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Gratitude for Glennwood, a gala celebration of Glennwood House, will be October 3 at The Ranch

Glennwood House of Laguna Beach is ready to celebrate the gift of independent living at its second annual *Gratitude for Glennwood* gala. Save the date and mark your calendars for a night to remember on the evening of Saturday, October 3, at The Ranch at Laguna Beach.



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The event will highlight the amazing achievements of this special home to young people with disabilities. There will be dining under the stars at the beautiful Ranch, plenty of friends, as well as a silent auction and other fundraising opportunities to continue and grow this unique assisted independent home. Glennwood House of Laguna Beach opened its doors on August 23rd, 2013 to fifty young adults with physical and developmental disabilities. For many of them, it was their first opportunity to live independently in a loving community offering special programs, social involvement and assisted living. Today Glennwood has truly become a family home, where the residents have made lasting friendships,

and the staff and greater community have encouraged and welcomed them. These young people have learned and thrived, all while enjoying the good life as independent citizens in the wonderful community of Laguna Beach. As a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, Glennwood Housing Foundation counts on the support of the community, its constituents, and its volunteers to help make this event a success. Come out and support Glennwood House while you enjoy a fantastic party. Individual tickets are \$150, and there are sponsorship opportunities for tables.

Funds raised at the *Gratitude for Glennwood* will help maintain successful operations into Glennwood's third year and set up a scholarship fund for some less fortunate residents through the fund at the Laguna Beach Community Foundation.

There are Sponsorships and underwriting opportunities including: A Table for 8 to 10 people (Limited availability for tables of 10), Platinum, Ruby, and Diamond Sponsors will receive a full page ad in the event program; Pearl and Agate Sponsors receive a Half Page ad in their Event Program Recognition at the event and in the program brochure with logo placement in the gala marketing.

For information about sponsorship, underwriting, and for tickets, contact Kris Howson at (949) 280-0921, k.howson@cox.net, or visit www.glennwoodhousing.org