



zabs place

ZABS Different *on* PURPOSE

10 YEAR GALA

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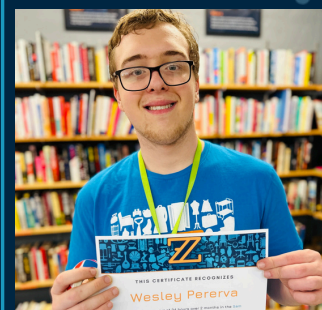
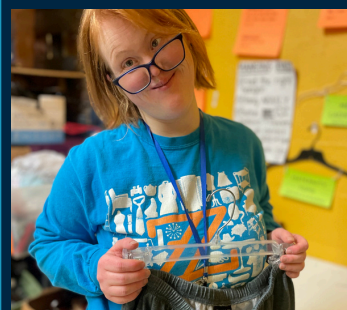
Corporate Partnership Presentation





Join us for an unforgettable evening,
celebrating a **decade of empowerment**

November 16, 2025 at 6PM
PINE, 4100 Raleigh St. 28206



ZABS Place has transformed 250+ lives by empowering adults with special talents to recognize their unique abilities and pursue interest-based employment throughout the community.

What is ZABS Place?



Established in 2014, ZABS Place opened to shift the paradigm of "employability" and create interest and talent-based employment for individuals with developmental differences.



We believe we're all **different on purpose** and have a unique role to play in this world. No one is extra and everyone has something important to offer.

A Decade of Realizing Potential



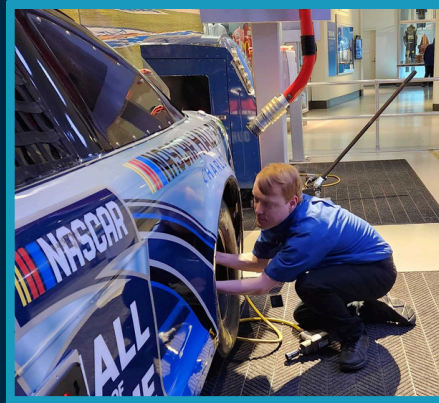
Job Training

Over 250 individuals
with special talents
have trained at ZABS
Place.



Job Placement & Employment

Over 100 graduates placed in a
meaningful, interest-based job across
50 partnering businesses



ZABSprenneur Incubator

21 specially talented
entrepreneurs have
launched or grown their
own micro-business at
ZABS Place.

Keynote: Dr. Temple Grandin

World-renowned advocate for autism

Animal behavior expert.

A Time Magazine “100 Most Influential People In The World.”

Best-selling Author of *Thinking in Pictures*, *The Autistic Brain*, and 25 other books.

Subject of HBO's *Temple Grandin* film.



Celebrating Different on Purpose

Talent Stories

Meet our inspiration

Dinner

Elegant comfort food

Keynote Address

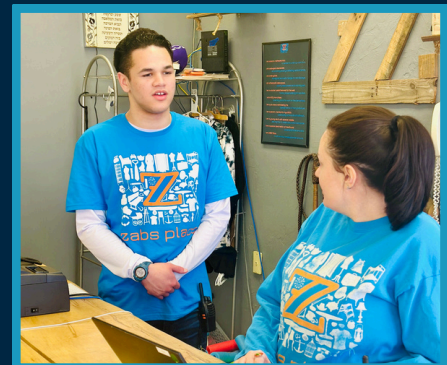
A woman who embraced Different to realize her purpose

Partner Stories

Highlighting businesses who dared to be Different

Looking Ahead

Honoring you and our supporters who choose to be Different on Purpose.



Sponsorship Opportunities

PRESENTING SPONSOR: \$10,000

- ✓ Named as Presenting Sponsor
- ✓ Logo on all marketing, signage, event screens, & ZABS Place website.
- ✓ VIP Table for 10
- ✓ Subject line mention to 7K+ email recipients & 4K+ social media followers
- ✓ Pre-event VIP Reception

OPPORTUNITY SPONSOR: \$5,000

- ✓ Prominent Logo Placement on event signage, screens, & website
- ✓ Pre-event VIP Reception
- ✓ VIP Table for 8
- ✓ Mention to 7K+ email recipients & 4K+ social media followers

Sponsorship Opportunities

TALENT SPONSOR: \$3,600

- ✓ 4 Tickets
- ✓ Logo on event signage & website
- ✓ Mention to 4K+ social media followers
- ✓ 4 handmade ZABSprenneur gifts

ABILITY SPONSOR: \$1,800

- ✓ 2 Tickets
- ✓ Logo on event signage
- ✓ Mention to 4K+ social media followers
- ✓ 2 handmade ZABSprenneur gifts

Sponsor

Your Support Makes a Difference

1. Enables us to grow and serve more ZABS Talent.
2. Scales our ZABSpreneur program to offer more opportunities and increased customer exposure.
3. Bolsters our business network and boosts our interest-based job placement success rate.
4. Expands our brand reach & ZABS influence – creating a more inclusive, ability-oriented, community.



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