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Please join Easterseals Delaware & Maryland's Eastern Shore as we celebrate our **75th Anniversary of Creating an Inclusive Community**. We invite your organization to participate in the Annual Easterseals/CAI Volleyball Challenge fundraiser. We seek your support in helping us to continue to lead the way to full equity, inclusion, and access through life-changing disability and community services.

The Volleyball Challenge is a family-friendly event that will take place on March 25th, at William Penn High School in New Castle, and on March 26th, at Delaware State University in Dover.

Corporate sponsorships are the cornerstone to this event. Participation as a sponsor provides leverage for your organization through visibility, connections and community service. Donations from this two-day event will stay in our community. Individuals like Carolyn and her family will be the lucky beneficiaries of your generous donations.



Carolyn is our 2023 Easterseals/CAI Volleyball Ambassador. She loves the Easterseals adult day program so much that when she is not there, she asks to go. This is significant for her parents, Jeanne and Larry, who call the program "The perfect fit for Carolyn."

Carolyn began receiving Children's Therapy Services at six months old. After high school, she came back to participate in the Intellectual Disabilities Day program. Her parents excitedly share that she has since become more social and can express her wants

and needs. Jeanne says, "To us, Easterseals means integrity, inclusion, respect, friendships and possibilities."

Consider supporting the annual Easterseals/CAI Volleyball Challenge in one of these ways:

- **Corporate Sponsorship:** Depending on the level of sponsorship, there are opportunities for social media and website recognition with additional event-day promotion in both New Castle County and Kent County
- **Team Participation:** Sign up as a team captain and recruit your friends, family, children or co-workers to enjoy a day of fun and camaraderie
- **Employee Volunteers:** Lend a hand on event day(s) to help us with registration, hospitality, and photography

We hope your organization will consider supporting the Easterseals/CAI Volleyball Challenge in a manner that is best suited for you. Through your participation you are supporting our mission in creating an inclusive community, a reward that will last much longer than the day of our fundraiser.

For more information, visit our website at www.volleyballchallenge.com.

Sincerely,

Nisha Lodhavia
Easterseals Board Member
Co-Chair Easterseals/CAI Volleyball Challenge

Enclosures

