

# Jewish Disability Awareness Month Twin Cities Events

Please contact the appropriate organization for registration information and details.



Congregation Darchei Noam

**January 30, 2010 ■ 7p.m.**

## Darchei Noam

Tu B'Shevat Seder at 7 p.m. with Caring Connections participants. Celebrate the New Year of the Trees, and see how including all of the diversity of species makes us whole. 612-920-3424



**January 30, 2010**

## USY Emtza Regional Convention

Adath Jeshurun will feature a workshop on inclusion of people with disabilities. For registered USY participants.

**January 31, 2010 ■ 3-5:30 p.m. FREE and open to the community**

## "Autistic License" screening at Sabes JCC auditorium

Community-Wide Kick-Off Event for Jewish Disability Awareness Month

The film will be followed by a conversation with playwright Stacey-Dinner Levi.

RSVPs are **strongly recommended** at [inclusion@jfcsmpls.org](mailto:inclusion@jfcsmpls.org) or 952-542-4838.

Leave your name and number of guests. Individuals requiring additional services to participate in this event should contact Anita Lewis, Inclusion Director at 952-381-3489.



**February 6, 2010 ■ 10 a.m.**

## B'nai Emet Inclusion Shabbat

Guest speaker and member Gwyn Leder will speak about "How Gwyn Found Herself" after discovering her brain injury. 952-927-7309

**February 13, 2010**

## Adath Jeshurun

Adath Sampler: "Social Justice, Judaism and Disability" session will be offered. 952-545-2424



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**February 19, 2010 ■ 11 a.m.**

## Darchei Noam

Special inclusion dvar Torah on parshat Terumah. The building of the mishkan in the desert required gifts and efforts of all of B'nai Yisrael, but each according to his or her individual abilities and means. See how the building of the mishkan thousands of years ago is a model for an inclusive community today.

**February 20, 2010 ■ 6 p.m.**

## Temple Israel

Author Jesse Saperstein. Jesse's memoir *Atypical: Life with Aspergers* will be published in April. Jesse will speak at the Friday night service. To request accommodations, contact Trish Thelen at 612-374-0323 or [tthelen@templeisrael.com](mailto:tthelen@templeisrael.com).



**February 23**

## Community-wide Ability Awareness Training for organizational leaders

The Jewish Community Inclusion Program for People with Disabilities, ADA Minnesota and the Minnesota State Council on Disability will address legal aspects of employment and access, disability awareness, practical strategies and resources to assess your building's access points and the opportunity to address specific access issues with experts in the field. Contact Shelly Christensen at 952-542-4838.

**February 26, 2010**

## Bet Shalom Inclusion Shabbat

The Inclusion Committee will participate in services and the d'var Torah will celebrate inclusion of people with disabilities. 952-933-8525



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**February 27, 2010 ■ 10 a.m.**

## Adath Jeshurun

Shabbat morning service d'var Torah on inclusion of people with disabilities. 952.545.2424

**Sunday, February 28 ■ 3 p.m. FREE and open to the Community**

## St. Paul JCC

"A Friend Indeed – The Bill Sackter Story" – Inspiring real-life documentary about hope, compassion, and the power of friendship.



*If you require special accommodations in order to participate in these programs, please contact the sponsoring organization to make your request.*