedicated volunteers who have helped us fine-tune the storage in our classrooms and administrative areas. What wonders they have worked in a day! Our students, teachers and staff are the beneficiaries of this gift of largesse.”

About Literacy Partners: Literacy Partners, Inc., a not-for-profit organization, provides free community-based adult and family literacy programs to ensure that all adults have the access to quality education needed to fully realize their potential as individuals, parents and citizens.

About NAPO-NY: NAPO-NY is the New York chapter of the National Association of Professional Organizers, the world’s premier professional community dedicated to serving the interests and development of professional organizers. Founded in 1987, NAPO-NY is over 100 members strong and boasts a diverse array of organizing consultants, speakers, trainers, authors and manufacturers of organizing products who provide organizing services to individuals, families and businesses throughout the New York metropolitan area.

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