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THE MINDCAP MOMENT

TOP NEWS OF THE MONTH



Dr. Jeanne Zehr

A NEW DIRECTION...FOUNDED IN FEUERSTEIN

The MINDCAP Center will soon undergo a change in leadership, with Dr. Jeanne Zehr stepping away to work with the Feuerstein Institute as Director for North American Projects, and MINDCAP's own Karla Sheley moving into the role of Executive Director.

Karla has an extensive background in clinical practice as a licensed speech pathologist, and has worked with the Feuerstein method even before being a part of MINDCAP's inception in 2015. Karla is excited for the change, which is set to take place September 1st. MINDCAP would like to wish Dr. Jeanne Zehr a very fond farewell. We are thankful, grateful, and blessed for her nine years of innovation and leadership. Best wishes for a fruitful future!



Karla Sheley



MEDIA OF THE MONTH

BUILD-A-BRAIN PODCASTS



Did you know Dr. Jeanne Zehr's Build-a-Brain Podcasts are available for **free** on the MINDCAP [website](#)? Block by block, thought by thought, now is the time to build a better brain! There is a wealth of information available at your fingertips-make sure to check them out!



A Birthday Full of Feelings
A Story About Emotions



Words and pictures by Anne Ricard Merritt

This is a sweet, simple story of a little girl turning three years old. Join her as she experiences many emotions on her special day. Each page has a colorful illustration hand-crafted by the author--MINDCAP's own Anne Merritt. Read this book to your little ones to teach them about feelings and emotions that all kids have on birthdays and every day. Available on Amazon.

BOOK OF THE MONTH

A Birthday Full of Feelings
by Anne Merritt



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NEWS YOU CAN USE

FWACB PERFORMS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29 @ 7:30 PM



For almost 45 years, the Fort Wayne Area Community Band has existed to provide opportunities for musicians to perform and improve their skills, to provide entertainment for the citizens of Fort Wayne, and to promote and encourage artistic musical expression by engaging a variety of musical genres through a traditional community band. MINDCAP's Julie Smith has performed in the FWAC band playing trumpet for about ten years. Come out and enjoy a taste of what the Fort Wayne Community Band has to offer, and to support Julie, by attending one of their upcoming shows!



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SHORESH USA 2024... A GREAT SUCCESS!!



The MINDCAP Center, along with the Feuerstein Institute and the North American Feuerstein Alliance, hosted this year's Shoresh USA 2024 at North Side High School July 8-12 in Fort Wayne, Indiana. It was an enriching week of learning about learning. The Shoresh conference offered eight workshops and four Feuerstein courses, and provided the opportunity for over 140 participants to make new connections and glean valuable information to take back to their offices, schools, and homes. People from twenty states and eleven countries participated in the conference. The next Shoresh USA has been scheduled for 2025 in Chicago.



Indiana Education Scholarship Account (INESA) will provide non-public school students with disabilities & their siblings throughout the state of Indiana access to the educational environment that best meets their learning needs. Starting July 1, 2024, parents of approved INESA students can apply for funding for eligible-age siblings who do not require special education services.

CHANGES TO ESA (EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT)



UPCOMING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



Basic 1 @ Children's Village with Dr. Jeanne Zehr

October 15-16, 22-23, & 29, 2024



Trainer Greta Ehlers has 11 years of Feuerstein experience and is licensed to train all levels of Standard, Basic, and Tactile Kinesthetic IE. She formerly served as the Assistant Director at MINDCAP where she gained clinical mediation experience while implementing IE in both classroom and recovery group settings. Her most meaningful use of the method has been in homeschooling her adopted teenage son who is a brain injury survivor. Stay tuned for future course dates and times with Greta Ehlers to be released soon!



Greta Ehlers

SPOTLIGHT ON....

TRAINER GRETA EHLERS

