



Invest in The Arc, Help People to Live Rich & Vibrant Lives

Helping people to live rich and vibrant lives is at the core of The Arc's philosophy and mission. The Arc supports people with disabilities to create lives that mirror yours and mine: students attending neighborhood schools, adults going to work and living in their own homes, and individuals enjoying the social and recreational opportunities of their communities.

The Arc guarantees a return on your investment! Your contribution will make a difference in the lives of people with developmental disabilities in the following ways:

\$25-\$100

- A night out at the ballgame
- A holiday gift for an individual with no immediate family
- An art class for an aspiring artist
- A fitness class for someone who wants to improve their stamina
- A few hours of respite care for parents of a child with a disability

\$250-\$1,000

- A guest speaker for a Foster Parent training program that give families the tools to care for a child with special needs
- A camp scholarship for a child that is on summer vacation
- A computer with email to allow someone to remain in contact with families and friends
- An appliance or funding to cover home improvements for our Supported Living Program

\$2,500 and above

- A walk-in shower to enhance accessibility in a bathroom
- Adaptive equipment to increase one's level of independence

\$20,000

- A new vehicle that will help transport people to jobs and recreational activities

Make your donation!

Yes, I want to Help People to Live Rich and Vibrant Lives!

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

I would like to invest in The Arc to help people live rich and vibrant lives!

I/We wish to donate _____.

I would like to talk with someone about planned giving or putting The Arc in my will.

Please make checks payable to The Arc Northern Chesapeake Region.

Mail to The Arc NCR, 4513 Philadelphia Road, Aberdeen, MD 21001

Please charge my Visa/MC #: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Or pledge on-line at www.arcncr.org

The Arc Pays Tribute To A Dear Friend

A Memorial Tribute To Daniele

Daniele Jeanne Fleischer

Born in Ste Maur, France, Feb. 9, 1941

Departed, Dec. 31, 2007



Daniele Fleischer with Tony Perry and Richard Curtis in their newly renovated home.

Daniele was a very special person and could only be described as larger than life with her French accent, creative artistic nature, sense of fun and adventure, not to mention her honest and forthright ways. Daniele was a very loyal, compassionate and sensitive person who possessed one of the biggest hearts The Arc has ever encountered. She didn't do anything halfway! Over the past three year period, she continued to serve on the After dArc gala event committee where she was always a breath of fresh air with her unique ideas and sense of humor.

With her expertise in decorating and interior design, The Arc invited her to join The Arc Project committee. This was a vitally needed initiative to create accessible housing for the people at The Arc. She jumped in wholeheartedly and not only helped us with the design, furnishings and decorations... but as Daniele always seemed to do... she befriended and fully embraced the people we support at The Arc and always went the extra mile for them. Tony and Richard, two of the gentlemen we support would periodically take Daniele out on a lunch date. She was extremely busy with her decorating business... but always made the time for things like this. She always put others ahead of herself.

Many of our subcontractors who volunteered their services for our renovation projects came through Daniele's "recruitment" efforts. She was able to facilitate the donation of a new kitchen, a professional painter, flooring, art work and furnishings. Who could say no to Daniele?



Daniele and Tony Meoli pose as chefs at the After dArc event at MGCC.

Daniele truly embraced life...
gave freely of her time and talents...
and people loved her!

What a wonderful role model for living. You will truly be missed...
but have ignited the spark in so many others to follow your example of living a life of service! *We love you Daniele!*