



Message from the Executive Director

July 24, 2020

Greetings to The Arc of the South Shore Community!

This week The Arc of the South Shore received a huge delivery of Personal Protection Equipment from MEMA (Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency). We are very grateful to MEMA for the additions to our supply. We received surgical masks, cloth facemasks, face shields, goggles, hand sanitizer and thermometers.





The shipment was delivered by the National Guard!

As we begin to re-open our day programs and prepare to provide limited home visits to families in Early Intervention, we depend upon a well-stocked supply of PPE to keep our employees and our clients safe.

This year The Arc's Signature fundraising event *the Summer Soiree* will be an all

virtual event.



The virtual event will be held on August 25. Brenda Linden, Director of our Development Department is already busy

coordinating this awesome event with our VIP committee and many agency volunteers.

We look forward to having Billy Costa as our Master of Ceremony and tons of fabulous auction items to win.

Be sure to tune in to this event and find out who will be walking the Red Carpet. Details for registering for the event to be available soon.



Above, Paula getting ready to be filmed walking the Red Carpet for our Virtual Summer Soiree August 25.

Below, more of our Red Carpet celebrities.



Happiness often sneaks in

A Message from Tanya, Human Resource Director:

through a door you didn't know



All employees working from home have access to their office phone extension voicemail and email. Please feel free to leave a message and someone will get back to you.

Our website is the best place to find the most current information related to The Arc of the South Shore actions in the coming weeks and months.

www.arcsouthshore.org

For the most up to date state information go to <u>www.Mass.gov/2019coronavirus</u>

We are prepared to respond accordingly and navigate through any challenges with our clients, employees and community in the forefront. As this Coronavirus pandemic evolves, we will continue to monitor and communicate information as needed. You are our members, part of our family, *and together we are getting through this situation.*

Sincerely,

Daryl Cook-Ivan,

Executive Director