



Bow Ties & Sandals Gala

Under A Pacific Moon

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Saturday, August 28, 2021



It is my honor to welcome you to the second annual Options For All Bow Ties & Sandals Gala. My team and I are deeply grateful to have your support for this event, and for the wonderful group of neurodiverse persons we serve across the State of California.

Last year amidst the challenges of the pandemic, it was necessary to hold our inaugural Bow Ties & Sandals Gala virtually. Thanks to the generosity of our 2020 gala attendees, Options For All was able to provide over 300 participants with iPads and data connectivity, allowing them to receive services in our newly-designed virtual programs. You helped bridge the gap by overcoming any barriers related to a financial ability to procure needed equipment. Participants stayed engaged in the community, continued learning and attending class, and remained connected with loved ones despite the pandemic. Options For All delivered over 11 million minutes of distance learning and virtual services last year. We are incredibly proud of this achievement, as some providers across the state simply stopped delivering comprehensive services.

Tonight, we are thrilled to welcome you to our first in-person gala, which will benefit an under-served population in our community we already know well. Indeed, aging adults are part of the disability community we now serve, over 1/3 of our population, yet many are aging out of our standard programs. Aging adults who live with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) require a more robust and nuanced environment in order to thrive. Options for All is proud to be the first in the nation to design a state-of-the-art program which focuses on their specific needs.

It is imperative that we continue to push past adversity to improve the lives of our I/DD community, and our level of success is directly impacted by the support of attendees like you.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the entire Options for All Team, thank you for attending our Bow Ties & Sandals Gala. Your time, effort, and donations will help us to create hope, inspire dreams, and achieve success in the lives of the people we serve. Enjoy your night!

With gratitude,

Ken Barnes, President & CEO

Thank you

Special thanks to Honorary Committee Chairs
Betty & Dr. Leonard Kornreich and their daughter Jennifer for their
generous support of our 2nd annual Bow Ties & Sandals Gala.

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Thank you to our incredible sponsors!

Your participation in this event supports the launch of innovative programs designed to meet the specific needs of aging individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Options for All will provide sophisticated, person-centered services to this often overlooked community to help them live healthy, independent, and meaningful lives as they advance in age.



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OUR MISSION

We seek to create and support opportunities for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities in making choices to live, work, and enjoy life in their community with dignity and respect.



Person-Centered Services

We develop programs that fit each person's unique profile. Personal plans that incorporate their needs, interests, and goals help individuals become more active members of their communities. As a result, they can experience the pride of personal and professional accomplishment.

Our current programs encompass life-skills and vocational training, community engagement, independent living, film and media vocational training, supported employment, tailored day services, and remote learning opportunities.



Options for All exists to inspire this community, help them find hope, dream big, and achieve success by giving them more options. Our goal is to enhance the quality of life for each individual we support through unique, holistic programming.

A NEW PROGRAM FOR AGING ADULTS

Tonight, we are excited to share with you the launch of our flagship program for aging adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities (IDD). Did you know people with (I/DD) experience the onset of physical, mental and behavioral challenges of aging much sooner than those without I/DD?

Currently there is no other organization in the nation that addresses these individuals' increased need of support.

What will this new program do?

This Options for All program will create a better quality of life for aging adults with I/DD as they enter their twilight years by addressing their broadening spectrum of needs. Services will be customized and delivered with

increased support and monitoring so that aging participants can take part in educational and social activities safely.

Aging adults will be offered Site-Based, Community-Based and Hybrid options. The program will provide an on-site facility, access to community life, and a virtual reality (VR) component which allows connectivity to both the curriculum and other participants through a VR headset from any setting.

Partnership with Drexel University

Recognizing that over 1/3 of our clients fit within this population, we partnered with Drexel University in Philadelphia to create a first-of-its-kind virtual reality program. For those who struggle with physical movement, this will provide life changing opportunities.

This technology helps older adults improve balance, motor functions, and increase their quality of life by allowing them to participate in community outings virtually. The immersive experiences focus on five areas: everyday activities, cognitive stimulation, physical activities, artistic activities, and community involvement. For example, an activity could be a VR tour of a park or museum.

Through this collaboration, we can craft a schedule of activities which will allow us to measure which skills are successful in arresting cognitive decline, as well as maintaining previously acquired skills. Drexel's faculty will assist in creating the curriculum and training staff on how to deliver it for optimal results.

Why is this program needed?

Many people with intellectual/developmental disability (I/DD) may not fit into the "senior citizen" mold as far as their biological age; yet their symptoms render them needing more supports than existing programs now offer. Many people with disabilities "age out" of their existing programs that weren't specifically designed for the long term.

With aging, seniors with disabilities often decline quickly in their cognitive function, behavior, memory, and ability to learn new skills. Many require more time for bathroom breaks, resting, and walking between activities. They also struggle to understand the activity, which may require different approaches to enrichment. All these difficulties create challenges in delivering services in a mixed setting with a younger milieu.

The COVID-19 pandemic has also increased social isolation by limiting the amount of in-person enrichment and educational opportunities. This decrease in engagement exacerbates motor and coordination further.

Who is eligible?

Any adult with (I/DD) who is significantly limited in daily living skills due to naturally occurring aging factors is eligible for this program. These factors include cognitive decline, physical challenges, hearing or vision loss, arthritis, and other conditions that restrict them from fully participating in a typical day program.

Dione Munoz is one of many current OFA participants who will benefit from this new program. In OFA's Community Engagement Program, Dione has explored opportunities for meaningful work and volunteer opportunities, recreation, friendships and much more. She now looks forward to accessing immersive experiences worldwide, connecting with others, and exploring further training through virtual reality.



Options For All senior participant Dione Munoz





BOW TIES & SANDALS 2ND ANNUAL OPTIONS FOR ALL GALA

Saturday, August 28, 2021

VENUE

The Vines Estate and Vineyard
16440 Via a La Casa
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SCHEDULE

5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Hosted Cocktail Reception

6:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Welcome

Options For All CEO Ken Barnes &
Honorary Chair Dr. Leonard Kornreich, MD

Food & Wine

Four-course dinner presented by Chef Dawn Tangeman Carvajal
Showcase of Baja Wines by Winemaker Kris Magnussen Shute,
Vinos Lechuza

Special Musical Guest

Violin performance by Jing Yan Bowcott,
Member of the San Diego Symphony

Live Auction

Presented by Frank Kitchen

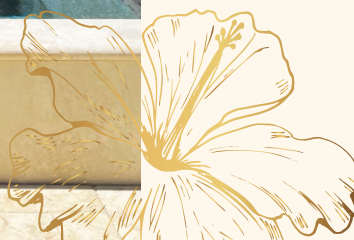
Presentation

Rajneesh Suri, PhD
Vice Dean for Research & Strategic Partnerships
Drexel University

Video: Advancing Impact for those Advancing in Age
produced by Options For All Film & Media Studio

Dancing under the Pacific Moon

Music by David Rosales & his Band of Scoundrels





BOW TIES & SANDALS - TONIGHT'S SHINING STARS



MC & AUCTIONEER / Frank Kitchen

We are honored to have Frank Kitchen joining us this evening. Frank is a podcaster, motivational speaker, and pioneer in advocating for people to break through mental and physical barriers to live their dreams. As many of us discovered at our virtual gala last year, he also happens to be an amazing auctioneer! He will be seeking those winning bids in what is sure to be a spirited auction!

When he's not speaking, Frank volunteers with the Non-Profit organization Hustle PHX as a Board Member and mentor for aspiring entrepreneurs; and raises millions of dollars annually for non-profits as one of the first African American Fundraising Ambassadors/Auctioneers in the world.

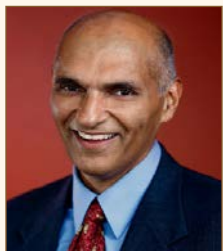


VIOLINIST / Jing Yan Bowcott

Our gala includes a special performance by world-class violinist Jing Yan Bowcott. Currently a member of the San Diego Symphony, Ms. Bowcott has also played with the Beijing Symphony, London Philharmonic, New World Symphony, Evansville Philharmonic, Owensboro Symphony, Elgin Symphony, Spoleto Festival Orchestra, and Chicago Civic Orchestra. Ms. Bowcott trained at Beijing's Central Conservatory of Music and continued her studies with a full scholarship to the

Royal Academy of Music in London.

Not only is Jing performing a beautiful musical selection for us tonight, she has also generously donated to the auction a private 30-minute performance with her friends from the San Diego Symphony Orchestra. The "Jing and Friends" package will be a truly unique and remarkable experience for you to enjoy at your own home.



PROFESSOR / Dr. Rajneesh Suri, PhD

As Vice Dean for Research & Strategic Partnerships at Drexel University's Solutions Institute, Dr. Suri is working with Options For All to develop our innovative new Seniors Program. This virtual reality technology is being designed to help seniors with (I/DD) improve their lives.

Dr. Suri is an author and researcher who has presented his work in Asia, Europe, and North America. He has received national awards for his teaching and research. Tonight, he will share more about his research and Drexel University's extraordinary partnership with Options For All.



CHEF / Dawn Tangeman Carvajal

Our Chef this evening, Dawn Tangeman Carvajal, is the CEO and Executive Chef of Wild Thyme Company. Dawn has planned an extraordinary menu for you. This year's offerings capture the essence of fresh food and local seasonal provisions, complemented with exotic spices and tea, creating a unique farm-to-table meal.

Dawn founded The Wild Thyme to create "Borderless Cuisine" without global boundaries. She and her team have an extensive and diverse epicurean background and appreciate any opportunity to research and prepare various types of cuisine across the board.

One of tonight's lucky auction bidders will win a specially catered outdoor dinner, donated by Dawn and The Wild Thyme Company, to accompany a private concert with "Jing and Friends."



WINEMAKER / Kris Magnussen Shute

We are thrilled to have with us tonight the award-winning winemaker, Kris Magnussen Shute of Vinos Lechuza in the Valle De Guadalupe, Baja California. The wines of Vinos Lechuza have been served at top restaurants around the world, including The French Laundry in Napa.

Tonight, you will experience a stunning array of vintages made from small-production Baja wineries, like Lechuza.

Wine aficionados here this evening will enjoy learning more from Kris about these exceptional wines from the Valle.



MUSIC / David Rosales & His Band of Scoundrels

David Rosales & His Band of Scoundrels are more than talented musicians. Rosales formed a nonprofit for children called BraveOnes Foundation, and regularly teams up with other organizations to raise money to help those who may be struggling mentally and physically. We are fortunate to be one of those organizations! "Music is a creative outlet," the Huntington Beach musician says. "It just does something, it lifts people up and they forget about their troubles – or it lifts them out of their troubles to put them in a better headspace."

Tonight, as the music plays, take some time to relax, reflect, and imagine what we can do together to improve not only our own lives, but those of others.

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² Caregiving in the U.S.: 2020 Report. AARP and National Alliance for Caregivers, May 2020

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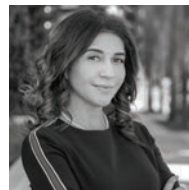
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AUCTION ITEMS

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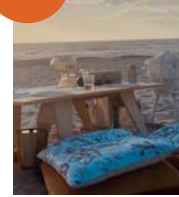


"Jing and Friends" Private Backyard Concert

Esteemed violinist Jing Yan Bowcott and a few of her friends from the San Diego Symphony will provide you with a rare and incredible 30-minute private concert for 12 at your home. This package also includes a gourmet meal curated especially for you by Wild Thyme Catering.

- 30 Minute Concert by Jing Yan Bowcott and her friends
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- A picnic for 4 by Spontaneous Picnics

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Enjoy an 18" pan of traditional Paella Valencia, Seafood Paella, Mixed Paella, or Vegetarian Paella — freshly prepared and served at your home by Option for All's Ken & Angela Barnes.

- Assortment of Tapas
- Freshly made Paella for up to 10 people at your home
- 5 bottles of Spanish Wine
- Traditional flan

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The San Diego High Life

Options for All CEO Ken Barnes and his wife Angela will host two winning bidders for dinner at The University Club atop Symphony Towers, San Diego's premier private club, followed by a performance under the stars by the San Diego Symphony at the Rady Shell. The winner will also receive a select bottle of wine from their private wine locker.

- Dinner for 2 at the University Club with Ken and Angela Barnes
- Bottle of wine from the Barnes' Private Wine Locker
- Join Ken & Angela's table at The Shell for a performance by the San Diego Symphony

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The Ultimate San Diego Sports Package

One pair of Blue Shield Home Plate Club tickets to the San Diego Padres in the front row, 4 premium Torrey Club Seats (directly behind the goal box) to watch the San Diego Loyal soccer club, and a set of new golf clubs and bag directly from Carlsbad-based TaylorMade Golf.

Package includes:

- 2 "Dugout Seats" to a Padres Game at Petco Park. Section 6, Row 1.
- 2 Torrey Club Seats to SD Loyal SC at USD Torero Stadium
- Set of new TaylorMade clubs and TaylorMade golf bag

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