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Fredericksburg School for Students with Disabilities to Host Spring Gala

(Fredericksburg, VA) – The Gladys H. Oberle School, a private special education day school in downtown Fredericksburg, will host their Inaugural Spring Gala this coming Saturday, March 30, 2019 at the A. Smith Bowman Distillery from 7:00-11:00pm.

Gala tickets are on sale for \$75 per person or \$125 per couple at the school's downtown campus located at 404 Willis Street, Fredericksburg. Online Gala ticket purchases can be made at www.eri-va.com/gala. The Gala's maximum seating capacity is 200 people.

The Gladys H. Oberle School, a division of Employment Resources Inc., began serving area youth in 1991. The school is fully accredited by the Virginia Department of Education and partners with local public-school systems to provide education for middle and high school age students with a variety of disabilities. The Joe and Mary Wilson Center for Career and Technical Education, a vocational component of the Oberle School, prepare students for select vocational careers.

A Spring Gala ticket includes entertainment by Bobby McKey's Dueling Pianos from Washington, DC, dancing, heavy hors d'oeuvres prepared by Sunken Well Tavern and sponsored by Wegmans, and two complimentary drink tickets and a cash bar. The Gala's Silent Auction has over 65 incredible items to bid on all donated by local Fredericksburg area merchants.

All proceeds from the Inaugural Spring Gala benefits and supports the Gladys H. Oberle School educational programs and services that are provided to local students with disabilities.

For more Spring Gala information and to see an inventory of the wonderful donated Silent Auction items, visit the school's Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/ERI.Oberle> or contact the Gladys H. Oberle School downtown campus at 540-372-6710.

Employment Resources Incorporated is a private not-for-profit organization with offices located in Fredericksburg, Virginia that serves the city of Fredericksburg and multiple cities and counties in the region. ERI operates the Gladys H. Oberle School in Fredericksburg, an accredited alternative private special education day school for middle and high school age students with disabilities which includes The Joe and Mary Wilson Center for Career and Technical Education programs. Its mission is to provide youth and young adults with the education and skills they need to become successfully employed, self-sufficient and contributing members of their community.

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