

UNDER THE BIG TOP
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PRESENTER INFORMATION

GOT GAME?

(Students with hearing loss, grades 7-12)

Facilitated by:

Amanda Griffith is passionate about athletics, fitness, playing hard, sharing jokes, listening to music, dancing, being outdoors and having fun! She has a degree in Sociology from Wells College and a MSW from the Smith College School for Social Work.

She has worked as an adolescent therapist in group and individual settings and, for the past four years has been a Physical Education Wellness teacher and coach at the Four Rivers Charter Public School in Greenfield, Massachusetts.



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TIME MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES FOR PARENTS WITH HECTIC LIVES

(Parents)



Joan Celebi originally founded SpecialNeedsParentCoach.com in her capacity as a certified life coach for parents of children with special needs. Since then, it has expanded to include internationally acclaimed teleclasses and coaching groups, as well as Joan's daily blog, *The Special Needs Parent*.

Joan is the proud mother of two children, one of whom has special needs. In her popular workshops and trainings, she teaches strategies for balanced living both to parents of children with special needs, and to professionals in the caring professions. She is the author of *Overwhelmed No More: The Complete System for Balanced Living for Parents of Children with Special Needs*. Joan holds a Master's Degree in Education from Harvard University.

A CIRCUS SHOW FOR ALL AGES!

(Teens, Parents, Children)

Troy Wunderle is a graduate of the Maryland Institute College of Art and the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Clown College. He is a former international performer with the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus. For the past eleven years he has toured throughout the U.S. as a freelance performer and employer of Vermont's own Circus Smirkus. His antics have been featured on the Disney channel, the Today Show, Martha Stewart, and America's Funniest Home Videos.

