Adaptive Umbrella

Wondering what to offer kids with different needs in the library, the classroom, or at home? Not sure how to interact with this growing population? Answers to these questions and more will be given by professionals in the field at this daylong workshop.





We thank the Friends of the Bloomfield Township Public Library for their continuing support of services to youth with special needs.





A workshop for adults working with kids who have special needs

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Wednesday April 30, 2014

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.





Laurel Falvo, CFLE, CETS

Founder and President of Social Incites, LLC and former Director of The Gray Center for Social Learning and Understanding. She is a Certified Family Life Educator and a Certified Employment Training Specialist.

Meghan Robertson, Deaf & Hard of Hearing Teacher Sarah Malcolm, Lead Interpreter (Bloomfield Hills Schools)

Katie Mann, Certified Teacher and Sign Language Instructor Co-founder and CEO (4th Wall Theatre Company)

Jen Taggart,

Assistant Department Head, Youth Services (Bloomfield Township Public Library)

Open Forum panel: Jen Taggart, Jacque Viol (Kent District Library), Katie Mitchell (Saline District Library), Cindy Merten and Joanne Blair (First Presbyterian Church Birmingham: All Abilities Inclusion Ministries)

Program

8:45 - 9:00 a.m. **Registration**

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. **Laurel Falvo**Inclusion of kids on the autism spectrum

10:30 - 10:45 a.m.

Break

10:45 - 11:45 a.m.

Meghan Robertson & Sarah Malcolm Inclusion of kids who are deaf or hard of hearing

11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. iPad apps demo (Jen Taggart)

12:15 - 1:15 p.m.

Lunch

(*Optional lunch from Panera)

1:15 - 2:15 p.m.

Katie Mann

Inclusive theater workshops

2:15 - 2:30 p.m.

Break

2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Open Forum: "In the Trenches" Panel of forum leaders will answer questions about special needs collections, adapted or inclusive programming, tips for the inclusive

classroom and more! 3:30 p.m.

Door Prize winners announced and Tour of the BTPL's Special Needs Collection and Youth Room

Registration Form

| Name: |
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| Title: |
| Organization: |
| Address: |
| City/State/Zip Code: |
| Email: |
| Phone: |
| Workshop fee: \$15.00 Yes, I would like a lunch! (Fee for lunch is \$10.00.) Choice of Lunch Boxes from: Sierra Turkey Mediterranean Veggie |
| Greek Salad |
| Space is limited. Registration is due by April 16 . |
| Total amount enclosed: |
| Please return this form and remittance payable |

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