

# Smithtown SEPTA



**Seeing the Ability in EVERY Child**

**Please Join Us**  
**October 1, 2018 at 7:00 PM**

Meeting to be held at NYA Administration building at:  
26 New York Ave, Smithtown NY 11787  
Room 222A

## Meet Our Administration

The following administrators from our districts Special Education Department will introduce themselves, tell us a little bit about their roles and responsibilities, and outline the network of support for special education children and families:

Ms. Mona Tobin, Assistant Superintendent of Pupil Personnel Services

Mr. Kevin Colon, Administrator for Guidance

Dr. Brenda Clark, Administrator for Special Education (k-5)

Mrs. Michelle McAndrew-Mitchell, Assistant Administrator of Special Education (6-8)

Mr. Matthew Pahl, Assistant Administrator for Special Education (9-12)

## Dyslexia. What is it and how can we help?

Neuropsychologist **Dr. Edward M. Petrosky** explains what dyslexia is, what the different types of dyslexia are, what causes dyslexia, how to know if your child has dyslexia, and, most importantly, what can be done to help.

Dr. Edward M. Petrosky ([www.toolsforstudents.info](http://www.toolsforstudents.info)) is a clinical neuropsychologist and diplomat in school psychology who specializes in neuropsychological evaluations for children and adolescents as well as staff inservice training for teachers and other educational professionals. His areas of expertise include dyslexia and other learning disabilities, ADD/ADHD, Autism Spectrum Disorder, neurological conditions affecting school performance, as well as behavioral and emotional challenges. Dr. Petrosky has presented at national professional conferences and published in peer reviewed scientific journals. In short, Dr. Petrosky helps provide clarity and guidance for students and their parents and teachers.

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