



Understanding Siblings of Children with Disabilities

The sibling relationship is often the longest lasting relationship of our lives. Dr. Joan Blaska will remind us of the potential positive effects for siblings who grow up with a brother or sister with special needs. Let's hear what the siblings are telling us so we can be supportive of their needs as well as the needs of our children with disabilities.

I was privileged to hear Joan present when my daughters were younger—I sincerely believe this presentation impacted our family in a positive way and has made a tremendous difference in our lives. You won't want to miss this outstanding opportunity—Cindy Owen—Arc Midstate

Dr. Blaska is a professor emeritus from St. Cloud State University. Her main areas of research have been understanding the emotional impact of rearing a child with a disability and incorporating children's literature that have characters with a disability or illness into the school curriculum

Saturday March 28th

Time: 10 AM - 12 Noon

**Location: Love of Christ Church
5488 County Road 120 - St. Cloud
(1 Mile West of Hennen's Furniture)**

**Limited free on site child care for children under 12 yrs available;
advanced reservations required; you will be given a confirmation number
Registration Fee \$5 individual - maximum \$7 per family. Scholarships Available
Please register by March 24th Refreshments provided**



Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Enclosed is payment \$5 per individual \$7 per family _____ Parent scholarship requested: ___Yes ___No

I am requesting a reservation for child care? Yes ___ No ___ (Limited to children 12 yr or younger) **By March 24th**

Children's Names and Ages _____

Describe needs of child with special needs: _____

Allergies _____ other _____

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