

## **News Release**

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\*Note to media: You are invited to attend this event.

## Bittersweet "Celebrates Possibilities" with Annual Spring Fundraiser

Whitehouse, OH...Bittersweet will be hosting its 4th annual spring fundraiser, *Celebrating Possibilities*, presented by Dana Incorporated and Morgan Stanley. The event will celebrate the abilities and achievements of individuals with autism. The fundraiser will be held on Thursday, May 24 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The celebration will be held under the pavilion on Bittersweet's beautiful 80-acre farm, and as always, it will include the best of local food, drinks, and music. This year, Bittersweet is proud to feature local, farm to table fare catered by Fowl and Fodder, desserts by the Bittersweet culinary team, and live music by local artist Nick Neenan. Art pieces, culinary delights, and farm-fresh Bittersweet produce will be available for sale. Rick Thielen is the chairman of the event and Dan Cummins from WTOL11 will be the guest master of ceremonies. The event is rain or shine. Tickets are \$50 and can be purchased online at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/CelebratingPossibilities2018">https://tinyurl.com/CelebratingPossibilities2018</a>.

Bittersweet will also be presenting the *Derek Arbutiski Award* to its outgoing board members, Dr. Karen Ratliff-Schaub and Robert St. Clair. The award honors the dedication of community members for advancing the interests of adults with autism.

## **About Bittersweet, Inc.**

For 35 years, Bittersweet, Inc. has been successfully serving adults and adolescents with Autism Spectrum Disorders across three locations in Ohio. Bittersweet offers unique supports that encourage individuals with autism to grow and develop their abilities and talents in an agricultural setting. The mission of Bittersweet, Inc. is to positively impact the lives of individuals with autism and those whose lives they touch. www.bittersweetfarms.org

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