



You are cordially invited to attend

“In Celebration of Down Syndrome”

Exhibit Grand Opening

Saturday, May 7, 2016 2 to 4 p.m.

Museum of disABILITY History
3826 Main St, Buffalo, NY 14226

“In Celebration of Down Syndrome,” an addition to the Museum of disABILITY History, recognizes individuals who have Down syndrome in a fascinating new exhibit. The exhibit explores medical history, myths and facts, as well as success stories and popular culture.



Keynote Speaker

Meet and Greet, Book Autograph Session

David Wright is a professor of history and chairperson of the History and Classical Studies Department at McGill University, in Montreal, Canada. He is an economic and social historian by training, and author and co-editor of eight books, including, *Downs: The History of a Disability*.

Exhibit and Program Highlights

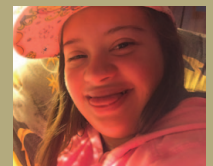
Vibrant multimedia and Hollywood memorabilia will be displayed.

Stunning photography of Eva Stoijink from the Netherlands: Select photos from her book, *Down's Upside: A Positive View of Down's Syndrome*, will be on display in the centerpiece of the exhibit.

Stories of local individuals who have Down syndrome.

Kelly's Hollywood, an inspirational documentary about a young woman who has Down syndrome and her brother's quest to fulfil her dream of becoming a Hollywood diva, will be available to view as part of the exhibit.

The “Unspoken Voice” artwork exhibition will showcase Bailey Bastine, a local artist who has Down syndrome. She reveals a living history of a young woman's expose' of truth.



Kindly RSVP by May 5, to Doug Farley,
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