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**50**FULLY-ACCESSIBLE,
BEAUTIFUL COMMUNITY
HOMES



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LOVING CARE
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FOR A LIFETIME







2023

ANNUAL REPORT

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Tayborie, a member of our Residential Services, celebrates completing the walk

at Every Step Counts!

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#### **OUR MISSION**

To provide a lifetime commitment of loving care, opportunity, and guidance for people with developmental disabilities in Maryland.

For over 50 years, we have provided residential and community-based services that help those we support live rich, fulfilling lives.

Employing over 475 skilled professionals, we have the capability to serve 180 people in 50 community homes throughout Central and Western Maryland. Bello Machre also provides help and support to more than 200 children, adults, and families in their own homes and communities.

The Jesse and Hertha Adams Ray of Hope Program provides assistance to help meet the needs of individuals and families. From specialized summer camp to physical therapy and adaptive equipment expenses, Bello Machre will help families no matter the challenges they face.

Personal Supports Services pair Direct Support Professionals with individuals in a one-to-one setting. The people we support receive access to community-based social, educational, and leisure activities, helping them to thrive and grow.

Meaningful Day Services include Community Development Services and Employment Services; both provide community-based adult day services. Community Development Services include social, recreational, and volunteer opportunities in a small group setting so that the people we support can be active members of the community. Employment Services focus on helping your loved one find competitive employment opportunities in the community.

Residential Services offer care for people in Bello Machreowned homes where they feel safe and loved. A Family Living Director (house manager) and other Direct Support Professionals guide and help those we serve so they can grow, develop, and live life to the fullest.

#### OUR I FADERSHIP

### Dedicated, Experienced & Compassionate

"I am happy." These are the words that two parents heard during a routine Facetime call with their son who recently moved into a Bello Machre home. David, who uses his iPad to communicate, pieced together these words to share with his parents. This moment represented a pivotal point in their journey with Bello Machre — a moment where they understood that they could take a step back and truly enjoy the happiness their son had found in his new home. while still enjoying the quality time they spend together during their regular visits.

Every day, I am touched to hear these stories of Bello Machre's impact in the community, whether it's a business welcoming someone we support to an exciting new employment opportunity or a family entrusting Bello Machre to provide support for their loved one. We hope you have shared in our enthusiasm and pride as we celebrate these achievements together.

A short time ago, we reached the extraordinary milestone of 50 years of service in the community something that was made possible thanks to our devoted staff, generous donors, and caring families. This landmark anniversary represented five decades of hard work, commitment, and countless lives touched.

#### What will the next 50 years bring?

We remain committed to forming new and meaningful relationships in our community and to continue to build our services to push past the limits of what we once thought was impossible.

Construction is currently underway, and we expect two new fully accessible homes to be complete before the end of 2024. We are excited about the opportunities these new homes will present for our Residential Services and the amazing people we support who will soon be able to call these new houses. home.

Our Meaningful Day Services provide Employment Services for some as well as social. recreational, and educational opportunities for others. In response to the abundance of families knocking on our door, our Meaningful Day Services have exploded with growth. We welcomed a dramatic increase in the number of individuals looking for new experiences in the community. This means we are connecting even more individuals with innovative employers, educational opportunities, customized activities, and engaging social networks.

With all these exciting things happening out in the community, we don't want to forget about the significant developments on our Glen Burnie campus. In 2023, we completed major renovations to our administrative office spaces and our long-awaited new Recreation & Training Center.

This building provides a fresh space to welcome new community members while bringing the existing Bello Machre family even closer together. Since the Grand Opening of the building in October, we have celebrated holiday gatherings, movie nights, staff training, and more.

All these amazing opportunities and successes are both the ingredients and results of our continued financial stability and growth.

It's because of **you**, our family of supporters, that Bello Machre's financial position continues to provide the foundation for continued growth and outstanding services.

Thank you for your support. We look forward to all that we will accomplish together.



Julie Provan Vice President and COO

Dr. Robert T. Ireland, President and CEO







Scan our QR code to listen to the parents mentioned, talk about their journey with Bello Machre. You can also find the video on the Bello Machre website and our official YouTube channel.



**OUR STORIES** 

# We Nuture, We Teach & We Care



## Growing together

Seven years ago, Norma struggled to go outside or leave her home. She would rather spend her days inside and had no interest in exploring the community.

SLOWLY, BUT SURELY

Bello Machre knew that Lawanda was the right Direct Support Professional to help Norma enjoy all the community had to offer. The challenge that Lawanda incurred after meeting Norma was getting her out of her shell.

Living independently in the community, Norma needed some extra help. Lawanda took time to listen to Norma and allowed her to express herself and communicate all of her apprehensions, joys, and feelings. They worked together to create activities that they both enjoyed.

Today, Norma has a new passion for activities such as cooking, painting, playing games, and going out in the community.

"She has grown so much over the years. I'm so proud of all that she's accomplished. She now enjoys going out into the community, meeting new people, and having fun conversations over lunch." explains Lawanda.

In fact, Norma and Lawanda recently went on a trip together to Dover, Delaware — something that Norma would've never done seven years ago. Norma chimes in, "Our trip to Dover was great! I enjoyed the ride and going over the Bay Bridge — I haven't done that in years. I had fun playing slots at the casino, even though I didn't win. I enjoyed the sweets from the Sugar Factory and taking pictures with my favorite person, Lawanda."

Lawanda reflects on their relationship, "When I think of how much Ms. Norma has grown, it makes me feel proud knowing I helped contribute to her growth. I truly enjoy seeing her so full of life, love, and happiness."

If you ask Norma to describe her relationship with Lawanda, she'll reply with just one word: "beautiful."



### A Dream Come true

A room full of smiling faces and the roar of contagious laughter — that's the dream of Josh. For as long as Josh can remember, he has always wanted to be a standup comedian, and thanks to a Bello Machre connection, he was able to take a huge leap toward making this dream a reality.

#### TAKING CENTER STAGE AND EARNING BIG

When Josh joined Bello Machre's Residential Program in Carroll County, word of his dream career quickly made its way to Job Coach Terry who works with Employment Services. Although Terry works as a full-time job coach, he also happens to be a stand-up comedian. He knew his connections could help Josh with an opportunity of a lifetime.

"I had an upcoming comedy event that I was headlining," explains Terry. "I could pick the opening acts for my show and Josh was my first choice. I wanted him to feel what it was like to be on stage sharing jokes and making people laugh."

Not only did Terry want to give Josh this opportunity, but in the weeks leading up to the show, Terry would stop by Josh's work and help him write content for his comedy set during his breaks. He helped Josh develop jokes and get ready for his big debut.

When the night of the show came, Josh did a wonderful job and lit up the room! Josh couldn't have been more proud of his first comedy gig, earning his



first paycheck as a comedian. Thanks, Terry, for helping make Josh's dream come true.



### Mansfield home

"Cooking is fun to me! It reminds me of spending time with my mom," explains Alexis, a resident of our Mansfield home.

#### **FUN & FRIENDSHIP**

For some people, spending time in the kitchen can be a chore, but for the ladies in our Mansfield home, it's a fun activity that brings them all together!

"When they're cooking, they're always sharing smiles and laughs," explains Family Living Director, Jasmine. "It brings everyone together by staying connected and giving them an opportunity to bond."

Whether it's baked chicken and pasta or a hearty breakfast of biscuits, eggs, and sausage, each of the folks learn skills required for each dish. Equally important is the joy and fun that Alexis, Sharon, Bridget, and Whitney share along the wav.

Jasmine continues, "It makes me happy seeing the ladies having fun in the kitchen. Although cooking may be something that has brought the ladies together, their friendship ventures far beyond the kitchen."

Some of their favorite activities are going out into the community for bowling or a fun trip to the mall! Whitney's personal favorite is the time they spend together doing arts and crafts.

Jasmine shares, "For the past year we've been cooking and growing together. I can't wait for our journey and friendship to continue."

(I-r) Whitney, Alexis, Bridget, & Sharon are proud of their chocolate chip bread.









#### OUR DONORS

## **Extraordinary Acts of Generosity**

## Ensor family

Bello Machre was named as the beneficiary of the Ensor Family Golf Tournament held in October 2023.

#### HONORING RICK

The very generous gift of \$7,000 was placed in the Bello Machre Legacy Fund where a Perpetual Memorial designation was established in honor of the memory of Frederick (Rick) Talbot Ensor, Jr. The earnings and interest from the Legacy Fund are used in our work at Bello Machre and will perpetually pay tribute to Rick, as it will provide assistance now — and for generations to come.

Lynne Ensor, Rick's wife, was introduced to Bello Machre through the Collier Family who are long-time friends of Bello Machre.

The tournament's planning group are Rick's SAE Fraternity brothers from Frostburg State University in Maryland and include Mike Kalinock, Chris Parker, Wes Hogentogler, Jason Andrick, and Dustin Kominoth. They all wanted to do something special to honor the memory of their dear friend and fraternity brother, who passed away suddenly in 2020. Rick's late father, Frederick T. Ensor, Sr., was also an honorary Frostburg SAE brother. With the tournament in its 3rd year, Bello Machre was honored to be the recipient of its proceeds. Mike Kalinock stated, "The golf tournament is a way for good friends to reunite and celebrate Rick's life and to let the family know how much they mean to us."

The 2024 Ensor Family Golf Tournament, continuing with Bello Machre as the beneficiary, is planned to be held October 5, 2024 at Fairway Hills Golf Club in Columbia, Maryland.



Every day, our incredible donors make a life-long impact on the lives of the people Bello Machre supports. Thank you all for your extraordinary generosity and friendship!



L-R: Chris Parker, Wes Hogentogler, Lynne Ensor, Tracy Lynott, Janice Kalinock, and Mike Kalinock

#### **OUR LEGACY FUND**

The Bello Machre Legacy Fund plays a crucial role in ensuring our financial stability, long-term viability, and enduring impact. Our Legacy Fund giving includes bequests, Charitable Gift Annuities, planned giving, and memorial and honor gifts. These gifts accounted for more than \$308,000 from many generous donors. By encouraging donors to include charitable giving through their planned giving and estate plans, we can secure the resources we need to continue our vital work for years to come. Highlighted below are noteworthy contributions that were made to the Legacy Fund in 2023.

#### Income for Life

Charitable Gift Annuities make a life income arrangement for the donor which includes lifetime payments and tax savings. Two very generous Charitable Gift Annuities were received from Dave Wynkoop and Audrey Miller, both parents of individuals in Residential Services at Bello Machre. Both gifts also help to secure the future which gives parents like, Dave and Audrey, peace of mind knowing their children will have a home for life.

#### Leaving a Legacy

Estate gifts allow donors to ensure that their legacy reflects their passions, beliefs, goals, and values. In 2023, the Bello Machre Legacy Fund received gifts from the estates of Mary K. Bryant, James L. Cutter, Ruth Hahn, and the Charles Irish Family. The earnings and interest from the Legacy Fund help to secure our future and fund special projects while perpetually paying tribute to these extraordinary donors.

#### **Rollover for Good**

At the age of 73, a Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) from one's IRA is mandatory. Rolling over an RMD to Bello Machre provides tax advantages for donors, essential financial support for us, and opportunities for individuals to make a meaningful difference in their communities through philanthropy. Two generous RMD gifts were received from Chet and Elaine Lawrence and Jo Beth and Bob Ireland and placed in the Legacy Fund.

#### **Honoring Lives**

Fewer acts of kindness and giving yield greater satisfaction than a tribute gift to Bello Machre. All Honor and Memorial Gifts are placed in the Bello Machre Legacy Fund. This year, three gifts in excess of \$5,000 were designated in honor of the memory of loved ones: we thank the Ensor Family, Jo Eberly, and Virginia Thomas for their tributes.



### **Generous Community Grant Partners**

Our amazing grant partners made numerous funding opportunities available for Bello Machre. Filling gaps in funding at Bello Machre, our 2023 grantors prove again that we are part of a very generous, enduring community.

#### **Arundel Community Development Services,**

which administers grants through the Anne Arundel County Executive's Office, provided a generous community support grant in the amount of \$15,000 to purchase start-up supplies for five new individuals admitted into our Residential Services program. With the funds awarded, we were able to provide bedroom furniture, bed linens, towels, and other necessary supplies to make our folks as comfortable at home as possible. The Anne Arundel County Executive's Office has generously funded \$116,000 for Bello Machre for eleven vears."

Delta Dental provided a \$10,000 grant for the start up of a dental pilot project designed to promote preventive dentistry for the individuals Bello Machre supports. Dental services are notoriously an underfunded service. The pilot program will help design a lasting program that provides better dental hygiene with a preventative approach for the people throughout the residential program.

#### Hertha S. and Jesse L. Adams Charitable Trust's

continued generosity totaled \$47.775 in support of the Hertha and Jesse Adams Ray of Hope Program. This program helps families in our community and individuals we support with unfunded items such as physical and occupational therapy, co-pays for medical appointments, prescription medication, summer camp expenses, adaptive equipment, and transportation to out-of-state specialists. The Adams Charitable Trust has partnered with Bello Machre for over twenty years and has given close to \$970,000.



Thanks to Ray of Hope funding, Vera was able to attend therapy sessions to identify sensory needs and build stronger motor skills.

Kathy and Jerry Wood Foundation continued its support of the Bello Machre Meaningful Day Program with a \$25,000 grant. This grant helps young adults with developmental disabilities obtain job skills training and community job placement. The Kathy and Jerry Wood Foundation has been a partner of Bello Machre for ten years, giving \$225,000 in grant funding.

Maryland Affordable Housing Trust (MAHT) awarded a \$60,000 grant to Bello Machre in 2023 to purchase four, full-home generators for our Allan, Longview, Millersville, and Wohlgemuth homes. MAHT has funded projects for Bello Machre for ten years and has given over \$378,000.

**Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA)** Competitive Grant awarded Bello Machre \$255,019 to strengthen infrastructure to ensure quality person-centered services. The 2-year grant will help bridge the gap with software requirements needed to access the new electronic billing system through DDA. Included in the grant is the purchase of new laptops and tablets for staff to access real-time data in the field. The funding will also help develop training modules for staff to access the new DDA billing system as well as increased efficiency for more accurate and timely billing.



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### **EVERY** step;

**EVENT** 

### Raises \$230,000!

Presenting Sponsors Candice Mumpower-Booker of Commercial Insurance Managers and Mike Saldi of SCLogic along with our incredible and generous community of sponsors, volunteers, and supporters came together to make Every Step Counts 2023 our biggest yet. On June 10, 2023, laughter and friendship were on full display as over 500 people gathered at Anne Arundel Community College in Anne Arundel and Manchester Valley High School in Carroll County. Enthusiastic walkers and bikers made for an extraordinary day for the Bello Machre community and family. Our incredible giving community continues to embrace the philosophy that every step contributes to the growth and achievement of the people supported by Bello Machre.







### **EVENT GIVING** Tops \$125,000

Lead Sponsors, Mike Saldi of SCLogic, and Shane Ireland and Quinn Salamandra of Tential helped make the 39th Annual Golf Tournament a huge success. It was a bright sunny day with a refreshing breeze and the smell of sausage in the air: a perfect day for golf enthusiasts and Bello Machre supporters to come together for a day of friendly competition and charitable giving. Beyond the greens, the tournament creates a sense of community and compassion, highlighting our commitment to enhancing the lives of people with developmental disabilities. With the generosity of our sponsors and help from volunteers, friends, and family, the 39th Annual Golf Tournament was a huge success. Thank you to everyone that participated in this year's tournament!



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#### **OUR MANY**

### **Volunteers Make a Difference**

#### **OUR EXCEPTIONAL VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

Those who have shared 50+ hours or more of their time, talents, and resources with Bello Machre.

#### **DIAMOND CLUB**

100+ hours

Adulraheem Alshanegiti

Michael Amwoga

**Daniel Dewey** 

Jacob Eya

**Destiny Fleming** 

Kiara Moore

Lori Skatlitzky

Cheryl Umana

#### **GOLD CLUB**

#### 75+ hours

Archbishop Spalding High School -**Engineering and Robotics** 

Michael Todd Sky Word

#### **SILVER CLUB**

50+ hours

Asbury United Methodist Church Canada Dry Potomac Corp. Glen Burnie High School - National **Honor Society** 

Northeast High School - Key Club

#### **Our 2023 Volunteer Impact:**

3,200 Total Volunteer Hours

**New Volunteers** 

**Group Volunteer Hours** 350



#### **VOLUNTEER GROUPS**

Anne Arundel County Public School Archbishop Spalding High School – Engineering and Robotics Asbury United Methodist Church Baltimore Washington Medical Center

The Bank of Glen Burnie

Canada Dry Potomac Corp.

Commercial Insurance Managers

Glen Burnie High School - National Honor Society

Northeast High School - Key Club Skyline Technology Solutions

Tential



Mark, Hanna, and the **Bank of** Glen Burnie team dropped off eight

beautiful Baskets of Joy for Thanksgiving dinner. Each branch engaged in a friendly competition to donate supplies and assemble generous baskets for our homes.



Canada Dry Potomac Corporation lent their helpful hands for our first Fall Grand Opening for the Community Activities & Training Center. Their team generously volunteered and donated a variety of beverages for this event.



**Archbishop Spalding High School's Engineering and Robotics** team provided 50 baskets of Thanksgiving fixings to share with our community homes.



Rod Cordin

Team members from **Skyline Technology Solutions** shared smiles and fun holiday spirit as they dropped off Thanksgiving baskets to our homes. The turkey hats brought laughter and joy to the staff and individuals as they made their deliveries.



Suzette Tadlock and Kristin **Gutierrez** from **Baltimore Washington Medical Center** graciously dropped off Thanksgiving fixings for our annual food drive. Our homes truly enjoyed having the extra goodies for their holiday feasts.

#### INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTEERS

Pam Abbott Karen Agee Jody Allen Abdulraheem Alshanegiti Mariana & Noel Alvarenga Michael Amwoga Jessica Angelo Grace Appiah Doreen Asongtia Gregory and Laura Avara Mashaal Awan Brianna Banfield Kristen Barnow Thomas Beach Jamison Beck Dominique Bezrutczyk Aristin Bittings Randon Bittings Felicia Blackman Todd Bonney Farrah Booker Amber Brewer Crystal Brownlee Gavin Byrnes Thomas Byrnes

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Lynn Zephir

Mary Shipley

Lori Skalitzky

Derosha Simmons

Connor Skalitzky



Julie Woepke. Joanie Peacock. and Norie Sutor pass out sausages and delicious food at our famous sausage stop during our Golf Tournament.



Lori (left) plays a big role dedicating her time and support to Bello Machre. Each week she conducts book clubs at four of our homes to read to the individuals followed up by a discussion. Lori is also always available to lend a hand to help at events and administrative projects. Her volunteerism has significantly impacted our community.

## Financial Stability Secures the Future

| Balance Sheet                     | FY22              | FY23             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Current Assets                    | \$15,619,521      | \$28,134,824     |
| Long-Term Assets                  | 24,164,259        | 26,323,913       |
| Accumulated Depreciation          | <u>399,100</u>    | <u>1,881,379</u> |
| TOTAL ASSETS                      | \$40,182,880      | \$56,340,116     |
| Current Liabilities               | \$6,472,096       | \$15,589,765     |
| Long-Term Liabilities             | 18,692,939        | 21,225,307       |
| Fund Balance                      | <u>15,017,845</u> | 19,525,044       |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALAN  | ICE \$40,182,880  | \$56,340,116 *   |
| Statement of Activities           |                   |                  |
| Revenue                           |                   |                  |
| Program Funding Sources           | \$23,679,332      | \$32,486,626     |
| Federal/Insurance Funding         | 1,048,828         | 1,040,768        |
| Fundraising, Grants, In-Kind Dona | tions 1,091,624   | 1,016,912        |
| Other                             | (468,036) 1       | 1,424,041 1      |
| TOTAL REVENUES                    | \$25,351,748      | \$35,968,347     |
| Expenses                          |                   |                  |
| Residential Support               | \$18,157,328      | \$23,569,540     |
| Personal Supports Services        | 3,034,665         | 3,826,651        |
| Meaningful Day                    | 869,271           | 1,385,138        |
| Administrative & General          | 2,004,434         | 2,533,929        |
| Fundraising & Development         | <u>189,906</u>    | <u>145,890</u>   |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                    | \$24,255,604      | \$31,461,148     |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Included realized gain on sale of two homes (reserved down payment on new homes), unrealized gain on investment, and investment income.



#### **BELLO MACHRE'S FINANCIAL POSITION REMAINS STRONG AND STABLE.**

The careful stewardship of our resources establishes the foundation to continue our valuable work. Our generous community help bridge the gap so Bello Machre can provide a lifetime of extraordinary loving care and opportunities to people with developmental disabilities in Maryland!

**JULY 1, 2022 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2023** 

FISCAL YEAR —

<sup>\*</sup> The financials for FY23 were significantly inflated because of a bridge loan Bello Machre received in the amount of \$12M from the Developmental Disabilities Administration to cover the significant investments made during the LTSS Billing conversion of systems and rates. The bridge loan is expected to be paid back the State upon request.



With your help Bello Machre provided:

### **Over 1.6 Million Hours**

1,520,064 Hours of Residential Services 74,692 Hours of Personal Supports Services 49,530 Hours of Meaningful Day Services **3,137** Hours of Respite Care Services

### For every dollar received, 91¢ was spent on services

How each dollar was spent in FY2023

Residential Services......75 cents Personal Supports Services & Respite Care.....12 cents Management, Marketing & Fundraising.....9 cents Meaningful Day Services.....4 cents



- Residential Services
- Personal Supports Services & Respite Care
- Management, Marketing & Fundraising
- Meaningful Day Services

"I feel blessed to be part of an organization that provides such meaningful, loving services." - Dr. Ireland





**OUR GIFTS** 

2024

THROUGH JANUARY

**FEBRUARY** 

SIFTS

## Thank You for Helping Make **Bello Machre Possible**

#### **DISTINGUISHED HUMANITARIAN**

**Excellence in Philanthropy** \$100,000 and Above

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Mr. Creston G. Tate

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ver 50 years ago the Bello Machre campus was founded by parents who wanted a better life for their children with developmental disabilities. Starting with four group homes, an administrative office building, and a recreation center, the dream of Bello Machre came to life.

Ground breaking at the Freetown Road Campus in Glen Burnie, Marvland — Sen. Robert Pascal with helpers



Bello Machre opened four homes on the Freetown Road Campus



#### 1980 First community home opened



1981 Bello Machre Trust Fund is established

First Annual Golf Tournament sponsored by the Sunset Restaurant & Lounge



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First Every Step Counts event held — formerly known as the Flag Day Parade-A-Thon





1994 Bello Machre launches its Support Service Program providing in-home supports to families

Opened the first retirement home dedicated to the care of seniors with developmental disabilities

Completed major renovations 1998 on the five campus homes including the addition of full kitchens in each

2000

Opened the Respite Care Home in Glen Burnie, Maryland, providing emergency and temporary care to individuals in the community



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Bello Machre graduated its first Specialized Certified Nursing Assistant Class

2009 Purchased 3.2 acres adjoining the campus property for future growth and development



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2021 Phillips Charitable Foundation awarded Bello Machre over \$115,000 for the down payment on a new fully-accessible home



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A NEW SPACE FOR

### Celebration



In 2022, the project to remodel and repurpose the building into a state-ofthe-art activity and training center began. This new buildin would provide a space for Bello Machre to train the growing staff, but more importantly, would serve as a place to host dances, holiday parties, and gatherings for the people supported by Bello Machre.

On October 12th, 2023, Bello Machre celebrated the Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting of the new Recreation & Training Center. The ceremony welcomed over 175 friends, Board Members, family members, individuals we support, and

staff. Event festivities included games, pumpkin decorating, pony petting, food galore, and a flavorful pie contest.

"It was fantastic seeing the entire Bello Machre family come together to mark this truly wonderful occasion," remarks Julie Provan, Bello Machre Vice President. "The smiles on everyone's faces speak volumes as to what this new Activity & Recreation Center is capable of."

This celebratory commemoration marks the beginning of a new space that will bring the Bello Machre community together for decades to come.

#### **REC HALL HISTORY**

riginally, the rec hall was a place for people supported by Bello Machre to enjoy activities like playing basketball or working on crafts in the art room. Kitchens and washing machines provided a place for campus residents to practice essential life skills.

As time passed, Bello Machre grew, and the people supported by Bello Machre moved into group homes in the community. The rec hall became useful in new ways including office spaces, meeting rooms, and useful storage areas.

This rec hall, better known as the Zweback building, served the Bello Machre community well over the years, but it is time for the building to renew its purpose as a place for all to gather.

We look forward to years of opportunities and memories in this new building.



## **Heritage Society Members**

Bello Machre is grateful to all the individuals who have included us in their will or estate plans or who have made other planned gifts in support of our mission. These special gifts allow us to provide loving care for a lifetime.

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"When our son, David, typed in to his iPad, "I am happy," that was our catalyst to let go a bit more. We are very hands-on parents and want to be involved with everything. We also want to make sure we set the groundwork when we are no longer here."

- David Menzel



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## **Perpetual Legacy**

A gift of \$25,000 or more is sufficient to establish a Perpetual Legacy that is distributed into the Trust Fund. This Perpetual Legacy pays special tribute to a loved one as an honor or memorial gift and is recognized with a permanent dedication at Bello Machre.

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Helping to secure Bello Machre's future, Audrey made a thoughtful donation through a Charitable Gift Annuity. This gift will provide her with a secure source of fixed payments for life and a charitable income tax deduction. She made this gift as a Perpetual Tribute in honor of her children, Tim and Jen.

"Bello Machre has taken care of my kids for many years, and I know they will continue to do so over their lifetime."

- Audrey



Pictured is Audrey and her children, Tim and Jen, over 20 years ago when they regularly volunteered at the Glen Burnie Carnival.

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For over 15 years, Darlene has dedicated her career and life to providing loving care and opportunities for people with developmental disabilities.

"The reason I love my job is because I get to help each person I work with learn new skills and enjoy their life and live it to the fullest," expresses Darlene. She joined the Bello Machre family in 2008 and works as a Direct Support Professional with our Personal Support Services.

"One thing that stands out is how the people we support see everyone from the inside. They view the world in such a beautiful way, seeing the good and overlooking the not-so-good. They love unconditionally," Darlene explains.

As a Direct Support Professional, Darlene assists the wonderful people she supports by promoting their independence. She always finds fun, engaging activities for her group to get out in the community.

Danielle Ierardi, Director of Community Services explains, "Darlene goes above and beyond for the individuals she supports." "Not only do they all have the best time together, but Darlene is a true advocate

for the people she supports. She truly cares about everyone around her and has welcomed the people she supports into her family."

Darlene embodies the call to service that Bello Machre represents, and her connection with the people she supports is truly inspiring.



"The people I work for are genuine, smart, loving, kind, and full of life. It has been 15 wonderful years. Thank you Bello Machre!"

Darlene

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