



October is NDEAM

The Arc recognizes October as National Disability Employment Awareness Month marking 80 years of celebrating the importance of inclusive workplaces and honoring the incredible contributions of workers with disabilities. We invite our community, local businesses, and partners to join us in advancing disability inclusion in the workplace. Read more in our blog post [here](#).



Casino Night Raises \$65,000!

The Arc celebrated it's 70th Anniversary at the annual Casino Night on October 3rd and raised a record breaking

\$65,000 to benefit programs for people with IDD. We are so thankful to our families, sponsors, donors, staff, and community partners who honored this momentous milestone with us. Relive the night in photos [here](#).



The Fall Formal

It's time for a fancy night out on the town at the Fall Formal hosted by Recreation! Join us on November 13th at the Clarion Hotel in Toms River for a memorable night of dinner and dancing. Be sure to reserve your seats [here](#) and see what else we have coming up this fall for some fun and fitness with friends.



Kickball Tournament

The friendly competition is real at The Arc's annual kickball tournament where the ATCs and AEC face off for big kicks and bigger catches, and most importantly bragging rights. The games encourage physical fitness for all abilities and makes movement fun! Congrats to this year's champs - the Arc Employment Center!



Burger 25 Fundraiser

We're teaming up with Burger 25 on November 6th - all locations! - when 25% of sales with [this flyer](#) will be donated back to The Arc! Get your cheeseburgers, onion rings, fries, and milkshakes using the promo code "Arc" for mobile orders. Dine out, give back - it's a win/win!



NJSSAN Conference

The Arc of Ocean County's self-advocacy group "Power In Numbers" attended the NJ Statewide Self-Advocacy Network conference on October 3rd to promote advocacy and independence for people with disabilities. The guests networked, met with exhibitors, heard from keynote speakers and had extra time for dancing!



Fall Favorites

We asked participants to share the absolute best fall treats and activities with us for the #ArcOcean Fall Favorites series on social media. Kathy from Tuckerton loves caramel apples, pumpkin pie, picking pumpkins, outlet shopping, and the Thanksgiving Day parade. Read more in our blog post [here](#).



Out and About with #ArcOcean

John T. and Marty from the Silverton Group Home attended the Breast Cancer Walk in Point Pleasant this weekend to show their support and raise awareness for breast cancer by wearing pink. It's so important to lift our charitable partners up and support the causes that are near and dear to our hearts.

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