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Celebrate Differing Abilities at the Sprout Film & Art Festival

The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region brings trio of culture to the community



[Aberdeen, MD] August 25, 2015 – The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region (The Arc NCR) will host the third annual Sprout Film & Art Festival on Friday, November 13, 2015 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Water’s Edge Events Center in Belcamp, MD. This year’s event has even more to enjoy for attendees: the addition of a local art display and a performance by ReVision Dance Company from Washington, DC.

The artwork, films and dancing all celebrate the talents of people with differing abilities. The evening will begin with the opportunity to browse beautiful art and enjoy light refreshments, be moved by a modern dance performance and end with an hour of short films from the renowned NYC company, Sprout.

“Sprout is an opportunity to learn more about intellectual and developmental disabilities in a way that challenges stereotypes,” says Director of Development at The Arc NCR, Julie Chmura. “Differing abilities means a wide variety of talents, and we are excited to showcase these talents in our community.”

Tickets are available for \$12 a person online at www.arcncr.org or by calling 410-836-7177. Ticket includes light refreshments, and a cash bar will be available. All proceeds benefit The Arc NCR. Sponsorships are welcome and still available. To learn more about the Sprout Film & Art Festival, contact the Development office at 410-836-7177, email development@arcncr.org or visit www.arcncr.org.

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About [The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region](#): For sixty-two years, The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region has empowered people with differing abilities to live, work and play in the community by providing support services and advocacy to adults, children and their families in Harford and Cecil Counties. For more information, call 410-836-7177 or visit www.arcncr.org.

About [Sprout](#): The Sprout Film Festival was founded in 2003 and is programmed and supported by Sprout, a NYC-based non-profit organization dedicated to bringing innovative programming to people with developmental disabilities. For additional information, visit www.gosprouit.org.

About [ReVision](#): ReVision is a Resident Company of Dance Place in Washington, DC, teaching and performing both locally throughout the Greater Metropolitan area and internationally. In addition, ReVision is a part of the Washington Performing Arts' and the Montgomery County Public Schools' artist rosters. For more information, contact Artistic Director Shannon Quinn at 202-269-1600 or visit www.danceplace.org.

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