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Stonemont Retirement Lifestyles/Huntingdon Properties Presents the 26th Evening in The Maritimes

[OTTAWA, ON, May 16, 2022] – The stage is set for the return of [Evening in the Maritimes](#), after a two-year hiatus, featuring a dose of Maritime hospitality and generosity. Guests will feel as if they have travelled to an east coast kitchen party for a night of GOOD food, GOOD fun for a GREAT cause!

For 26 years, this spectacular fundraiser has supported ABLE2: Support for People with Disabilities (formerly Citizen Advocacy Ottawa), a small but powerful charity with a big purpose. It is the only organization in Ottawa that supports people of all ages across the disability spectrum and their families to build lives of meaning and joy as valued members of our city.

Master of Ceremonies, CTVOttawa's Graham Richardson will be joined by **more than 400 guests, including dignitaries, business leaders, parliamentarians and local supporters**. The 2022 edition of Evening in The Maritimes will feature an amazing silent auction, live auction and a new Sea Creatures Sweepstake with a total value of over \$45,000 in prizes! Items have been generously donated from the Ottawa area, across Canada and around the world including such exclusive vacation destinations as The Grand Isles Resort & Spa in The Bahamas, Mont Tremblant, Puerto Vallarta and Nova Scotia.

Since its inaugural event 26 years ago, **Evening in The Maritimes**, has grown into **one of Ottawa's premier fundraising galas, raising more than \$3 million for ABLE2**.

About ABLE2

ABLE2's programs are available to people of all ages, and types of disabilities. People living with physical, developmental, neurodevelopmental, intellectual, mental health, age-related and multiple diagnoses challenges. ABLE2 strives to deliver programming that helps build an inclusive community in Ottawa where everyone can participate, according to their abilities, as full community members. Impact evaluations clearly show that inclusion, the reduction of loneliness and isolation and the resulting improvement in mental and physical health has a significant positive benefit on the lives of people with disabilities, their families, the volunteer cohort and the community at large.

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the 26th Evening in The Maritimes

Date: Thursday, May 19, 2022
Time: 5:30pm – Cocktail Reception
6:45 – Dinner/Auctions/Entertainment
Where: The Westin Ottawa
Who: Honorary Co-chairs – Senator Vernon White & David Cork (Scotia McLeod)
Entertainment: Macdonald Highland Dancers, The Ramblin Fiddlers and the Ottawa Police Service Pipe Band
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