

## Brockton Special Education Advisory Council (SEPAC)

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### Workshop Schedule – 2010-2011 School Year

September 8, 2010

#### **Welcome Back**

Meet & Greet Special Education Administrators. Discuss transitioning to a new school or classroom and how we all can make the school year successful. Learn about a typical day in various programs.  
Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

September 22, 2010

#### **Basic Rights Workshop**

Presentation of State and Federal law as it pertains to Special Education presented by the Federation for Children with Special Needs.  
Brockton Library, 304 Main Street - 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

October 19, 2010

#### **RTI – Response to Intervention**

##### **\*Co-Sponsored with Parents Academy\***

Interventions implemented in the classroom for struggling students to help get them to grade level. Learn how Brockton implements RTI, how parents are informed about a child's intervention, progress and what questions you as a parent need to ask about RTI.  
Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

November 17, 2010

#### **Transition and Secondary Planning**

Planning and IEPs for students ages 14 and up.  
Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

December 15, 2010

#### **OPEN MEETING – Q&A**

This meeting will provide an opportunity for you to ask Questions with the Special Education Administration.  
Brockton Library, 304 Main Street - 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

January 27, 2011

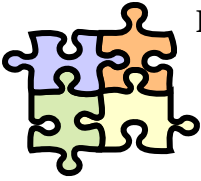
#### **Behavior Support**

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Managing challenging behaviors in the classroom. How to work collaboratively with your child's teacher to provide Positive Behavior support in school and at home.  
Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

**New!** Join us on FACEBOOK – Brockton Special Education Advisory Council,

*For additional SEPAC information or workshop details, visit our website at <http://www.brocktonpublicschools.com/sepac> or E-Mail [sepac@bpsma.org](mailto:sepac@bpsma.org)*



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February 16, 2011

### **Effective Advocacy / Mock IEP**

Learn techniques to effectively advocate and work with your child's team. A Mock IEP will be presented with opportunities to ask questions during the presentation.

Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

March 16, 2011

### **Educational Testing**

Did you ever wonder what types of testing are done to evaluate your child for special education services or even why certain tests were chosen? Ever feel intimidated when reading your child's evaluations? This workshop will provide an overview of what tests are available and what you as a parent can ask to gain more knowledge about what the tests means for your child.

Brockton Library, 304 Main Street - 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

April 13, 2011

### **ADHD - Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder**

**\*Co-Sponsored with Parents Academy\***

Learn how to work effectively with your child's team to ensure positive outcomes in the classroom and at home.

Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

May 19, 2011

### **RESOURCE FAIR & Officer Elections**

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Arnone School, 135 Belmont Street - 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**New!** Peer Led Study Groups **New!**

Join us for a study Group using Wrights Law Special Education Law and Advocacy Training Program. (No material purchases are required for the group.)

- ✚ Special Education Law, rights & responsibilities
- ✚ Test & Measurements
- ✚ Smart IEPs
- ✚ Strategies for Effective Advocacy

Contact us at [SEPAC@bpsma.org](mailto:SEPAC@bpsma.org) for dates and locations.

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