



# Paxton Campus

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Dear Friend,

This year, The Arc of Loudoun on the Paxton Campus has seen phenomenal growth as we attempt to keep up with and meet the growing needs of our community. Our programs include The Aurora School, which primarily serves students with autism; Open Door Learning Center, an “inclusive” preschool that serves children of all abilities and challenges; STEP Up, our growing initiative to teach adults with disabilities independent living and vocational skills; and ALLY (“A Life Like Yours”) Advocacy Center, which not only supports individuals and families in the Parent Network Meetings, but also helps to spread awareness through community events like our Inclusion Walk in April and Run for Independence in July. ALLY support also includes Representative Payee services for adults with disabilities, IEP Advocacy through our legal clinic, direct support through our Social Skills groups and Teen Asperger’s group, and financial assistance as grant funding allows. ALLY continues to strive to identify and meet evolving community needs. This year we addressed meeting basic clothing needs through Maggie’s Closet, our new ‘store’ that allows families in need to ‘shop’ for free.

Several of these programs, like the Social Skills and Asperger’s support groups and Maggie’s Closet, are new initiatives this year. They required minimal financial investment but have made a huge impact in the lives of the families we serve at Paxton. We strive to maximize our existing resources. Many of our programs and events rely on partnerships with other organizations or the hundreds of volunteers that donate their time on Campus—neighbors helping neighbors as we bring the community together at Paxton! You can be part of that effort! Your financial contribution can make it possible for us to continue to support families and maximize the potential of children of all abilities so that they may THRIVE in the community!

Our success relies on your financial generosity. Please consider a special holiday gift to The Arc of Loudoun at the Paxton Campus of \$35, \$50, \$100 or more. In doing so, you will help make Loudoun a stronger community for children and adults with disabilities. You really can make their life – A Life Like Yours!

Warmly,

Jennifer Lassiter, Executive Director

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**The Arc of Loudoun**

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