# ATTENTION SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS

IN THE LORAIN/ ELYRIA AREA: LORAIN, ERIE, AND HURON COUNTIES

## ELASPA

### Meeting (Free!)

Date: Thursday, May 17<sup>th;</sup>

Time: 12:15 - 1:00 LUNCH; 1:00-3:00 Presentations/Panel

Discussion

Location: Midview Middle School, 37999 Capel Rd., Grafton (See

Map)

**Lunch is FREE for School Psychologists**; Others: \$5 each (No charge for the meeting.)

Please invite/bring with you any counselors, supervisors, work/study coordinators who might be interested.

12:15 - 1:00 LUNCH & ELASPA MEETING/ DISCUSSION: ETR Programs; Software, Programs., Apps; What have you learned from State Reviews of Spec. Educ. procedures and ETR's.

#### 1:00 - 3:00 Presentation

#### COUNTY EDUCATIONAL SERVICES - PANEL DISCUSSION - Q&A

#### Presenters will talk about:

How they can assist us; Services they can provide; Transition; What the agencies need from us.

Although they will talk about transition services, the discussion is <u>NOT</u> just for those of us working at the High School level.

JOHN BENDER, Murray Ridge Center: Intake Coordinator/Service & Support Administrator (SSA). Duties include intake/eligibility determination from age 3 and above, Transition planning for high school students, information/referral, service coordinator, case management.

John has a Master of Health & Human Services (MHHS) from Youngstown State University.

MARIELLA RAMALEY, Bureau for Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR). Mariella will discuss Eligibility and Order of Selection (E/OOS) and appropriate types of documentation needed to determine E/OOS.

Mariella (MRC, PS) is a Licensed Professional Counselor in Ohio. She has a B.A. in Psychology and a B.A. in Criminal Justice for Kent State University and a Master's Degree in Rehabilitation Counseling from Bowling Green St. Univ. She has been employed by Ohio Rehabilitation Services Commission, as a Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor for BVR since 2007.

JODY HASERODT and Lorain Community College, Office for Special Needs Services Team: Includes Learning Specialists, the Interim Coordinator for the Office for Special Needs Services, and dean of the department may attend. Team members focus on:

- \*Incorporating key components into the IEP and high school life to provide tangible transition goals.
- \*The differences between high school accommodations and college accommodations
- \*Process and services through Disability Support

KARI FOREMANN, State Support Team Region 2, Post-Secondary Transition Specialist. Kari will be talking and answering questions about transition, specifically age-appropriate transition assessments. She will be addressing issues to be aware of at all age/grade levels, not just high school.

Kari's background includes a BS in Speech Pathology/Audiology and a M.Ed. in Special Education, both from BGSU. She has experience as a BVR Counselor, and Intervention Specialist and Work-Study/Transition Coordinator, both with Elyria Schools.

\*\*So that we can have enough food, please contact Denise Eslinger if you are planning to attend. (You can still come for lunch even if you haven't called.)

Contact Denise at 440-476-6636 or desling@bgsu.edu

Directions: Capel Road runs between Grafton Rd. (US 57) and Durkee Rd. south of Rt 82 (Royalton Rd), north of downtown Grafton. From Elyria, take Rt 57 (South East Bypass), to Capel Road which goes East from Rt 57, just south of Rt 82.

Or: Take Rt 20 east to Rt 57 (Grafton Rd.) Exit on Rt 57 Grafton Rd., South towards Grafton. Past Route 82, Left of Capel Road.

Or: Take Lorain Rd, freeway Rt 10 to Rt 57 exit South on Rt 57, Grafton Rd. Follow directions above

Midview Middle School is the second school building (on the right) on Capel Road when you are traveling East on Capel. It is only a few minutes from the Rt 57, and Rt. 82 intersection.