

## A Special Prom for A Special Group of Students

On Friday April 27th, the BRIDGE School at Rye Brook, a division of Cerebral Palsy of Westchester hosted its 2<sup>nd</sup> annual end of the year Prom in honor of five graduating students. The entire school gathered together for the event which included family, friends and staff. The gym was beautifully decorated with the theme "Under the Sea" by LifeTime Events by Jacquelyn and Nova Original Events. The students enjoyed stopping to strike a pose for the photographer as they entered. A special entrance in a limousine was made by the graduating students as Prom Kings & Queen wearing sashes. CPW's Vocal Groove sang the National Anthem and a musical performance was given by a duo by one of our students along with one of our staff. Everyone was dressed up and enjoyed lunch, dessert, and dancing to music. The students had fun taking pictures in the photo booth and eating cotton candy. The School Social Worker, Tenisha-Neil Robinson stated "Watching the students prepare for prom was the most exciting thing to witness. With the help of the occupational and physical therapists, I have watched them blossom into young ladies and young men."

A very special thank you to our donors for this event: Acme Supermarket, Amore, Cerbone's Bake Shop, Cermele's Corporate Catering, Chubby Rental, Corbos at Belle Fair, Don Coqui, Edible Arrangements of Eastchester, Euro Pizzeria White Plains, Fiorentinos Pizzeria, Frank's Pizza, Gucci Limousines, Gullotta House Inc., LifeTime Events by Jacquelyn, Longford's Own-Made Ice Cream, Men's Warehouse, Mid Westchester Elk's Lodge #535,







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For over 69 years, Cerebral Palsy of Westchester has been the leading non-profit organization in Westchester County, providing essential services to children and adults with all developmental disabilities including autism, neurological impairments, intellectual disabilities, epilepsy and cerebral palsy. It has always been our purpose to help people realize their goals, build brighter futures, and lead more independent lives as members of their community.

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