UPCOMING EVENTS

**UNIQUE Exhibition**  
Through September 25, 2016  
Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse  
Come see the artwork from the 2016 UNIQUE Magazine!  
uniquemagazine.org

**Oswego Anniversary Celebration**  
Tuesday, September 27, 2016  
Lake Ontario Event & Conference Center  
Join us as we celebrate 20 years in Oswego county!  
ariseinc.org/events

**Fall Barn Dance**  
Saturday, October 29, 2016  
ARISE at the Farm  
Join us for the costume contest, music, dancing, and more!  
ariseinc.org/events
We are doing a lot of celebrating here at ARISE. Celebrating accomplishments large and small.

August 18th marked the unveiling of the visual and literary works of art selected for the 16th edition of our UNIQUE magazine. The Everson Museum of Art once again hosted our opening reception and the first of a series of shows of these extraordinary works of art created by people with disabilities. Watching the artists and their friends and families bask in the glow of joy and pride in their accomplishments is uplifting in every sense of the word. I never even try to choose a favorite piece in the show, although I was pretty taken by a painting using a window as a canvas. The UNIQUE exhibit is at the Everson through September 25th and will travel to other venues throughout our region, including Oswego.

Oswego is the scene of another celebration on September 27th, when we acknowledge the 20th anniversary of our operations in Oswego County. An office that began as a pilot program providing services to migrant farm workers has grown to one delivering more than 30 programs in locations in Oswego, Fulton and Pulaski as well as schools in Central Square. And our Oswego ARISE operation is one of the county’s largest employers.

Speaking of employment, we celebrate the daily accomplishments of the people we help place in jobs with the supports they need to succeed. We celebrate each time a ramp is built, giving people physical access to their homes and neighborhoods. We even celebrate when program auditors visit us for consecutive days, scouring our files. These particular auditors left giving us high marks and commended the way we deliver services by focusing on the person first and foremost.

And that is what guides us every day at ARISE. We celebrate every step, large and small, each person takes to living the life they choose.

Tania S. Anderson
Chief Executive Officer
In 1996, ARISE started providing services in Oswego County. What began as one office with a small team helping migrant farm workers has turned into three offices throughout the county, with over 150 employees. ARISE now provides more than 30 programs in Oswego County for people of all ages with all types of disabilities.

Throughout those 20 years, ARISE has paved the way for independent living and accessibility. Early on, we began making it possible for people who needed a little assistance with daily living to get the help they needed to remain at home. Soon after, ARISE connected people with employment. And much has happened since then. From designing the "Yield to the Blind" sign, getting large print menus in local restaurants, and starting the Ramp Program, to getting a grant to start Call-N-Ride and obtaining Audible Pedestrian Signals installed in Oswego and Fulton; ARISE has been there for the community.

In Oswego County, there is no government funding for people who need ramps installed in their homes. Without funding, people who lacked the funds to pay for a ramp had no options until a wonderful collaboration came together. Working with volunteers from First United Methodist Church in Oswego, the ARISE Oswego Ramp program began. More than 15 years later, other churches, organizations, companies, and individuals have joined this community-based program to assist families in need.

Thanks to caring and generous friends in Oswego, hundreds of people have received ramps and retained their independence.

Our SibShops program, the first in the region, will soon celebrate its 10th anniversary. Young people whose siblings have a disability get together to share their feelings and have new experiences.

In 2010, we received a grant from the Department of Social Services to offer mental health services in the county. We are so pleased to provide this vital assistance to residents in Oswego County. Our fairly new TBI Peer Support Group has already had significant impact on the people who participate.

There are many stories to tell and partners to thank. We are thrilled to be a part of the community in Oswego County, and we look forward to expanding our work to support people in achieving their goals. We hope you will join us on Tuesday, September 27th, from 5-7PM at the Lake Ontario Event and Conference Center as we celebrate two decades of ARISE in Oswego County!

On Opposite Page: ARISE employees and community partners at the Oswego County Legislature for the ADA proclamation.

**NEWSFLASH**

**Grant for Accessibility**

Every person has ideas, interests, and goals. Our dedicated Direct Support Professionals connect with individuals every day to take them out into the community to participate in the activities of their choosing. We were delighted to receive a $25,000 grant from the Central New York Community Foundation toward the purchase of a new accessible van to transport people who use wheelchairs. We are grateful to the Central New York Community Foundation for their commitment to making access and independence possible for more members of our community.

**Running for ARISE**

We were delighted to accept a gift from David Alliger, manager of the Barnes and Noble Bookstore at Cayuga Community College, who ran in the Boilermaker and raised funds for our TBI Peer Support Group. We presented him with a plaque in appreciation for his support, which has included hosting an art show and donating gift certificates.
Dreams came true for some talented local artists and writers at the Everson Museum of Art at the Opening Reception for UNIQUE 2016. It was an evening filled with excitement and awe.

Hundreds of artists, family members, friends, volunteers, and community supporters gathered for the unveiling of this year’s exhibit. It was clear that Amanda Chamberlain, whose piece is featured on the cover of the magazine, was extremely excited when she saw the cover as she entered the museum. She made her “feel like a million bucks.”

This year we received 107 submissions from artists ranging in age from 17 to 75 living in five CNY counties. The 2016 Editorial Board was comprised of 11 community members who took the time to review each piece individually before scoring them. It was difficult to choose which pieces would be featured in the magazine, as the quality of the work was exceptional. The 2016 edition features 57 visual and literary pieces.

Dr. Nienke Dosa, a developmental pediatrician at SUNY Upstate Medical University and recipient of an ARISE 2016 Champion of Independence award, wrote the introduction to the magazine. “To be fully alive is to be creative, to share and express one’s unique talents and gifts with others,” she writes. That is exactly what UNIQUE Art & Literary magazine is all about.

During the program, Beth Pelletier-Perra and Josh Webster expressed their thoughts. Laura Serway and her wife, Cindy Seymour, joined us to share memories of Charles Serway, Laura’s beloved brother who passed away recently. His work is featured in the current edition and appeared in several past issues, including once on the cover.

We are very grateful to the Everson Museum of Art for their outstanding partnership and support. This is the sixth year that UNIQUE has exhibited at the region’s premier art venue. It is an honor for the artists to have their work displayed in this prestigious museum. You can hear the audio of the literary work read by NewsChannel 9’s Tim Fox. The generous UNIQUE sponsors make it possible for us to publish and exhibit this amazing creative work.

UNIQUE 2016 will be at the Everson through September 25th. We hope you’ll visit and enjoy the creative genius of these artists. While you’re there, become a member of the Everson so you can enjoy all of the great exhibits and activities offered all year long.

Be sure to visit uniquemagazine.org to see where the exhibit will be traveling to next!
Catch all the photos from the event at facebook.com/ARISEcny
A beautiful Saturday in July brought hundreds of friends to Chittenango for the sixth annual ARISE & Ride at the Farm event. Beautiful weather, music, and lots to do made for an awesome summer day!

Cyclists took off in the morning on the 25 and 12-mile cycle rides. The Walk & Wheel-A-Thon began soon after with children and families making their way around the track and enjoying lots of fun activities along the way. As always, the fishing and high ropes course provided exciting entertainment, and everyone continued to enjoy our accessible playground.

This event is the largest fundraiser that supports ARISE at the Farm, helping to make our year-round inclusive recreation programs possible. Operating a horse farm is an expensive thing to do, and we have to raise money in order to keep the cost of the lessons and camps affordable. We wouldn’t be able to do it without our incredible supporters, including our sponsors, volunteers, partners, and planning committee.

More people than ever before raised funds by cycling or doing the Walk & Wheel-A-Thon. Every dollar raised is used for the programs and services at the Farm. For the second year, Team Lovin Landon was the largest team. Congratulations to this year’s top five fundraisers: Gavin Provo, Marley Aberdeen, Rob Conrad, Kathleen Schill, and Eva Schwitter!

Our great friends at Tops Friendly Markets once again provided the food. Jim Anklin and Wayne Hamilton brought the Chittenango Rotary Club Chuck Wagon to cook the food, Michael Erb of Michael E. Mobile Sound shared his time as DJ even though he was moving to Oklahoma two days later. Wonderful Mark Perrin from the bikery has been with us every year to assist our riders. The safety of the riders was assured with help from Ken Olivia and AAA, the Madison County Sheriff’s Department, and Ed Falkowski from the Syracuse Police Department.
We want to give a special shout-out to the terrific folks at BNY Mellon for their generous support. We also want to express our deepest gratitude to Barb Falkowski, Lynn Hamilton, Pete Laun, Dick Hollington, Bob Salvetti and Mike Nortman for their months of work. Once again Bob Schwitter helped in lots of ways.

If you love the Farm and want to help expand our efforts and increase support, we’d love to have you join a new Farm planning group. Please contact Nan Eaton at (315) 671-2903 to learn more.

Please mark your calendar for the 7th annual ARISE & Ride at the Farm event on Saturday, July 22, 2017!

Check out all the photos from ARISE & Ride at the Farm at facebook.com/ARISEattheFarm

AUBURN CONFERENCE
Changes, Challenges, Choice

Our team in Auburn once again offered an impressive agenda of speakers and workshops at the annual conference. A comprehensive array of information for people with disabilities, service providers, and families was shared. Attendees participated in breakout sessions on topics that included Elder Law, Utilizing Service Dogs for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, Personal Recovery Oriented Services (PROS), Disability Rights, Understanding Diploma and Credential Options for Students with Disabilities, and the Fitness Inclusion Network.

Mayor Michael Quill presented ARISE with a proclamation and we gave out two awards. The Business of the Year award was given to Silbert Optical for their outstanding support of individuals with disabilities, and the Volunteer of the Year award was presented to Carol Bryant for her countless hours of support for ARISE’s programs. Kathy O’Connell, of Radiant Abilities, took the stage and presented her keynote address “What’s Your Firewalk?” It fit perfectly with this year’s theme, Changes, Challenges, Choice. Kathy described how her participation in a firewalk served as the catalyst for the exploration of how fear and self-doubt shapes the ability to succeed. We truly succeed when we release the fear of the unknown and empower ourselves.

We are grateful to the sponsors and friends who donated raffle items. Thank you to everyone who played a part in this year’s annual conference!
The first Saturday in June brought runners, motorcyclists, families, volunteers, and community members together at Lighthouse Lanes to support our Oswego Ramp Program. ARISE & Ride for Ramps featured a 5K run around the Oswego Speedway, a motorcycle ride through the gorgeous north country, raffles, a BBQ, music and more!

Local band Vitamin X performed, Lighthouse Lanes cooked up delicious food, and participants enjoyed activities and raffles. David Lepage, from major sponsor G&C Foods, rode again this year. The ride through the north country included a stop at FX Caprara Harley-Davidson in Adams! We are so grateful to the folks at FX Caprara for their support and for giving our riders such a fantastic welcome.

The Ride for Ramps event raises vital funds that make it possible for people with disabilities to remain in the community or return to their community from rehab. What greater gift could there be than the gift of independence and freedom? Since there is no government funding for ramps in Oswego County, we are proud to offer an option for people who might otherwise be forced to leave their home. Thanks to caring and generous members of the Oswego community, we are able to offer that life-changing assistance.

We want to thank all of our sponsors, participants, and volunteers for helping make this event such a success. If you’d like to get involved and join us next year, mark your calendars for the 2017 event on Saturday, June 3rd!

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS:

Catch photos from Ride for Ramps at facebook.com/ARISEcny
This summer we welcomed campers to the Farm for days filled with horseback riding, playing on the playground, “flying” on the high ropes course, tie-dying, arts and crafts, fishing, cycling, and more! We love having campers explore the Farm and spend time with other kids of all abilities. Recreation for all is what we’re about, and summer camps are all about recreation and fun! For information about next year’s summer camps please visit ariseatthefarm.org.

ARISE would not be where it is today without amazing volunteers who generously share their time. We were delighted to recognize and celebrate 36 wonderful friends at our Special Recognition Event in late June. From ARISE at the Farm and ARISE & Ski volunteers, to a media company and local Rotary group, we were thrilled to honor and thank these terrific people for their commitment and service.

Senator John DeFrancisco presented proclamations to Tom McKeown, recently retired ARISE Executive Director, and Eleanor Michaels, retired ARISE employee, for their many years of service.

We wouldn’t be able to provide the many services we do without the help of dedicated volunteers. You can share your time at the Farm, ARISE & Ski, building ramps, and serving as an ombudsman. We are always looking to expand our volunteer team, so if you’re interested, fill out an application today at ariseinc.org!

This year marked the 26th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act and we celebrated with speakers, awards, marches and more! We are proud to partner with other local agencies every year to raise awareness about the ADA! If you’d like to become involved in our advocacy network, please contact Beata Karpinska-Prehn at 671-2929 or bkarpinska@ariseinc.org.
FOREVER 66 MOTORCYCLE RIDE
Sunday, September 25, 2016
Motorcyclists can enjoy a beautiful ride through the Finger Lakes beginning at JP’s Tavern in Baldwinsville and return to great food, live music and vendors. Michelle Godin created this ride last year in memory of her father, David Godin. Registration begins at 10AM and kickstands go up at 11AM. All proceeds will benefit the ARISE Ramp & Home Modification Program. We are so grateful to Michelle for this support!

OSWEGO 20TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
Tuesday, September 27, 2016
We hope you’ll join us as we gather to celebrate our 20 years of work in Oswego County. The event will take place at the Lake Ontario Event and Conference Center. We are grateful for their willingness to sponsor the event. Light refreshments will be provided and a short program will begin at 6PM. While it is not required, your RSVP is appreciated by September 19th. Please call Jeanne at (315) 342-4088 X209 to RSVP. We hope to see you there!

DISABILITY MENTORING DAY
October 2016
Disability Mentoring Day is an opportunity for students or job-seekers to spend part of the day visiting an area employer to learn what that company does, and become more familiar with the tasks of specific jobs. In Syracuse, Disability Mentoring Day will be Thursday, October 20th. Any companies that would like to learn more about how to be involved can contact Jennifer Schiebler at (315) 671-2995. In Oswego, Disability Mentoring Day will be Friday, October 28th at the American Foundry. Anyone interested in the Oswego event should contact Teresa Gilbert at (315) 342-4088 X235.

FALL BARN DANCE
Saturday, October 29, 2016
Join us for our annual Fall Barn Dance at ARISE at the Farm! Tickets are $5 per person, or $25 per family. There will be a costume contest, pumpkin carving, music, and more! Light snacks will be provided and the Chittenango Rotary Chuck Wagon will be on site selling food. Call the Farm at (315) 687-6727 to RSVP today!
SPECIAL THANKS
Thanks to our community partners and friends, who have recently offered their support:

- **BNY MELLON**
  For the past several years, the great folks at BNY Mellon have taken a special interest in ARISE at the Farm. They have provided substantial financial support by doing their own fundraising events, including a car wash this spring. They have also volunteered at ARISE & Ride at the Farm every year. We are very grateful for this ongoing and important support!

- **LEADERSHIP GREATER SYRACUSE**
  Leadership Greater Syracuse is comprised of wonderful and caring community members who are motivated to make a difference. Katie Mondrick, a member of this year’s LGS class and one of our Farm volunteers, invited her classmates out to the Farm for a morning of volunteering. These energetic folks painted, cleaned, and did work on the gardens and grounds while smiling and laughing. We are so thankful they chose the Farm to share their time and energy!

- **SIEMENS BUILDING**
  Paul Rogers, a longtime ARISE & Ski volunteer, suggested to colleagues at Siemens Building Technologies that they spend some time helping out at ARISE at the Farm. These folks came ready to work! We were blown away by how much they accomplished in half a day. We sure hope these great friends will come back and see us again soon!

- **ROSTARY CLUB OF DEWITT**
  Rotarians are known for their generosity and commitment to their communities. We are so fortunate to have such wonderful Rotarians in the region. The Rotary Club of Dewitt made a generous donation to ARISE at the Farm to support year-round inclusive recreation! We wouldn’t be able to provide riding lessons, summer camps, and the numerous other activities at the Farm without the help of our community. We are grateful to the members of Dewitt Rotary Club!

- **SPECIAL THANKS**

  Thanks to our community partners and friends, who have recently offered their support:

  - **PPC Broadband**, for their support of ARISE at the Farm and Maria Visco for making the request!
  - **The CNY Community Foundation Cayuga Fund**, for a $3,000 grant to support the ARISE Auburn Personal Care Bank!
  - **Independent Insurance Agents of CNY**, for their generous gift!
  - **Fairmount Community Church**, for their gift to ARISE at the Farm!
  - **Operation Northern Comfort**, for agreeing to build a kiosk at ARISE at the Farm!
  - **Trisha Schwartz**, for once again serving as the interpreter at the UNIQUE Opening Celebration!
  - **Paul Vair**, for photographing ARISE & Ride at the Farm and the UNIQUE Opening Celebration!
  - **Brianna Mai Schwartz**, for photographing the UNIQUE Opening Celebration!
ARISE was there to help me pick up the pieces after I broke my neck in an accident and became a person with disabilities. My first experience was the thrill of flying down the slopes using a bi-ski thanks to ARISE & Ski. It was amazing to be able to do something I had a passion for and didn’t know if I would ever do again. Being part of the ARISE & Ski family gave me confidence and joy as I learned how to live a very different kind of life than anticipated.

Then I learned more about ARISE, and was excited to find an organization that is dedicated to making it possible for people with disabilities to have their abilities shine through. Attending the ARISE dinner event in 2014 opened my eyes to ARISE’s regional footprint and all of the amazing things that this organization does every day.

Every time I dug deeper, I found even more extraordinary things that ARISE offers in community settings, homes, schools, and so many places. ARISE is an invaluable resource for anyone with a disability or anyone who has a family member or friend with a disability.

My involvement with ARISE opened my eyes to the love and passion people at ARISE have for others, and it was easy to decide to become involved. I wanted to give back to this organization that is dedicated to helping people live a fully independent and joy-filled great life.

The knowledgeable staff at ARISE provide advocacy, information, and an amazing array of services for people of all ages with any disabilities. ARISE takes the burden that sometimes comes with disabilities off the backs of individuals and their families.

I want the name ARISE to be one of the first things that people think of when dealing with or hearing about disability. I see a future in which people throughout the region are always thinking of ARISE and how to include people with disabilities in everything they do.

Being on the ARISE Foundation Board is a great way to join this outstanding organization. Working together, we can ensure that people with disabilities are always included in every aspect of life in our community.
WELCOME OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Ray Carney
Foundation Board
“I love seeing the smiles on the faces of kids at ARISE at the Farm and I know how hard Laura and her team work. Nothing gave my parents more gratification that seeing my kids at the Farm. ARISE is there for the family as a whole. I am happy to offer any help I can.”

Janelle Fields
Foundation Board
“I am pleased to join the ARISE Foundation Board as a contributing member of this terrific organization. Contributing to ARISE is a natural fit where I can use my talents as a marketer and at the same time support the cause of people with disability, which includes my youngest sister. I look forward to working with all on the board.”

Diana Pelletier
Foundation Board
“I feel blessed to join an organization that makes such a difference. I know from personal experience the impact ARISE has on the lives of people with disabilities, their families, and the community.”

Rachel Romer
Foundation Board
“I am excited to be involved with an organization that helps people find ways to participate in sports and do things that able-bodied people can do.”

Maria Visco
Foundation Board
“What the various parts of ARISE do with and for people is nothing short of amazing. I am looking forward to getting to know everyone and being part of this wonderful organization.”

Andrea Pagano
ARISE Board
“Giving back to the community has always been a passion of mine. I believe in ARISE’s mission and I am excited to be a part of the organization!”

Saying Goodbye

We want to express our appreciation to three friends for their commitment and service.

Kristen Smith was one of the founding members of the ARISE Foundation Board of Directors. We congratulate her on her promotion, resulting in a move to South Carolina, and wish her all the best!

Linda Erb joined the ARISE Board of Directors in 2012, and was welcomed as a member of the ARISE Foundation Board of Directors in 2014. We wish her well in her new chapter in Oklahoma, and hope that she will stop by any time she’s in town.

Susan Gray became a member of the ARISE Board of Directors in 2013 after playing a key role in the merger of Options with Independence with ARISE. While Susan has left the board, we are grateful for her continued service on our Cayuga Advisory Committee.
WAYS YOU CAN SUPPORT ARISE

Do you share our vision that every person, regardless of disability, should be able to live a full and independent life and achieve his or her dreams? Since 1979, ARISE has changed systems, demanded access, and assisted individuals in identifying and accomplishing their goals. We are here for people of all ages with all types of disabilities.

There are many ways to share in our important work. You can make a gift to our annual fund in support of life-changing programs. You can also designate your contribution for a special program or purpose that is close to your heart. Perhaps a loved one benefited from a particular ARISE service and you want to make it possible for others to receive the same support.

Does your company match gifts? If so, please let us know so we can prepare any paperwork that is required. What a great return on your investment!

You can also turn your desire to make a difference into a legacy that will impact future generations. By including ARISE in your long-term estate or financial plans, you can make a powerful statement of your values. We are excited to announce two new ways to create a truly inclusive community: ARISE Future Fund and ARISE at the Farm Legacy Fund.

Your gift to one of our endowment funds can be unrestricted or designated by you for use in support of specific programs, initiatives, building, or renovation projects. These gifts are invested, and the earnings provide a permanent source of income. These endowment funds are vital to ensuring that ARISE will continue to fulfill our mission of creating a world in which every person can participate, sharing his or her gifts, and not be defined by perceived disabilities.

To learn more about how you can make a gift to support ARISE now and in the future, contact Nancy Kern Eaton at 315.671.2903 or neaton@ariseinc.org.

WE ARE ALL UNITED WAY

Through gifts to the United Way, people throughout the region provide vital program support to agencies that are meeting the greatest needs. Our employees are proud to contribute to the United Way and we are grateful for the program funding we receive from the United Way. We hope you’ll join us in supporting United Way.

REAP THE BENEFITS

Want to know how to become healthier and happier? Volunteer! Studies have shown that people who choose to share their time and talent with others have fewer health problems and experience greater feelings of happiness.

ARISE & Ski
Remember the incredible feeling of learning how to ski or snowboard? Love being out on the slopes? Become part of our wonderful team of volunteers who enjoy sharing their love of winter recreation at Toggenburg! There is some training that is required and happens in the fall before the snow flies, so please sign up soon. Learn more at: ariseandski.org

Ombudsman Program
Do you have fond memories of time with grandparents, aunts and uncles? Enjoy hearing stories and taking a trip down memory lane? Have a few hours a week to share with folks living in a nursing home to ensure their needs are met? Our Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program is a wonderful way to connect with some of the elders in our community. To learn more call Jeffrey Parker at (315) 671-5108

ARISE at the Farm
Believe that everyone should have fun? Like to connect with people of all ages? Want to get some exercise? Enjoy seeing people grow and thrive? Need community service hours for graduation? We would love to talk with you about ways to join our Farm family. Go to: ariseatthefarm.org
THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS

We’d like to thank the following individuals and organizations who made donations from May 1, 2016 to August 12, 2016 in support of independence and access for all.

YOUR GITS IN TRIBUTE

We’d like to thank the following individuals and organizations who made gifts in memory or in honor of a friend or family member between May 1, 2016 and August 12, 2016.

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Unity House
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Wayne Drugs
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Timothy & Kelly Woods
Bridgette Yule
Zerrillo Gardens

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About Us
We are a non-profit organization organized and directed by people with disabilities.

Through over 50 programs, we are dedicated to removing barriers, sustaining needs, strengthening skills, and enriching the lives of people with disabilities in CNY.

Our Locations

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Pulaski Satellite Office
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Fulton Mental Health Office
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2017 Calendar of Events

Celebrating Inclusion & Achieving Independence Dinner
Tuesday, April 11th
ariseinc.org/dinner

ARISE & Ride for Ramps
Saturday, June 3rd
Lighthouse Lanes, Oswego
rideforramps.org

ARISE & Ride at the Farm
Saturday, July 22nd
ARISE at the Farm, Chittenango
ariseandride.org