#### **INFORMATION REQUEST**

Free membership is open to all. This form allows us to place you on the e-mail distribution list so that you will be notified of upcoming workshops and meeting topics.

If you would like to receive information please complete the below information and drop it off at the front desk or email <a href="mailto:SSCPSSEPAC@GMAIL.COM">SSCPSSEPAC@GMAIL.COM</a> indicate if you have a preferred communication method.

#### **NAME**

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# SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (SEPAC)

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For parents/guardians and educational professionals with children from Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

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### WHAT IS SEPAC?

SEPAC is a parent advisory council established to assist parents/guardians and families of children with learning differences and special needs. We seek to enhance the services and supports needed for children so they can thrive and reach their full potential both academically and socially.

SEPAC works in collaboration with the Director of Learning Services and legislators in order to advocate for and promote a successful educational and social environment for children with special needs. SEPAC also works to obtain information and support that will empower families to influence change on a personal and community level.

#### WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

Communication and understanding is the goal of SEPAC. SEPAC is designed to provide an open forum for parents/guardians to exchange ideas and develop ways in which to cope.

We share solutions to complex and challenging issues. We help to educate ourselves and support each other as we encounter these issues.

Come to a meeting or a Workshop to see what SEPAC is all about. If you are unable to attend either but would like to talk to a member please feel free to contact any of the Board members.



- \* Provide input and feedback regarding your child's special education services.
- \* Meet other parents with children who are socially isolated or who may have sensory, learning, attention, social, behavioral or other unique challenges.
- \* Learn to be a more effective advocate for your child.
- \* Become more informed of the special education laws and upcoming legislation affecting your child.
- \* Give recommendations to the Director of Learning Services to discuss how to enhance and support services.
- \* Network with other parents/guardians.
- \* Share advice and information with others who understand the issues and concerns you and your family may be facing.

#### **MEETING SCHEDULE**

# All Meetings & Workshops 7:00pm

#### October 22, 2013

Basic Rights Workshop @ SSCPS Presented by Matt Tondorf

# **November 19, 2013**

Introduction to Social Thinking
Workshop @ SSCPS
Presented by Jessica Zutaut & Michelle Gallagher

#### **December 17, 2013**

Social Thinking - Zones of Regulation Workshop @ SSCPS Presented by Carol Wise

# **January 21, 2014**

43 Townsend Street, Rockland

# February no meeting

# March 18, 2014

43 Townsend Street, Rockland

# **April 15, 2014**

43 Townsend Street, Rockland

## May 20, 2014

Nutrition Workshop @ SSCPS Presented by Adrienne McDougall

# June 17, 2014

43 Townsend Street, Rockland

Meetings are open to everyone, however, only members with a child or children on an IEP or 504 will have voting privileges.