Spring Newsletter 2016

Spring has Sprung at Welcome Change Productions!

Check out what the Welcome Change team has been up to!

Some of the *ACTIVATE HERE!* cast was invited to the 2016 NYSACRA conference in New York. Gerald, Carrie, and Diana got the chance to present the film. They shared with the audience different ways to use the videos and how to be a self advocate!

Diana's Dinner Party

While Diana was in town for the NYSACRA conference, Alice held a dinner party for Diana's friend's in New York. Mary Liz even played a couple of songs she wrote for the musical version of *Body&Soul: Diana & Kathy* that she is currently working on!

Alice Visits Cuba

Last month Alice took a trip to Cuba to present her films *Body & Soul* and *The Collector of Bedford Street*. While she was there she visited and talked to group of mothers with children with disabilities who want to start an organization similar to The Arc.

Welcome Change Productions is being honored this year by being selected to receive the AAIDD's 2016 Media Award. This award recognizes significant contributions in depicting Americans with disabilities in a positive light. Alice will be traveling down to Atlanta in June to accept the award for Welcome Change Productions. If you're a member of the AAIDD and are interested in starting a Media Committee get in touch with Alice!

Hope you are enjoying the beautiful weather! We enjoy keeping our followers up to date with everything that is happening here at Welcome Change. If you like receiving updates also subscribe to our trusted source. Trusted Source is a free monthly newsletter from featuring a piece of exemplary media on life with a disability.

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