

## Brandywine Special Needs PTA invites you to attend our next meeting

**Thursday**  
**January 12, 2006**  
**6:30 PM**

Free to BSNPTA Members.  
\$5 Donation requested  
from Non-Members.

**Community Center**  
**at the Brandywine**  
**Town Center**

Domed building across from Target

*Helping our  
children relate  
better to the world  
around them!*

### **Please save the date for our next meetings:**

When: **Thursday, February 9, 2006**

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Where: Brandywine Town Center

Topic: Legislative Town Hall

Meet local legislators and express  
your concerns.

**Save the date for our March meeting:**  
**Thursday, March 23, 2006**

**Brandywine Special Needs**

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### **Featured Speaker**

#### **Ms. Cindy Schneider**

*Nationally recognized teacher specializing in helping children understand and use important social skills.*

Many children with learning disabilities have trouble understanding and interpreting what goes on around them. They often can not understand situations that you and I take for granted and they may need things repeatedly explained to them. This is more prevalent in children with communications disorders such as Asperger's and Autism. Social skills training can give your child the tools necessary to help guide them through everyday situations.

Learn more about the importance of social skills and how they can help your child learn. Ms. Schneider will present strategies and techniques that you and your child's teacher can use at home and in the classroom. These strategies can be included in your child's IEP.

Interpreting and relating to the world around you is a learned skill. Come to our meeting and take a step in helping your child succeed.

**For more information, call Ellen Coulston at 798-4641. [www.bsnpta.org](http://www.bsnpta.org)**