

Back To School Bash

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM

Networking & Lunch *(for all attendees)*

Connect with parents and community members before the sessions begin.

11:45 AM – 12:15 PM

**From Protected to Prepared:
Empowering Kids to Take Ownership,
Self-Advocate & Thrive**

Speaker: Zak Stengel

Learn actionable strategies to help your child transition from parental protection to confident self-advocacy in the classroom.

12:30 PM – 1:15 PM

**The 411 on IEP & 504 Plans: From
Kindergarten to College**

Speakers: Mily Cepeda & Omar Cepeda

Navigate legal accommodations and school resources to ensure your child gets the tailored support they need.

1:20 PM – 2:00 PM

Building Strength, Building Confidence

Speaker: Porus Pavri

Discover physical activities, safety guidelines, and mindset tools to support your child's physical health and self-esteem.

2:15 PM – 2:45 PM

Raising a Kid with a Bleeding Disorder

Discussion Panel

Hear real stories, honest perspectives, and practical advice from a panel of experienced parents navigating similar journeys.

2:45 PM – 3:00 PM

Closing & Sponsor Recognition

Wrap up the day, thank our sponsors, and gather final event resources!

Kids and Teens Sessions

12:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Gamer's Paradise Party

PaleyGX Gaming Studio

Enter the arena where Fortnite legends and Mario Kart champions clash!

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Clot Captains: The Ultimate Back to
School Showdown**

Get ready to buzz in, show off your knowledge, and win prizes in the most epic trivia battle of the year as you prove that having a bleeding disorder won't stop you from being a champion!