

**Community Service 2011 Company of the Week: Barclays Capital, Inc.
Week of July 10, 2011**

**Barclays Capital Summer Analysts and Associates Help Revitalize Local
Communities in the Bronx and Brooklyn**



Barclays Capital summer analysts plant flowers and shrubs at Pelham Park Bay in the Bronx, New York.



Volunteers paint the wall at Orchard Beach to beautify the community.

Barclays Capital has a proud tradition of supporting and investing in the communities where it does business. Whether through volunteerism, gift-matching or grant-making, the firm's diverse community programs are designed to support and build on the work of our employees. More than 2,000 employees in the Americas have participated in over 65 volunteer activities thus far in 2011.

As part of its commitment to the local community, Barclays Capital partnered with Partnership for Parks and New York Cares to organize two events for almost 600 Barclays Capital summer analysts and associates.

On July 1, 300 Barclays Capital employees revitalized Pelham Bay Park/Orchard Beach and I.S. 123 X James M. Kieran School in the Bronx, New York. An opening ceremony was attended by Barclays Capital executives and representatives from Partnerships for Parks and New York Cares.

At Pelham Bay Park/Orchard Beach, volunteers rolled up their sleeves to plant shrubs and spread mulch around the grounds, remove debris along the shoreline, paint facilities on the promenade and weed overrun sections of the park. Nearby, at I.S. 123 X James M. Kieran School, Barclays employees worked to spruce up the school by painting the hallways a vibrant color, building furniture for the parents' room, creating murals to make the school more inviting as well as weeding and planting flowers in the school's garden.

In Brooklyn, New York, an additional 200 summer analysts and associates volunteered to help revive Fort Greene Park and P.S. 5 K on July 8. Al Wiltshire, Chief of Staff for Congressman Edolphus Towns (D-NY), alongside Richard Whiting, Executive Director and General Counsel for The Financial Services Roundtable, and representatives from Partnership for Parks, New York Cares and Barclays Capital gave opening remarks at the Prison Ship Martyrs Monument in the center of the park. The volunteers planted flowers and shrubs, spread mulch and woodchips to prevent new weeds and replaced fencing around the park. At P.S. 5 K, Barclays employees helped to renovate the teachers' lounge, revamped the school's entire garden area, and painted several murals – including an entire school wall – with inspirational words and images for the students.

“Looking after local communities is a key part of our philanthropy program at Barclays Capital, and I am delighted to be among so many colleagues taking part in this important initiative,” said Gerard LaRocca, Chief Administrative Officer, Americas, at Barclays Capital. “We hope that our work in the communities this summer will provide a great boost to the neighborhood, and that the residents of Brooklyn and the Bronx enjoy the results.”



Summer analysts and associates paint a mural to brighten up a hallway at I.S. 123 X James M. Kieran School.



Barclays Capital volunteers create planters to revitalize I.S. 123 X James M. Kieran School.

Congratulations Barclays Capital, Inc.!