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NEWS FROM SHORE UP!

SHORE UP! Inc. Adult Day Services' "Starry Night"

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SALISBURY, MD—At 11 am in the morning on Friday, May 20, 2011, participants in SHORE UP!'s Adult Day Services Program will be attending a prom with the theme of "Starry Night." All of the persons served by the Adult Day Services program have a disability of one type or another; many of the customers are elderly.

Approximately 150 people are expected at the prom, which runs 11 am-2 pm, including Adult Day Services customers and their families. Customers from two Adult Day Services Centers will be in attendance: the Shady Pines Center in Salisbury and the Westover Center. This week customers have been getting their hair and nails done by students at Parkside High School's cosmetology class. Both men and women are taking out their finest clothes. Customers have been looking forward to the event for months. There will be continuous music, a grand march where a prom king and queen will be chosen, and dancing. Part of the event is a special meal including oven fried chicken, turnip greens, potato salad, and dessert. Local businesses have generously donated door prizes and other items. For example, Sub Runners donated some gift certificates.

SHORE UP! Inc.'s Adult Day Services program provides day care and other services to help avoid or delay nursing home placement for the area's elderly and disabled.

The Adult Day Services Centers serve physically or mentally challenged adults age 16 or older who need medical supervision and social stimulation. At each facility, a team of professionals works together to meet the physical, medical, psychological and social needs of the participant and his/her family. A Registered Nurse is on duty at each site. Adult Day Services strives to lessen the burden of care-giving, support the family and promote independence.

For more information, please call Adult Day Services Project Director Madeline Waters at 443-523-0050.

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