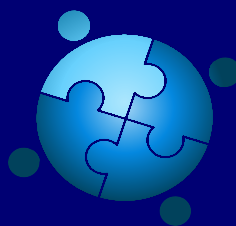


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# Term 1 –2011 - Guest Speaker

## Why Games ?

ASSN has secured **Wilson McCaskill** as our first speaker for 2011. **Wilson's** innovative work with children and adults at his acting school lead to an awareness of the positive benefits his acting classes on the behaviour of students.

Responding to demand from teachers and schools for a program to address the social and emotional development of children, **Wilson** started *The Game Factory* in 1990.

His games approach towards the improvement of pro-social behaviour continues to evolve and develop, keeping it relevant to the issues facing teachers, parents and children in today's schools.

See the attached booking form to read more about this exciting event .



## Boys Group

ASSN support groups provide opportunities for people with AS and their families to socialize. We currently have groups dedicated to AS girls, AS teens and AS adults. The obvious gap is a group for boys 12 years and under, where they can be involved in social settings, can feel comfortable and able to

practice their social skills, as well as an opportunity for providing parents with support and information.

With the help of two volunteer parents, ASSN is hoping to commence a social group in 2011 aimed at primary school aged boys.

If you have a boy aged from 6 to 12 years and you are looking for social events you will be interested in this initiative.

Register your interest now by contacting us at [admin@assnvc.org.au](mailto:admin@assnvc.org.au) and keep your eye on our website for updates on progress with this group.