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National Sibling Day

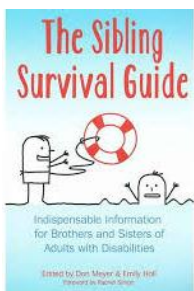
to honor siblings of people with disabilities

Thursday, April 9, 2015

7pm – 9pm

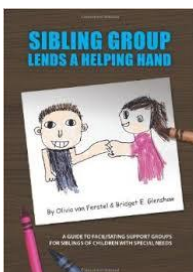
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420 Bedford Street, Ste 100, Lexington, MA

A wine and cheese event featuring local authors of sibling books. Come hear the authors read and speak about the joys and challenges faced by siblings. Books will be available to purchase, signed by the authors. The books are geared to adult siblings, parents of young siblings, and professionals who work with siblings. There will be time for networking and adult siblings, parents and professionals are encouraged to attend. For more information and to RSVP, please contact info@masiblingsupport.org or call 617-807-0558.



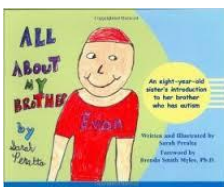
The Sibling Survival Guide: Indispensable Information for Brothers and Sisters of Adults with Disabilities, Edited by Don Meyer and Emily Holl. Contributing author John Kramer will be present.

Focusing on concerns faced by adult siblings, the editors offer practical information and anecdotes about issues related to future planning and adult sibling relationships.



Sibling Group Lends a Helping Hand: A Guide to Facilitating Support Groups for Siblings of Children with Special Needs by Olivia von Ferstel and Bridget Glenshaw. Co-authors Olivia von Ferstel and Bridget Glenshaw will be present.

The authors deliver a compassionate, comprehensive guide to forming a sibling group using expressive arts therapies that help siblings cope.



All About My Brother by Sarah Peralta. Author Sarah Peralta will be present.

This heart-warming and introspective children's book was written by the author at age eight, sharing the experience of growing up with a brother with autism.

*Wine and cheese generously provided by:
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