

# Special Needs Interest Group (SNIG): Annual Report March 2010

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The Special Needs Interest Group met on Friday, April 17 at noon, during the 2009 BCLA Conference in Burnaby at the Hilton Vancouver-Metrotown. Unfortunately, the committee did not have a session at the 2009 conference, although one had been submitted. Plans were made for a field trip to Neil Squire Society on May 26, so the group would know what this Society does, and how we can utilize their services to help our customers with disabilities better.

Due to financial issues, and most members being from the Vancouver area, it was decided that the 2010 SNIG - AGM would be held in the Vancouver

area a few weeks before the BCLA 2010 Conference so a report would be available. (Meeting planned for Monday April 12 from 9:30am to 11:30am at North Vancouver City Library)

There was some discussion about changing the name of the group, but no final decisions were made. Also discussed were the Audiobook collections from both InterLINK (Michael Burris) and the CNIB and VisuNet program.

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