

Dear SENIB Community,

A new school year started and this is our autumn newsletter. In this edition, you will see updates in our community and exciting upcomes! SENIB Meeting e SENIA Conference are on the way! Don't miss these opportunities to share good ideas, practices and what is going on in our growing community!

By Juliane Karlsson

Save the Date!!!

The next SENIB Meeting will take place at Dulwich College Beijing on the 23rd November 9.30 - 12.30.

This will be a chance for colleagues to share good practice and discuss useful SEN strategies that have proven successful within their schools. Details of sign up and topics to follow.

The spring SENIB meeting will take place at the Early Childhood Center of BCIS on Friday 22 March from 8:30 - 12. Details to follow.

The SENIB Board are looking to run a community event for parents and children who have Special Educational Needs. The event will be hosted by Dulwich College Beijing in April 2019 and will include fun activities for children whilst also providing a range of information stalls, resources and short workshops for parents of children with SEN. If you would like to run an information stall or workshop, or if you have an SEN service to promote, please contact Katy Cameron at katy.cameron@dulwichbeijing.cn orDeviyaniPathak@bibs.com.cn

More details to follow about this exciting event!

SENIA is on the way!



That's is a great opportunity to meet...

And it is not too far.



Do you know student or adult who advocates and creates awareness for special needs in Asia? This is your chance to recognize this person for all they do!

For more information, please go to:

http://senia.asia/advocacy

***Nominations to be sent to <u>seniaboard@senia.asia</u> and received by Dec 1, 2018

Who??? Where to find...

Dear community we are sending our update lists for SENIB Membership directory and Beijing External Expertise attached to your emails. If you are not in yet, please get in touching to Reed or Tanya.

Meet the SENIB Board!

The SENIB board is a voluntary group composed of people with different backgrounds and expertise. We believe that diversity has a key role to play in any group. If you are interested in collaborating in any of our events, don't be shy. Get in touch with us!

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Coming Together!!!

We are updating our External Expertise list and are looking for recommendations for any professionals (therapists, psychologists, etc.) who are currently practicing in Beijing. Please, send any recommendations to tanya.farrol@bcis.cn

Facebook

Another way to stay in contact is through our **Facebook** page, titled SENIB - Special Education Network in Beijing. It is a closed group but you can request to join at https://www.facebook.com/groups/1728937867318355/

SENIB Newsletter

Are you interested to collaborate on our next edition? Ideas, experiences, questions, practices, and much more to share... Get in touch by emailing Juliane Karlsson or Monica Be peqjuli@outlook.com monicabenn@bibs.com.cn

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