We have a very special event coming up this Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. here on the FAU Boca Campus. Dr. Susan Limber from Clemson University will be speaking about the topic of bullying and how it relates to students on the autism spectrum. Dr. Limber is the foremost expert on bullying in the United States and she is leading expert on the Olweus Anti-Bullying Program.

This program, begun by Dr. Dan Olweus in Norway and Sweden, is the most widely used and most well-researched anti-bullying approach in the world. It recognizes that bullying is a complex issue and that efforts to stop it must not simply focus on just one person (the bully) but require the cooperation of many people and all of the students.

Dr. Limber will provide an overview of the Olweus program and address some of the special issues faced by student with autism.

This session will be of tremendous value to parents and students both those with ASD as well as parents of typically developing children, teachers in both special and general education, school principals and counselors and other professionals. All are welcome. We do ask that you register but please note that there is no charge for this event.

I hope to see many of you this coming Thursday evening, May 19th at 6:30 p.m. at the FAU Stadium Acura Club room for what will surely be an exciting and most informative evening.

Jack Scott,

FAU CARD Executive Director