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MVP Health Care presents

The 14th Annual Great Pumpkin Challenge to Benefit Saratoga Bridges

MVP Health Care presents the 14th Annual Great Pumpkin Challenge will be held rain or shine at 9:30am on Saturday, October 18 at the Columbia Pavilion in the Saratoga Spa State Park. A great community event, it is **LIMITED to 2,000 REGISTRANTS** and will feature 5K & 10K races as well as a Children's Fun Run. All proceeds benefit **Saratoga Bridges'** programs and services.

Long-sleeve Moisture Wicking shirts and free raffle tickets are given to everyone who registers by October 1st. ****IMPORTANT**** There is **NO DAY OF** Registration. 5K/10K Fees: \$25 (*prior to 10/1*); \$28 (*prior to 10/18*) Kids Fun Run Fee: \$5 (*12 & under*).

In addition to the 5K, 10K and Children's Fun Run, the event will include NET Chip Timing, Disposable Bibs/Chips, give-a-ways from sponsors like MVP Health Care and others, homemade refreshments, food and drinks from these sponsors Price Chopper, Cabot, Dunkin' Donuts, Clif Bar and others, favorite pumpkin and costume contests and many raffle prizes. A prize of a \$250 Price Chopper Gift Card will be awarded to the person who raises the most money for Saratoga Bridges through pledges.

Online registration, course maps and parking information can be found at --
<http://www.saratogabridges.org/fundraising-events/great-pumpkin-challenge/>

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If you are interested in becoming a sponsor for this event, please review their online sponsorship form or contact Heather Varney at 518.587.0723 ext. 1266 or email hvarney@saratogabridges.org for more information.

As one of the largest non-profit organizations in Saratoga County, Saratoga Bridges has been providing the highest level of services and programs to over 800 people with developmental disabilities and their families for more than 55 years by promoting their abilities and achievements. Throughout their history, they have been committed to ensuring that the individuals they serve are able to realize their goals, hopes and dreams as they work, shop, play, and volunteer throughout their communities while leading full, productive and contributing lives. This voluntary service provider believes that the care they give increases immeasurably the quality of life for every citizen. Saratoga Bridges' philosophy is that every day is full of possibilities!

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