

**4TH Annual Grace Curtis
“Stand Up and Be Counted” Day
Registration
“Year of the Parent: A Parent’s Journey”**

**March 22, 2010
8:00a.m.-3:30p.m.**

Mystic Marriott
625 North Road (Route 117) Groton, CT 06340
Exit 88 off I-95

**DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION
IS MARCH 12, 2010**

To Register: Please fill out this form and mail it, along with your check or money order for **\$75.00** to:

The Lighthouse Voc-Education Center
Grace Curtis Conference
P.O. Box 271
Old Mystic, CT 06372-0271

Please make checks payable to:

“Grace Curtis Memorial Fund”

- Fee applies in full whether attending all, or part of, the day’s activities.
- Registration will not be accepted without payment.

Name (Please Print)

Address

City State Zip

Daytime Phone

Email

**ENJOY A
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
8:00-9:00 a.m.**

Choose Your Lunch:

- Oriental Barbeque Chicken Breast served with a side of sweet sesame hoi sin glaze
- Grilled Shrimp Penne Pasta with plum tomatoes, basil, garlic, vodka and cream
- Linguini Provencal with roasted tomatoes, artichoke hearts, olives, and fresh herbs

**Master of Ceremonies
Irene O’Connor,
WFSB Channel 3 Eyewitness News**

Our Speakers:

9:30-11:00 Tom Kasprzak

Author of “Plain Vanilla with Rainbow Sprinkles” Tom’s story of raising a daughter with Down Syndrome will motivate you to view the world differently, regardless of the labels we apply to one another. Tom’s book will be available for purchase.

11:00-11:30 Janette Phillips

Janette, a parent of a child who is Bipolar, has Asperger's Syndrome, and learning disabilities, will share her journey. This will give people a sense of the mental health issues, how they affected him in school and clinically, and how that led to services from DMHAS. She will talk about DMHAS, what that has evolved into, and how it has led to an autism workgroup.

1:00-2:30 Shonda Schilling

Co-Author of “The Best Kind of Different: Our Family's Journey with Asperger's Syndrome” to be released March 23, 2010. Shonda is the wife of former Red Sox World Series pitcher, Curt Schilling and parent of a child with Asperger’s Syndrome. Her book WILL be available for purchase.

A BOOKSIGNING WILL BE AVAILABLE

0.4 CEU’s are offered for attending this conference.

If CEU’s are needed, please write your social security number here so your CEU certificate will be ready and bring a picture ID to present at the end of the conference.

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Any Questions? Please call or email.

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NEVER DOUBT THAT A SMALL
GROUP OF THOUGHTFUL
COMMITTED CITIZENS CAN
CHANGE THE WORLD

INDEED IT'S THE ONLY THING
THAT EVER HAS

-MARGARET MEAD