

## **Shocktober Opens its Doors for Two Nights in FEARbruary!**

LEESBURG, Virginia – January 19, 2018 – **Shocktober's Paxton Manor** will open its doors for its fourth annual My Bloody Valentine event, two nights in February the weekend before Valentine's Day: Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> and Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup>! It is Shocktober in ... FEARbruary – new this year, the Carver characters are looking for dates for the Valentine's Day Dance Massacre, a terrifying twist to your typical Valentine's date! Doors open at 7pm and the last tickets are sold at 10pm on Friday and Saturday.

This year we have amazing community partnerships and sponsorships including our own BLOOD red wine, "My Bloody Valentine Wine," that is locally produced by **Tarara Winery** in collaboration with Shocktober, on sale this FEARbruary at our My Bloody Valentine 2-night event. Shocktober merchandise is also available to purchase online and on site. We also thank **Visit Loudoun**, our tourism destination sponsor.

**Dates:** Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup>

**Hours:** Friday and Saturday: 7pm-10pm

**Location:** 601 Catocin Circle, NE, Leesburg, Virginia 20176

**Cost:** ONLINE ONLY SPECIAL: \$60 for 2 people "*Couples Pass*" for My Bloody Valentine at Paxton Manor; General Admission \$35 (online only) \$40 (at the door) for one person. Group discounts available online only.

Although known for its frightening PG-13 tours among thrill-seekers and locals, all proceeds from **Shocktober's My Bloody Valentine** benefit The Arc of Loudoun at Paxton Campus, a full-service, non-profit organization dedicated to serving children with disabilities and their families, as well as helping children of all abilities thrive in our community.

Located in Leesburg, Virginia, the historic Paxton Campus has been serving children and families in need for 90 years. In 1967, a group of parents whose children had special needs formed The Arc of Loudoun, a 501(c)3 organization, to start a preschool for their children when no one else would. Since then, The Arc of Loudoun at Paxton Campus has grown into a full-service organization with multiple programs that together provide an integrated and innovative learning environment for children of all ages and abilities.

For more information, visit [www.shocktober.org](http://www.shocktober.org) or contact Morgan Payne, Marketing and Communications Coordinator of The Arc of Loudoun at Paxton Campus, at [mpayne@paxtoncampus.org](mailto:mpayne@paxtoncampus.org) or by phone at 703.777.1939 ext 106.

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