



We are pleased to announce our second annual awards breakfast on Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017 and we invite you to be a sponsor!

The event, Yes She Can **Advocates for Adults with Autism Awards** will take place at Manhattanville College in Purchase, NY, from 8-10 am.

**Your sponsorship will not only help to fund the event, but will let our community know your commitment to helping young adults with autism achieve their potential.**

**Ron and Cornelia Suskind** will be our honorees. The keynote will be delivered by Ron Suskind, Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist and author. His best-selling book, **Life, Animated** was created into an award-winning film and chronicles his family's twenty year struggles and successes with their son Owen's autism.

We will also be honoring **Lesli Cattan**, LMSW, who has been a Westchester advocate, providing services to people with developmental disabilities for more than 25 years including her leadership roles at Westchester County Department of Community Mental Health and Westchester Jewish Community Services.

Our self-advocate honoree is **Amy Gravino**, a college coach for students with ASD, and a frequent writer and video blogger, and TED presenter about her perspective and experiences as a young woman on the autism spectrum.

The proceeds from the event will help support Yes She Can, a unique nonprofit, based in White Plains, that young women with autism develop job skills leading to employment. Yes She Can operates Girl AGain, a resale boutique for American Girl dolls, where trainees learn and practice work tasks, business processes and social skills that are necessary in the workforce. These skills are not taught in school. Our program fills this void and provides the necessary stepping stone between school and a successful work placement.

Attached is information about the sponsorship levels and benefits, as well as a sponsorship form that you can complete and return. With your help, more young adults will gain the training and skills they need to transition to the working world.

Thank you very much for your support.

Sincerely yours,

Marjorie Madfis, President  
Yes She Can Inc. Tax ID: 46-4224215



## **Advocates for Adults with Autism Awards Sponsorships**

**Tuesday March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Platinum = \$5000**

- 1 premium table at the event (10 seats)
- Full page color ad on back outside cover of the journal
- Acknowledgement from podium
- Logo on event signage and promotions
- Information table at event
- Permanent logo on Yes She Can website
- Guest blog post on Yes She Can website
- Video interview on Yes She Can YouTube channel

### **Gold = \$ 2500**

- 1 preferred table at the event (10 seats)
- Full page ad inside journal
- Acknowledgement from podium
- Logo on event signage
- Guest blog post on Yes She Can website

### **Silver = \$1000**

- 5 seats at preferred table
- half page ad in journal
- Logo on event signage

### **Bronze = \$500**

- 2 seats at preferred table
- quarter page ad inside journal

All sponsors will be featured in our public relations and communications including social media leading up to the event and post event.



**Yes, I would like to sponsor Advocates for Adults with Autism Awards at the following level:**

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Or check made out to Yes She Can Inc. and mail

Please send logo and journal ad to Gail Chen [gailchen5@gmail.com](mailto:gailchen5@gmail.com) or call 914-552-1298 for her assistance with your ad.

For Platinum or Gold level sponsorship Marjorie Madfis will contact you to discuss guest blog.