



Running of the Bulls 5K

[Register today](#) for the 3rd annual Running of the Bulls 5K, presented by Intuition Ale Works, on December 3. Runners will be treated to an after-party featuring a limited-edition beer brewed specifically for the run.

This downtown event is a family-friendly fun run with a 1K option for walkers, leisure runners and kids. All 5K and 1K registrations include: event t-shirt, finisher medal, one drink ticket, bandana, and access to a 'bullish' after-party. Runners are encouraged to wear white. Costumes are welcome!

[Click here to register today!](#)



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Dinner with Bill & Friends 2016

On Friday, November 4, more than 400 guests joined together for the 23rd annual Dinner with Bill & Friends, presented by The DuBow Family Foundation, David and Linda Stein, and J. Wayne and Delores Barr Weaver. Chaired by Audrey Moran, Senior Vice President for Social Responsibility and Community Advocacy at Baptist Health, the dinner was held at The Arc Jacksonville Village, raising an incredible \$215,000 for The Arc Jacksonville! The evening had the largest attendance and money raised of any Arc Jacksonville event.



[Click here to read more about the evening and view photos](#)

Thank you to our presenting sponsors, The DuBow Family Foundation, Linda and David Stein, J. Wayne and Delores Barr Weaver and to our gold sponsor, VyStar Credit Union! For a complete list of sponsors, please visit the link above.



A Mother's Story

MaryJo Cullington, Robbie's mother

For most of Robbie's life, my friends, family members, have asked "What's next?" for him. I would always reply that I didn't know, but I was doing everything I could at that moment to help Robbie be the best he could be.

When Robbie was getting closer to completing his high school years, I started to look at what options were available for him. After much research and out-of-state visits, I found that the best program for him was right here in Jacksonville - The Arc Jacksonville's On Campus Transition Program at UNF. It helped teach him about college, independence, girlfriends, how to cook, getting along with roommates and making new friends.



This spring he applied to The Arc Jacksonville Village and in July, he moved in. I had to pinch myself, it was really coming true for Robbie. He is the oldest of 3 siblings and we always thought he would be the last to move out, if at all, and guess what - he was the first! He even got to host US during Hurricane Matthew. We went to Robbie's to be safe. We are so fortunate to have The Village right here in Jacksonville. And for the first time I don't have to worry...because of The Arc Jacksonville, Robbie has his own home!

MaryJo Cullington



Village Awarded Judge's Choice Award

We are grateful to EverBank for nominating The Arc Jacksonville Village for the Urban Land Institute's Awards for Excellence. On October 11, The Arc Jacksonville was recognized as a finalist during the 5th annual awards dinner, which showcases projects throughout North Florida that represent the best practices in all aspects of real estate development, planning, design, construction and economic viability.

The Arc Jacksonville Village was honored to receive the special Judge's Award, chosen from the eight finalists recognized that evening. The awards criteria are based on the ULI mission to provide leadership in the responsible use of land and in creating and sustaining thriving communities worldwide. Nominations were solicited from ULI North Florida's more than 500 members in 34 North Florida counties.





What's Next for Chrissy

"I found my fit at The Arc Jacksonville."

[Click here to read more of Chrissy's Story](#)

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