

Sensory Friendly Safety Fair for individuals with Autism and Special Needs



When: Sunday, April 19th, 2015
from 2-5pm

Where: Ruth Eason School
648 Old Mill Road
Millersville, MD 21108

The event will take place both inside and outside. The entire event will be moved inside in case of rain.

For individuals with autism and special needs, caregivers, parents, loved ones, and community members who want to learn more about safety for individuals with autism and special needs.

The event will promote RISE for Autism's Safety Program, including the introduction of the GPS tracking device, that helps protect individuals who wander and elope. RISE will also offer general safety resources to increase awareness and access to safety strategies and items.



The event will include the following:

- * Promoting the Safety Program for Anne Arundel County**
- * Meet and greet with 1st responders**
- * Friendly K-9 safety demonstration**
- * Tour emergency vehicles**
- * Learn about the Mobile Crisis Unit**
- * Meet McGruff the dog**
- * Photos with a police officer**
- * Dress up in a police uniform**
- * ID cards, safety information, signs for the home/car and safety tattoos**
- * Moon bounce, sand art, popcorn, snow cones, games, activities, balloons, face painting and snacks**
- * A sensory, quiet area will be available**