

FAU CARD's Fifth Annual 'Wings Of Hope' Event Raises More Than \$70,000



Pictured are Tricia and Glen Stein with WPTV's Michael Williams and sons Levi and Jordan Stein.

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Florida Atlantic University's Center for Autism and Related Disabilities (CARD) recently hosted its fifth annual "Wings of Hope" fundraiser. More than 130 guests attended the event, which raised more than \$70,000. Proceeds will support CARD's services for children and adults with autism or autism spectrum disorders. The event honored Tricia and Glen Stein of Boca Raton, for their longstanding support and dedication to FAU CARD and the autism community.

"We are so grateful to Tricia and Glen Stein for all they have done for FAU CARD and the autism community in South Florida," said Jack Scott, Ph.D., executive director of CARD. "They find so many ways to make a real difference in the lives of children and adults with autism. Their support and the help of their many generous friends and family, and other friends of autism, will allow us to expand our services to local children and adults with autism, and their families."

Guests enjoyed a cocktail hour with silent auction, hors d'oeuvres, open bar and music and then a sit-down dinner during the evening's program, hosted by WPTV's Michael Williams. Among event sponsors were: The Harry T. Mangurian, Jr. Foundation, in memory of J. Ernest Brophy, a former director; First Capital; Glen and Tricia Stein; The Eppy Group; and Whole Foods Market, Boca Raton.

Staff at FAU's Center for Autism and Related Disabilities would like to thank all who helped make this year's Wings of Hope a success!



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