

Methuen SE PAC

***Special Ed Parent
Advisory Council***



**Helping All
Children Reach for
the Stars**

What is Methuen SEPAC (Special Education Parent Advisory Council)

Our Special Education Parent Advisory Council is a volunteer organization committed to making a positive impact on special education by:

1. Meeting regularly with school officials to be a part of the process, in the planning, development and implementation of the school district's special education programs. Consulting and working with local government committees and departments.
2. Providing accurate information to parents, caregivers and others, regarding special education laws.
3. Valuable resource on activities, programs and more for special education students and their families.
4. Working with other sepac's and organizations to further strengthen our mission of helping all children reach for the stars.

What is available through Methuen SEPAC

Our CHAT, (COME, HANG OUT, AND TALK) will be held at Nevins Library and Manns Orchard and look for our new schedule on facebook and through gmail blasts.

Look for our calendar to provide more info.

Children's and teens events that help bridge the gap between special needs community and the typical world, which we are working hard to close. Attend our Xbox Night's, Story Time/ Craft with Miss. Kathy at Nevins, Lowell Spinners Night our High School Prom Haircut and Styling and more Freebie Haircuts coming courtesy of Fabulous Hairstylist Ana and SEPAC. Building Alliances and friendships with local businesses to help keep Methuen strong and moving forward. Making our SEPAC families and friends aware of new and unfamiliar organizations and businesses and resources.

Over 300 +email members and growing

Holiday Craft Fair at Nevins Memorial Library

Our Signature event, Methuen SEPAC Recreational and Resource Fair

We are always looking for fresh eyes, new ideas and as always we count on you to help us grow, climb the ladder a little higher...Remember to help us help all kids!!!

**Join us at one of our
fun events!!**



**A list of valuable resources to
inform and assist:**

**ARC Haverhill/Gr Newburyport
www.thearcofghn.org**

DESE www.doc.mass.edu

FCSN fcsn.org

MASS HEALTH www.mass.gov

SpAN spanadvocacy.org

Exceptional Lives exceptionallives.org

MASS Down Syndrome Cong. mdsc.org

AANE www.aane.org

**Methuen SEPAC attends all open houses
so, don't forget to stop by and provide
your email address and see what we have
been up to.**

**We hold informative monthly meetings
which feature guest speakers from
several established organizations whose
focus is providing strategies for
special needs families. Visit & like our
Facebook page for detailed schedules
and current happenings throughout the
school year. Check out our ever evolving
website.**



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Please support our many local businesses & organizations
Mano's Pizzeria, Walmart, Target, Methuen Fire and Police Dept, Launch Trampoline Park, Starbucks, Kannan and Pricone Plumbing, Manns Orchards, MB Tractor and Equipment Lowell Spinners, Center for Performing Arts, Orange Leaf Frozen Yogurt, Dental Health Prof., Changs Taekwondo America, Methuen Karate Association, Chef Co, , Doug Flutie JR Foundation for Autism, Ana Estrella, Hair Stylist, The Sewing Diva Quilt Shop , Care.com, , Windrush Farm, Jan Hanson MA. AMC Movie Theaters, Ellas' Way, and many more....

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Don't forget our popular craft fair in November our signature spring event Recreational and Resource Fair in April.

