

Able Trust gala has Russian theme

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The 11th annual Able Trust gala took guests on a cultural history trip.

Themed Royal Russia: A Celebration of the Able Trust Dynasty, the March 21 event at The Mar-a-Lago Club featured a range of inspirations — from glittering, imperial St. Petersburg to the village life of Siberia and Irkutsk.

Paul Martinelli was chairman of the black-tie evening, which included dinner and a live auction.

The Able Trust, also known as Florida Governor's Alliance for the Employment of Citizens with Disabilities, is a 501 (c)(3) public-private partnership foundation. Established by the legislature in 1990, its mission is to provide Floridians with disabilities fair employment opportunities through fundraising, grant programs, public awareness and education.



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Paul and Kelly Martinelli

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