

*The Department of Student Services,  
Manhattan Beach Unified School District,*

*is proud to present:*

*An evening with Dr. John Hall*

*Monday, January 7, 2013*

*7:00 p.m.*

*MBMS Multi-Purpose Room*

**All parents and members of the community are welcome. If you have young adults who might be interested, please feel free to have them accompany you. We hope to see you there.**

**Dr. Hall's Story:** Autism does not have to be a life sentence. Dr. John Hall knows. As a toddler, he lived in his own private world, flipping light switches, banging pans, avoiding eye contact, and babbling unintelligibly. Today, he is the CEO of a national education management firm based in Southern California. Defying his initial "slightly retarded, low-functioning autistic" diagnosis, he pushed himself through elementary, high school, and college, earned an MBA, and was even awarded a Doctorate! He is also a father of two children, one with special needs.