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**VARIETY THE CHILDREN'S CHARITY ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD MEMBER KEVIN SHORT**

**St. Louis, MO:** Variety the Children's Charity of St. Louis announces new board member **Kevin Short**. **Variety the Children's Charity** has been helping children with physical and intellectual disabilities reach their full potential for more than 80 years.

Variety is pleased to welcome new board member **Kevin Short**. "I am honored to serve on the board for such a worthy organization." said Kevin.

**Kevin Short** is the Managing Partner and CEO of Clayton Capital Partners, a St. Louis-based investment banking firm specializing in merger and acquisition advisement. Kevin is devoted to improving the education of children from low-income families. He serves as the Chairman of the Board for the Today and Tomorrow Education Foundation, the Chairman of the Finance Council of the Archdiocese of St. Louis, the Vice-Chairman of the Show-Me Institute, a Board member of The Children's Scholarship Fund and is a recipient of the FOCUS St. Louis "What's Right With The Region" Award.

Since 1932, **Variety the Children's Charity** serves children with physical and developmental disabilities in the St. Louis region, from infancy to age 21. Variety focuses on five core areas to help kids become independent and productive: gifting medical equipment for mobility and independence; developing unique education and recreational programs; funding therapy and Sunshine Coach Vans. For more information, visit [www.varietystl.org](http://www.varietystl.org).

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