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## The Ability Center Fall Fitness Spectacular Receives Support from NV Energy Foundation to Help Empower People with Disabilities

Community support included: NV Energy Foundation, Congresswoman Susie Lee, Senator Cortez Masto, Vegas Chamber, Vegas Golden Knights, and Las Vegas Aviators

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**LAS VEGAS** – On Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, The Ability Center Fall Fitness Spectacular gained wide community support to help people with disabilities develop their natural abilities and essential skills to live independent lives.

During the event, The Ability Center received a \$5,000 check from the NV Energy Foundation to help further its mission. The Ability Center also recognized sponsors: **SilverSummit Healthplan**; **State Farm**; **Tree of Life Dispensary**; and **Accelerated Learning Clinic** for their outstanding commitment.

"We are proud to support the only gym of its kind in Nevada that is dedicated to serving those with disabilities," said Angel Williams, NV Energy Community Relations Manager. "Through the



power of exercise, The Ability Center helps its participants to discover new strength, ability, and confidence to live their best lives."

To show their support, Congresswoman Susie Lee; Hector Lizaola, Senator Cortez Masto Representative; and program participants, Colin and Madison; joined Art Goldberg, Vegas Chamber Business Development Officer for an inspirational Ribbon Cutting.

With an opportunity for children to play hockey with **Chance** of the **Vegas Golden Knights** and **Spruce** of the **Las Vegas Aviators**, this family-fun, interactive event included fitness-themed activities, games, community resource booths, and giveaways.

Chris Salas, Founder of The Ability Center shared why the organization was formed. "The Ability Center was born out of the need in Southern Nevada," shared Chris. "I dedicate my time and energy because families are asking me to expand the services so more people with disabilities can be empowered to live their best lives."

To learn more and donate to help empower people with disabilities, visit AbilityCenterNV.org.

## **About The Ability Center of Southern Nevada:**

With a goal to empower, enhance, and increase the natural ability of those with physical, mental, and developmental disabilities, The Ability Center is the only gym of its kind in Southern Nevada. Featuring a Sensory Fitness Center, this unique gym experience with motivating coaches and tailored equipment helps individuals to develop their natural abilities and essential skills to live independent lives. Through the power of exercise, The Ability Center empowers its members to discover new strength, ability, and confidence to live their best lives. We invite you to join us and help those with intellectual and developmental disabilities to thrive. Give today at AbilityCenterNV.org.

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