



children's autism

August 2018

Dear CAF Supporter

Here's our upcoming workshops and events

Clip 'n Climb - 26 August

All welcome to our next Clip 'n Climb session just for children with autism. Help your child gain confidence and overcome challenges while building up their social skills!



26 August, 9:30-10:30am
Clip 'N Climb North Shore
Unit 1/59 Corinthian Drive
Albany

Cost: \$20/Session

Click [here](#) for more info

Hands On Autism - 8 September

Gain practical tools and strategies that can be implemented in the home, classroom or community. Ideal for people living or working with a child with Autism.



8 Sep, 9am - 4pm
Glen Eden Community & Recreation Centre
44 Glendale Road, Glen Eden

Cost: free for families (donations at the door or [Givealittle](#) welcome). \$40 for professionals.

Register [here](#)

Community Notices

Children's Autism

A.S.K

Autism Spectrum
Knowledge
Professional training

[More info](#)

Save the date on our upcoming workshops!

Everyday Transitions,

25th October, 7-9pm, Northcote

Hands on Autism,

27th October, 8:30am-4:30pm,
Pakuranga

Strategies for Behaviour,

1st November, 7-9pm, Papakura

Dealing with Anxiety,

5th November, 7-9pm, Takapuna

Disability Connect

Transition Expo 2018

7 August
9am - 2pm
Auckland Netball
Centre

Support Groups for:

Culturally Diverse
Chinese Families
Indian Community

Seminars on:

Education Legal Issues
Individualised Funding
Living Options

Sensory Issues - 11 September

Learn about sensory differences and sensitivities in relation to autism and tool kits for use at home and in the classroom



11 Sep, 7-9pm
Salvation Army Hall, Hibiscus Bays

Cost: free for families (donations at the door or [Givealittle](#) welcome). \$40 for professionals.

Register [here](#)

Dealing with Anxiety - 19 September

Topics include:

- Understanding Anxiety
- Social interactions that lead to anxiety
- Strategies for dealing with anxiety
- Anxiety 'Toolkits'



19 Sep, 7-9pm
St Columba Centre
40 Vermont St, Ponsonby

Cost: free for families (donations at the door or [Givealittle](#) welcome). \$40 for professionals.

Register [here](#)

TOMORROW'S SCHOOLS REVIEW CONSULTATION EVENING FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

VIPS Equity in Education invite you to

TOMORROW'S SCHOOLS REVIEW CONSULTATION
EVENING
FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

9th Aug 2018, Thursday 7 – 9 pm
Venue: MOE Central Auckland Office, 12-18 Normanby Rd, Mt Eden, Auckland.

The Government is reviewing Tomorrow's Schools through an independent taskforce. The Taskforce wants to hear what you think.....

Planning for Adulthood
Transitions
Sexuality Education

More info:
Ph 09 636 0351
admin@
disabilityconnect.org.nz

Autism NZ

SAP – Autism@Work Program

Four Roles in Software Development and Testing. An Auckland-based Employment Opportunities offer.

Click [here](#) for more info

Auckland support groups:

- Youth with Aspergers/
High-Functioning Autism Social Group

- Adult Aspergers & High-
Functioning
Autism Spectrum Social Group

-Adult Aspergers Syndrome/High-
Functioning Autism Drop-in Session

- Asperger Partners' Support Group

- Chat & Chill Parents Group

[More info](#)

IHC

Library & info services on all aspects of disability

One free book for families

More info:
[ihc.org.nz](#)
0800 442 442

Mapura Studios

Art Group for Teens
For 12+ years

What is working for you, your child or your whānau?
What is not? What needs to change?

See attached flyer at the bottom of this newsletter for more information



2018 Parenting a Child with Autism Survey

Share your ASD related parenting experiences in AUT's New Zealand Autism Survey.

You have a child with autism and encounter parental challenges that are stressful and draining.

Government, non-government and whanau support helps us cope with these challenges.

We are interested in the support you receive, the support you don't receive but wished you did, and how you're coping with raising a child with autism.

We would be grateful if you shared your parenting experiences on our anonymous survey:

[Click here to go to the survey](#)



SAP – Autism@Work Program

SAP, through its Autism@Work Program has Four Roles in Software Development and Testing Auckland-based Employment Opportunities
<http://www.autismnz.org.nz/links#employment>

[Click here for the Job Description](#)

After reading the Job Description, if you have any questions please contact Kim from Autism New Zealand on (09) 846 0913.

All abilities, particular provisions for autistic young people.
A safe environment to express themselves creatively.

Tuesdays, 4-5pm
Ph 09 845 5361
alex@mapurastudios.org.nz

Interact 2018

Expressions of interest invited from disability community for disability arts festival

Have you art work? Dance? Music? Kapa Haka or performance pieces? Wearable art for the parades? Or just some great ideas?

31 Oct - 2 Nov 2018
Corbans Estate
Henderson

More info:
interactfest@gmail.com or 849 5595
or complete this online EOI [link](#)

Useful Websites

www.autism.org.nz
Children's Autism Foundation

www.autismnz.org.nz
Autism New Zealand

www.adhd.org.nz
ADHD Association

www.altogetherautism.org.nz
Altogether Autism

www.aucklanddyspraxia.org.nz
Dyspraxia Association


www.disabilityconnect.org.nz
Disability Connect

www.childsplayot.net
Child's Play OT

www.ccsdisabilityaction.org.nz
CCS Disability Action

www.dancetherapy.co.nz
Dance Therapy



Autism at Work 

Manawanuwi's e-Mploy

Check out this new service for parents to find support/caregivers

<https://e-mploy.org.nz/>



www.enrichplus.org.nz

Enrich+
Education, Employment,
Empowerment

www.everydayot.com

Everyday OT
For skate, holidays, adventure,
surfing.

www.focustherapy.co.nz

Focus Therapy O. T. Brain Gym,
Educ. Kinesiologist

www.ihc.org.nz

Idea Services

www.mapurastudios.org.nz

(Arts)

www.taikura.org.nz

(NASC Auckland)

www.talklink.org.nz

Talklink Trust

www.yesdisability.org.nz

Yes Disability

www.parenttoparent.org.nz

Includes Altogether Autism &
Care Matters

Attachments:

[TSR Consultation Invite FLYER.pdf](#)

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