Join the MIND Institute for observance of Autism Awareness Month in April. Learn about the most recent autism discoveries, and find out how you can help find treatments and cures. Activities are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted.

Poetry and Art at the MIND Institute
- Monday, March 31
- 5:15 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
A poetry reading and tour of the MIND Institute’s collection of paintings and drawings by people with neurodevelopmental disorders.

Taller de Autismo: Diagnóstico, Manejo Clínico y Tratamiento Médico
- Sábado 5 de Abril
- Primera sesión: de 8:15 a.m. a 12 p.m.
- Segunda sesión: de 12:45 p.m. a 4:30 p.m.
Presentadores: María Diez Juan, psicóloga especialista en autismo, Hospital San Juan de Dios, España; Reymundo Lozano, genetista pediatra e investigador en el tratamiento del autismo

Distinguished Lecturer Series:
Autism Spectrum Disorder as a Global Public Health Priority
- Wednesday, April 9
- 4:30 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Presenter: Maureen S. Durkin, University of Wisconsin at Madison

River Cats Double Header
River Cats Stadium
- Sunday, April 13, 1:05 p.m.
- Ticket prices on River Cats website
Enjoy family fun at this first River Cats double header. The first 250 kids who visit the MIND Institute table will receive a prize!

Minds Behind the MIND:
Autism Research and Clinical Update
- Wednesday, April 16
- 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.

Presenters: Sally Rogers, professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences; Judy Van de Water, professor of immunology; Community representatives: Antoinette and Fallon O’Neill

Community Open House
- Saturday, April 26
- 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Family-oriented entertainment, including food trucks, a balloon artist, magician and a climbing wall, and community resource organizations. Learn about research and how you can participate.

Screening: Sounding the Alarm
- Tuesday, April 29
- 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Northern California premiere screening of a film that takes a poignant look at the lives of 12 American families after their children receive a diagnosis of autism. Presented in collaboration with Autism Speaks.
Reservations required. RSVP to Terri Contenti, 916-703-0289; theresa.contenti@ucdmc.ucdavis.edu.

Information, including Spanish event registration, is available at: mindinstitute.ucdavis.edu