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SUPPORT Report

VIRTUAL

Out of Care / Kinship Providers Drop in

Wednesday June 17
8:00-9:00 PM (PST) &

Tuesday July 7
1000 - 11:00 AM (PST)

Zoom ID: 858 3771 6954

SOCIAL THINKING

LET'S CHECK IN WITH THE ZONES

"Turn behavior reminders into positive moments for building self-awareness with a Zones Check-In! Join Leah Kuypers, founder and creator of The Zones of Regulation®, along with Zones expert and trainer, Elizabeth Sautter, for an engaging 60-minute session exploring the evolution of The Zones Check-In and overall framework—from inception to today's Digital Curriculum and supporting companion tools."

Why did the scarecrow win an award?

Because he was outstanding in his field.

AUTISM BC TALK

KNOW YOUR BENEFITS WITH LAUREN STINSON

Navigating the DTC, RDSP, and BC's New Disability Funding

"Major changes are coming to disability funding in BC, and this webinar is here to help you feel more supported, informed, and confident in what comes next. Join us to better understand your options and the supports available to you and your family.

Led by Lauren Stinson from Disability Alliance BC (DABC), this session will cover:

- The Disability Tax Credit (DTC), including new eligibility changes and application tips
- How to describe sensory, mental function, and other disability-related impacts on DTC applications
- What to do if a DTC application is denied
- BC's new disability funding programs for children and youth, replacing the Autism Funding Program
- The BC Children & Youth Disability Supplement
- The Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) and Canada Disability Benefit

Open to autistic adults, families, caregivers, self-advocates, professionals, and anyone interested in disability benefits and funding in BC.
No diagnosis required.

Virtual Webinar | FREE

June 16, 2026 | 6:00 to 8:00 PM PT

**Please note that this webinar will not be recorded, so we encourage you to attend live to benefit from the presentation and interactive Q&A."

To Register, click **HERE**

Social Learning Doesn't Take a Summer Break:

Resources to Support Growth All Season Long

"Summer brings sunshine, popsicles, and the relief of time off. But for many students and their parents, it can also bring a whole new set of challenges. Changes in routines, more unstructured time, travel, or just the emotional shift from "school mode" to "summer mode" can leave kids feeling off-balance.

The good news? Summer is a fantastic time to build social and self-awareness skills in a low-pressure environment. We've got great resources to guide you!

With these resources, and a little intention, even the summer months can help kids build self-awareness, social observation, and executive function skills."

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THE CHILD PSYCH PODCAST

THE INDOOR EPIDEMIC: WHAT WE'RE DOING TO KIDS WITHOUT REALIZING IT WITH DR. JOHN LAPUMA

Feeling Safer Behind Screens:
Why real-life Interactions Feels Harder

"Why Anxiety, Meltdowns, Sleep Problems, and Emotional Dysregulation May Have More to Do With Modern Childhood Than We Think
Children today are more anxious, overwhelmed, disconnected, and emotionally exhausted than ever before.
But what if one of the biggest threats to their mental health isn't something happening online…
It's what's missing offline?

In this incredibly powerful and emotional episode of the Child Psych Podcast, Dr. John La Puma joins us to unpack what he calls The Indoor Epidemic — the silent shift away from sunlight, outdoor play, movement, nature, boredom, independence, and real-world connection that is fundamentally changing childhood.
This conversation will likely make you see parenting — and modern life — differently."

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