



CRANBERRY  
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presents...

# ABILITIES EXPO

## An Event for the Whole Community



Join us in celebrating our special needs community and help us in strengthening our inclusive efforts for all who represent our region through resources, panel discussion, and live entertainment.

Life in a conventional community presents unconventional challenges to people with special needs. They include physical, mental and emotional tests that

many of their neighbors may not realize. This event was created to showcase the talent, intelligence, hard work and love that these residents bring to Western Pennsylvania. Register today at [www.CranberryTownship.org/Nov1](http://www.CranberryTownship.org/Nov1).

### SPECIAL GUESTS

**Jon Kolb** Jon is best known, regionally and nationally, as a former player with the Pittsburgh Steelers, where he played as offensive lineman for 13 seasons. Jon is President of Adventures in Training with a Purpose (ATP), a nonprofit organization focused on helping those most in need to improve their quality of life through an adventure of purposeful physical training, upon which his presentation will focus. Jon will discuss life in the NFL and how that has impacted his current efforts to improve the special needs community and their recognition.



**Dan McCoy** Dan is a 2014 Paralympic gold medalist. As a member of the US Sled Hockey Team he and fellow team mates victoriously brought home the gold! Dan will share his experiences as an athlete and the challenges he faces daily.



**Joe Grushecky** Joe has been a well-known musician in the Pittsburgh area for years. He is an accomplished songwriter and performer and has written, performed, and recorded with his friend, Bruce Springsteen. Joe is also a Special Education teacher in the Sto-Rox School District. Joe will talk about his experiences and personal rewards in the field of Special Education and share his musical talents. Please come and enjoy an open dialog with Joe and enjoy his music, as well.



### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Cranberry Township Municipal Center  
2525 Rochester Rd.  
Cranberry Township, PA 16066  
4:00 - 9:00 PM

Refreshments will be provided

Space is limited - No fee to attend - Registration Recommended

**Resource Tables**, Town Square, 4 - 9:00 PM

**Rose E Schneider YMCA Respite Area**, Grange Hall, 4 - 9:00 PM

**Jon Kolb**, Council Chambers, 4 - 4:45 PM

**Officer Bailey**, Franklin Station Rm., 4 - 4:45 PM

**Panel Discussion**, Council Chambers, 5 - 5:45 PM

Tammy Rose, *Moderator*

Kelcie Gilbert, Mike Doerfler, Abbey Pukylo, Cindy Duch

**Melissa Morgan**, Life Planning, Franklin Station Rm, 5 - 5:45 PM

**Dan McCoy**, Grange Hall, 6 - 7:00 PM

**Kristi Wees**, Diagnosis, Council Chambers, 6:15 - 7:00 PM

**Melissa Allen**, Education & Advocacy, Franklin Station, 6:15 - 7:00 PM

**Joe Grushecky**, Town Square, 7 - 8:00 PM

**Panel Discussion**, Council Chambers, 8:15 - 9:00 PM (See Panel above)

**Josie Badger**, Work Legislation, Franklin Station Rm, 8:15 - 9:00 PM

### INFORMATION

**Visit:** [cranberrytownship.org/CADN](http://cranberrytownship.org/CADN)

**Email:** [diversity@cranberrytownship.org](mailto:diversity@cranberrytownship.org)

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