

Region III Office of Special Services

Northern Valley Regional High School District

Invites You to Attend A Workshop:

UNDERSTANDING THE NEW ABLE ACT

Date: Wednesday **May 6, 2015**

7:00 – 8:00 PM

Join us for an evening discussion with Guest Speaker Doug Vogel to talk about the newly created ABLE ACT and its impact on families of children who have special needs. In late December 2014 President Barack Obama signed the *Achieving a Better Life Experience*, or *ABLE Act*. This act is modeled on 529 college savings plans, which allows tax-free interest earned on savings. The new law will allow qualified individuals with disabilities to have tax-free savings accounts without jeopardizing eligibility for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and other means-tested government programs, such as Medicaid. Doug will discuss critical areas such as: *who is eligible, limitations to contributions, allowable expenses, details on opening an account, and how it differs versus a special needs trust.*

**Location: Northern Valley Regional High School- Demarest Auditorium – 150 Knickerbocker Road, Demarest
look for signs in the building!**

**RSVP WITH NAME AND # ATTENDING TO: PAM GIACCHI at
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