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**Event:**           **The 3rd Annual “Overcomer” Luncheon featuring Shonda Schilling**

Fundraising event for Autism Project of Palm Beach County and Potentia Academy

**When:**           Thursday, November 17, 2016 – 11:00am

**Where:**          National Croquet Center, 700 Florida Mango Rd., West Palm Beach, FL 33406

**What:**           Join us for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual “Overcomer” Luncheon and meet author of *The Best Kind of Different*. Shonda Schilling will be the celebrity guest speaker for the Luncheon to benefit Autism Project of Palm Beach County and Potentia Academy. Shonda Schilling fans and supporters of the benefitting charities will enjoy a silent auction with hors d’oeuvres, and a delicious luncheon. Shonda will address the group and will also do a book signing. In her book, the wife of Major League Baseball All Star, Curt Schilling, shares the story of their son’s Asperger’s Syndrome, how it changed their lives, and what other parents can learn about this increasingly common diagnosis. This event is sponsored by Palm Beach Kennel Club and Wayne Akers Ford.

**Cost:**            Sponsorship packages are available. Individual tickets cost \$175 each. To become a part of this event go to our website by clicking the link below and print out the form:

<http://www.rooneysgolffoundation.org/>

**Registration:**   [info@rooneysgolffoundation.org](mailto:info@rooneysgolffoundation.org) 561-683-2222 x142 or x146

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**More Info:**

**Autism Project of Palm Beach County (APPBC)** is a parent sponsored, non-profit organization incorporated to generate funding for services, resources, and education to improve the lives of individuals with autism spectrum disorders and their families.

**Potentia Academy** is a private school dedicated to providing a high quality education to children with special learning needs. Potentia offers a safe and nurturing environment in which students can be challenged to reach their full learning potential. A key aspect of our approach is our commitment to small class sizes, which allows our teachers to insure that each student receives maximum attention.

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