

Shawangunk winery tour will help people with disabilities

MARLBORO - The Shawangunk Wine Trail is hosting "Share in the Harvest" a wine tasting event to benefit Abilities First on Nov. 22. More than a fund-raising event, this is an opportunity to explore some of the award-winning wines of the Hudson Valley. Participants will enjoy wine tasting at local wineries, including the oldest winery in America (Brotherhood Winery) and the oldest vineyard in America (Slate Hill Vineyards at Benmarl Winery), and purchase local wines

for the upcoming holidays while helping to support people with disabilities in the community. This will be a self-guided wine tasting at 10 of the Shawangunk Wine Trail member wineries in Ulster and Orange counties: Adair Vineyards, Applewood Winery, Baldwin Vineyards, Benmarl Vineyards, Brimstone Hill Vineyards, Brotherhood Winery, Glorie Farm Winery, Palaia Vineyard, Warwick Valley Winery & Distillery and Whitecliff Vineyards.

Tickets are \$50 each and are limited

to the first 100 reservations. For more information, call (845) 256-8456.

Abilities First Inc. is a nonprofit organization that provides a wide range of educational, vocational, residential and clinical programs and services to more than 2,000 people with disabilities of all ages and their families, in the Mid Hudson Valley region. All proceeds from this event will support the Abilities First, Inc. endowment fund, which exists to assure the future financial well being of the organization.