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IEP Time!

We are coming into the “busy” time for annual IEP reviews. You want to be prepared when you go into your child’s IEP meeting so check out this link for excellent information on accommodations/modifications to your child’s IEP: www.createdbyteachers.com/modchecklist.html. Another great website you shouldn’t miss is www.wrightslaw.com, which will give you plenty of information regarding the legalities of an IEP. And finally, we have many members with real life experience, who are very helpful, just ask. Visit our SEPTA facebook GROUP page with any questions you might have. Our members are knowledgeable.

Mini Grant!

SEPTA awarded our first mini grant of the year to Ms. Dawn Kelly, at Hartwood Elementary School! Ms. Kelly was chosen from a very qualified pool of nominees. Our SEPTA members nominated over half dozen dedicated special education teachers and professionals. Our SEPTA will be awarding two more mini grants this year to our Stafford special education teachers and staff who exemplify commitment to our students and their schools. Be on the lookout for an upcoming nomination request and congratulations to Ms. Kelly and her team!



SEPTA Music Benefit!

SEPTA is proud to be planning an upcoming music benefit in June, with proceeds going to support SCPS special education teachers, staff and programs. We have requested a survey be sent out to all special education teachers, para’s, and administration via SCPS. The survey results will help us to better direct the proceeds where the needs are the greatest. Please take a moment to respond to the survey and forward this survey link to your child’s teacher. The survey is only 3 questions and can be found here: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/3VPHYHM> We are looking for volunteers to assist us in all aspects of this event, please contact Dali Burgado at daliburgado@gmail.com for more information.

SEAC Extra Mile and Buddy Awards:

The Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) is seeking nominations for Extra Mile & Buddy Awards. We want to recognize those individuals who go above and beyond in supporting our students with disabilities. Submitting a nomination is easy! Simply write a letter sharing why you believe this special person stands out. The letter should be neatly handwritten or typed and mailed to the following address: Special Education Advisory Committee, C/O Parent Resource Center, 37 Stafford Ave. Stafford, VA 22554, Or e-mailed to: prc@staffordschools.net

Top Soccer Begins at the F’bug Fieldhouse

Who: Any child or young adult with a disability aged 4 – 19, siblings are welcome to participate as buddies. Players may come to any or ALL of the seven sessions and may start at any time. Cost: FREE (costs are offset by local sponsors) Registration: Registration takes place at the Fredericksburg Field House upon your arrival for your player’s first TOPSoccer session. Please email Toby about a week before the first session that you plan on attending as it will allow us to better plan and will enable us to contact you with all later schedule updates. Please ask questions by eMailing Toby @ Toby_Brown@cox.net.



SEPTA Board Meetings

* = General Membership Meeting

All meetings to be held at Stafford Hospital Center

March 11	Private Dining Room	7:30 - 9:00
April 08	Private Dining Room	7:30 - 9:00
May 13	Private Dining Room	7:30 - 9:00
June 10	Private Dining Room	7:30 - 9:00

Upcoming Events

- 21 March: KD Kids World 5pm—8pm
- 24 March: CiCi’s Pizza Fundraiser 5pm—8pm
- 21 April: CiCi’s Pizza Fundraiser 5pm—8pm

PLEASE VISIT US ONLINE AT WWW.STAFFORDSEPTA.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION ON PROGRAMS, MEETINGS AND MEMBERSHIP – SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO JOIN SEPTA.



Executive Board:

- President: Dali Burgado
- President-Elect: Vacant
- Treasurer—Marilyn Matula
- Secretary— Vacant

Don’t forget to check out the Parent Resource Center and the disAbility Resource Center for upcoming workshops!

You can find Stafford SEPTA on-line www.StaffordSepta.com



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