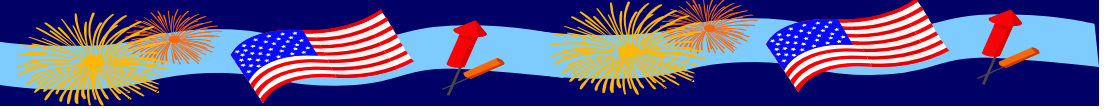




Top Ten Checkouts for the Year...

- *Hired for My Ability*
- *Lasting Leadership: Popular Education and Self-Advocacy*
- *Playing, Laughing, and Learning with Children on the Autism Spectrum*
- *Toilet Training for Individuals with Autism*
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- *Signing Time! (Videos + CDs)*
- *1001 Great Ideas for Teaching and Raising Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders*



From the CDR Library Stacks

July 2008

The Library's Latest: A Note from the Coordinator

—In case you missed them, make sure to check out any of our Top Ten titles listed on the left side-bar and subsequent pages.

—We received a total of 121 reference questions; 43 research questions; 58 check-out requests; 36 renewal requests; distributed 101 web articles and/or journal printouts; and, handed out 408 pamphlets. Finally, we had 6 new patrons join the library!

—I will be exhibiting the library's services and resources at the "Making Connections for a Brighter Tomorrow" meeting in Greenwood, SC, on August 13th.

—Also, this month is the 14th Annual People on the Go Fundraiser, which will be a Bow-lathon at the AMF Columbia Lanes on 1732 Bush River Road Saturday, July 19 from 1-4 p.m. For more information call 748-5020 or 787-0286, or you can read the fundraiser an-



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nouncement on page 2 of this newsletter. *Have a safe and wonderful July 4th holiday, everyone!*

Checkout the CDR Library Blog!

Breaking News Stories:

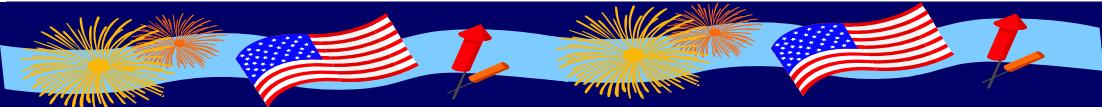
- Sonar Systems for the Blind
- Online Service Let's the Blind Surf Anywhere
- The Ultimate Guide to Special Needs Teaching Resources and Links
- People on the Go Annual Fundraiser: Bow-lathon
- Neural Implant may Help Paralyzed Patients
- Mind Over Matter: Monkey Feeds Itself Using its Brain
- Brain Activity May Predict Alzheimer's
- Bilateral Cochlear Implants
- Wireless Vision Implant
- Longer Life for Paraplegic Patients with Superman Bicycle

*"Books choose their authors."
~Salman Rushdie~*

- Engineer Develops Detergent to Promote Peripheral Nerve Healing
- Lou Gehrig's Protein Found Throughout Brain

Check out these and much more at:

<http://cdrlibraryblog.blogspot.com>



Great Books and Videos

Top Ten Checkouts for the Year



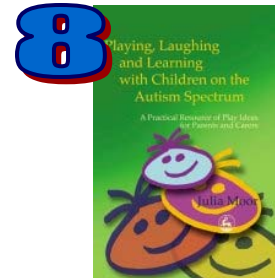
Hired for My Ability (2004)

—“This employment video is fast-moving and is designed to encourage employers and inspire people with disabilities. In 8 minutes you go to the jobs of 6 men and women with mobility, sensory, or other physical disabilities from birth to accidents.”



Lasting Leadership: Popular Education and Self-Advocacy (1999)

—“Shows how people with disabilities can change their lives and perceptions of life and gives the tools for creating change. Featuring Chris Burke of the television series "Life Goes On.”



Playing, Laughing, and Learning with Children on the Autism Spectrum (2002)

—“Shows how to break down activities into manageable stages, and looks at ways to gain a child's attention and motivation and to build on small achievements.”

“All books are divisible into two classes: the books of the hour, and the books of all time.”
~John Ruskin~

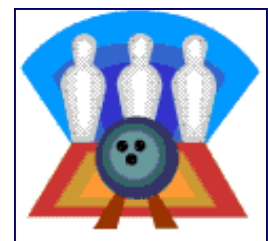


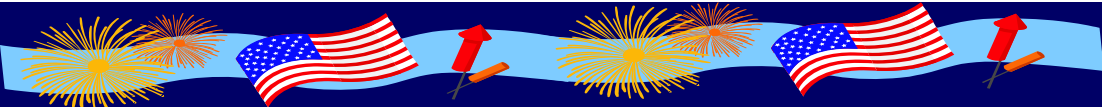
Bowlathon Fundraiser

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The 14th Annual **People on the Go Fundraiser** will be a Bowlathon at the AMF Columbia Lanes on 1732 Bush River Road Saturday, July 19 from 1-4 p.m.
Discount Tickets - \$10.00 Free shoe rental, coke and popcorn
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NOTE: Click on the URL below to go to the People on the Go web site: <http://www.arcsc.org/pogo.htm>





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*"Books are the bees which carry the quickening pollen from one to another mind."
~James Russell Lowell~*

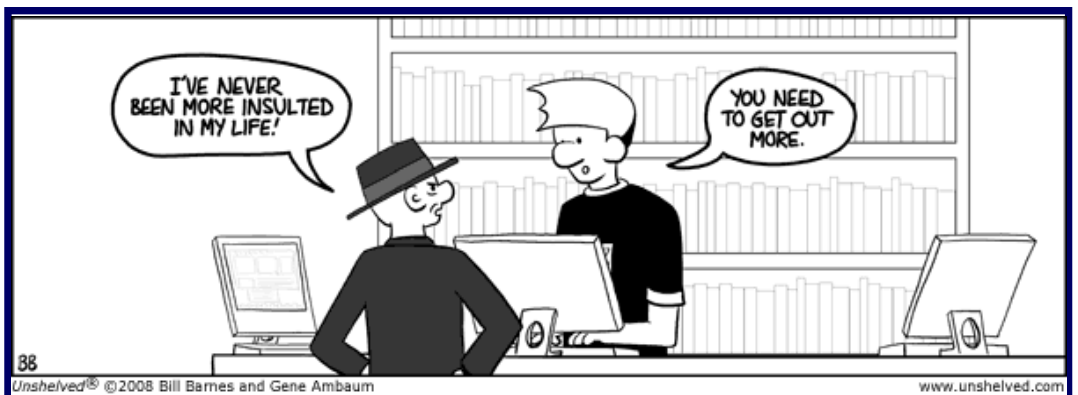
Toilet Training for Individuals with Autism & Related Disorders (1998) — "People with autism have been reported by researchers as being the most difficult population to toilet train. This book offers effective strategies for teaching toileting skills. You will learn how to teach the person to: overcome the fear of the bathroom, prevent repeated flushing, etc. "

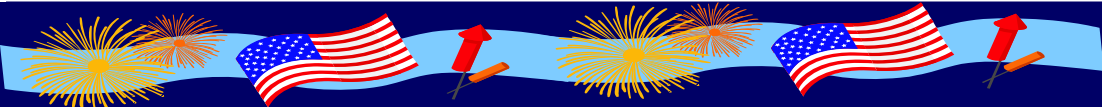
Becoming Independent: A Living Skills System (1978) — "Activities of Daily Living. Social Adjustment. Social Behavior. Contents include: 1. Personal management -- 2. Social development -- 3. Household management -- 4. Academic skills -- 5. Home activities -- 6. Community activities -- 7. Job readiness -- 8. Work skills."

Open Futures: Employees with Disabilities (2003) — "This video focuses on successful people with disabilities working in a wide range of careers and work settings. The Role Models' stories help employers and employment specialists appreciate the contributions, creativity, and enthusiasm that people with disabilities bring to the workplace."



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At the Gates of Autism (2000)
—“This program provides the rare opportunity to hear a person with autism discuss her condition and how she deals with life. Dr. Grandin offers many insights into the motivations behind autistic behavior and how parents, teachers, and therapists can better work with children that have been diagnosed...”



Signing Time! (2002)
—“From their magical animated tree house, Alex and Leah invite infants and children to “Come sign with us!” Watch and enjoy as Alex, Leah, and all their friends share 18 American Sign Language (ASL) signs with your child in a fun and playful way. It's My First Signs - ASL signs you can use everyday!”

“Books to the ceiling,
Books to the sky,
My pile of books is a mile high.
How I love them!
How I need them!
I'll have a long beard
by the time I read them.”
~Arnold Lobel~



—1001 Great Ideas for Teaching and Raising Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (2004)—
“In a snappy, can-do format, 1001 Great Ideas for Teaching and Raising Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders offers page after page of try-it-now solutions that have worked for thousands of children grappling with social, sensory, behavioral, and self-care issues, plus many more.”

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