

# NEURODIVERSITY AWARENESS WEEK: AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER

## SCHEDULE

### MONDAY, APRIL 22

#### DJ "Deej" Documentary on ASD

3:30 – 5 p.m.

Ahlberg Hall Room 201

Sponsored by Riverside Health Foundation

In this groundbreaking, new documentary on autism and inclusion, DJ "Deej" Savarese, a nonspeaking young man with autism, makes his way through high school and the transition into college, as he confronts the terrors of his past, obstacles to inclusion, and the sometimes paralyzing beauty of his own senses.

### TUESDAY, APRIL 23

#### Opportunity Fair

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Rhatigan Student Center East Foyer

Sponsored by the Wichita State University Bookstore

Eight community agencies who provide services for individuals with disabilities, including those with ASD, will be available to discuss their mission and provide WSU students with the opportunity to sign up for volunteer activities and/or apply for part/full time work.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

#### "Brown Bag" Panel Discussion

12 – 1:15 p.m.

Ahlberg Hall Room 200

Individuals with ASD will discuss the joys and challenges of navigating university life. Attendees will have the opportunity to ask questions and interact with panel participants. Bring your lunch and enjoy this insightful discussion.

#### Presentation by Kerry Magro

7 – 8:30 p.m. (*Visit the food trucks and vendors from 5:30 – 6:45 p.m.*)

WSU Hughes Metropolitan Complex – Lowe Auditorium

Sponsored by TASN ATBS and Benjamin & Bettie Gibson Breeding Lectureship Fund

Kerry is an award-winning professional speaker who has written best selling books about his life as a person with Autism.

### THURSDAY, APRIL 25

#### Human Puzzle Piece

12:30 p.m.

Rhatigan Student Center Courtyard

Sponsored by Division of Student Affairs

Members of the WSU Community and Greater Wichita area are encouraged to gather to form a human puzzle piece. A group photo will be taken at 12:30. Pizza, drinks, and t-shirts will be free for participants. Support this event and help break the record!

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