

Barnstable Public Schools

Special Education Parent Advisory Council

Meeting – Tuesday, April 24, 2018 Barnstable Intermediate School ~ Library/Media Center 895 Falmouth Road (Rt. 28), Hyannis

5:45 SEPAC Meeting

Discussion with Parents – Comments/Concerns Voting for 2018-19 SEPAC Officers

6:30 Presentation – Writing & Implementing Standardsbased, Inclusive IEPs

Child care is provided ~ Pizza & drinks served

WRITING & IMPLEMENTING STANDARDS-BASED INCLUSIVE IEPS

A Workshop for Parents and Professionals

presented by:

Dr. Cheryl Jorgensen, Ph.D., Inclusive Education Consultant

All involved in Barnstable Public Schools are encouraged to attend.

This workshop is designed to help parents, educators, and administrators write and implement standards-based, inclusive IEPs. Dr. Jorgensen will provide examples using universal design strategies for successfully meeting student IEP goals and for providing meaningful inclusive classrooms.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Cheryl M. Jorgensen is an inclusive education consultant after being a project director with the Institute on Disability at the University of New Hampshire. She was the director of research, personnel preparation, model demonstration, and in-service training grants totaling over \$12 million. Dr. Jorgensen was a founder of the National Center on Inclusive Education, UNH's Teacher Certification Program in Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities, and the Graduate Certificate in Autism Spectrum Disorders.

Dr. Jorgensen has worked with public school teachers, parents, and administrators to increase their commitment to and capacity for including students with developmental disabilities in general education classrooms and to restructure schools to welcome all students. She is the co-author of several books on inclusion—*High Expectations: Beyond Access Model* and *Facilitator's Inclusion Guide*.

In 2008, Dr. Jorgensen received an award from the National Down Syndrome Congress for her contributions to inclusive education research.