




Contents

What's in this issue...



- 6 Polly's Piece**
by Polly Tommey
- 8 Bethany's Story**
by Allison Edwards 
- 11 AS from an AS perspective**
by Dean Beadle
- 12 "That Paper"** by Andrew Wakefield
MB BS FRCS FRCPath
- 19 A Father's Tale**
by Charles Durham Marshall 
- 21 Letters**
- 26 Autistic Mind** by Dr Lorene Amet DEA,
DipBiotechnol, D Phil
- 28 Back Issues**
- 29 Subscribe to The Autism File**
- 30 Social and Academic Inclusion through Accommodations and Modifications to Curriculum**
by Stephen Shore EdD
- 32 Autism and Grandparents**
by Ann Brasher
- 34 Autism 299.00:** Breaking The Code
by Vicki Martin RN & Sonja Hintz RN 
- 40 NHS Indifference ...**
by Christine MacVicar
- 44 The Autism File appoints a Scientific Editor:** Dr Carol Stott
- 46 Autism Mothers: The First SAM Gathering** Scotland's Autism Mothers
by Dr Caroline Traa 
- 48 Full Circle**
by Stephen Walker PhD

- 52 Horse Boy Camp 2009**
by Karenza Cassidy 
- 54 Rupert Isaacson Interview**
by Mel Thomsett
- 58 The Writing's on the Wall** Vaccines, mitochondrial dysfunction and autism
by Richard Halvorsen
- 60 Gone In Seven Days:** A brief story of our daughter Michelle's vaccine injury and subsequent landmark court case
by Theresa Cedillo
- 64 Coda: The Injustice Continues**
by Kevin Conway
- 66 The Doctor Is IN**
- 68 Being an 'Autism Mum'**
by Allison Edwards 
- 70 Sharing Good Practice in Autism Education**
by Sarah-Jane Critchley, AET Project Head
- 73 My Son Luke** by Jan Greenman 
- 77 A Best Practices Model for Treating Autism to Improve Optimal Outcomes.**
Behaviourial and biomedical interventions implemented together
by Lauren Underwood PhD

- 83 Let My Hindsight Be Your 20/20 Vision:** Autism, Anaesthesia & Fluoride
by Annette Van Dyke RPh MPH
- 85 First, Do No Harm:** Anaesthesiological Accidents & Autism
by S Victoria Walter 
- 88 Anesthesia & The Autistic Child**
by Sym C Rankin RN CRNA
- 93 Update on the Autism Research Institute**
by Stephen Edelson PhD
- 94 Relationship Development Intervention® (RDI®)** Getting to the Heart of the Child
by Carmen Augustin MSW LCSW 
- 97 The Autism File Diary** Autism One Conference 2009
- 98 The Utilisation of Laboratory Biomarkers to Predict and Prevent Neuroimmune Disorders caused by Environmental Stressors**
by Kendal Stewart MD and Lisa Hunter Ryden MT (ASCP) MBA
- 102 Rewards of Friendship**
by Laurie Mawlam 
- 105 The Autism File Diary** Dunfirmline Fundraiser
- 106 Bringing Social Skills Training into the Digital Age**
by John M Guercio PhD BCBA-D CBIST 
- 110 Vision Therapy can help Spectrum Children with Visual Dysfunctions**
by Jeffrey Becker OD 

THE AUTISM FILE ADVISORY BOARDS

Scientific Advisory Board: Dr Federico Balzola; Mark Blaxill MBA; Dr Jeff Bradstreet; Stephen Edelson PhD; Dr Wendy Edwards; Sonja Hintz RN; Julie Matthews CNC; Lyn Redwood RN; Dr Harry Schneider; Paul Shattock OBE; Dr Anju Usman; Dr Andrew Wakefield

Editorial Advisory Board: Marion Blank PhD; Becky Estep, Talk About Curing Autism (TACA); Temple Grandin PhD; Jane Koomar PhD, OTR/L; Stephanie Lord; Laurie Mawlam, Autism Canada; Lori McIlwain, National Autism Association (NAA); Jim Moody Esq; Valerie Paradiz PhD; Stephen Shore EdD; Jill Stacey, Autism South Africa; Kim Stagliano, Age of Autism; William Welsh, Autism Treatment Trust