

San Mateo County Speech-Language-Hearing Association

Please join us for our

ANNUAL LUNCHEON AND WORKSHOP

On

May 12, 2017

11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (Sign-in 10:45-11:00 a.m.)

at

Waterdog Tavern

1015 Alameda de las Pulgas, Belmont, CA 94002 (Carlmont Shopping Center)

\$35 per person

Our guest speaker will be

Maryam Salehomoum, University Instructor and SLP

“The Development of Language and Related Cognitive Skills in Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children: Implications for Practice”

Hearing loss of any type and degree increases the risk of language and literacy delays and differences in children. Due to the relationship between language and other developmental domains, the effect of hearing loss may extend to areas of development beyond audition, speech, language, and literacy. Although there is consensus among educators regarding the importance of an early age of exposure to language, professionals working with deaf children and their families are divided in their specific approach to intervention. At our luncheon, I would like to present you with information regarding: the critical age for language development, effect on related cognitive skills, the two polarized approaches to intervention - oral-auditory vs. natural sign language, and a proposed model of intervention. The presentation will reference current legal mandates, which have a direct impact on the education of deaf and hard of hearing children.

2017 SMCSLHA Luncheon Registration Form

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City/Zip Code _____

Detach and Return with a check to: SMCSLHA c/o Robin Silk * 108 Arundel Road, San Carlos, CA 94070*

Please note: CEUs are offered for 3 hours of participation.

No Reservations after 5.6.17

Please NO "drop-in registrations" for this lunch. Reservations must be made in advance due to limited seating.