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Happy New Year to All.

It is Winter and the SHAHV Executive Board has been staying off the cold by keeping busy planning an exciting spring line up for its membership and members to be! In March, we invite David Hammer, to share his expertise on Apraxia, our most often requested topic by SHAHV Conference attendees, as our Spring Conference Presenter. In April we look forward to partnering with the students at SUNY New Paltz for our 4th annual Breakfast with a Professional. In May we are excited to bring you new and innovative ways to spread the word about the profession as we collectively celebrate May is Better Speech and Hearing Month. In June we will be holding our annual Membership dinner.

We hope that you are as excited as we are to participate in these and other upcoming events. If you are interested in serving on a committee or helping to plan, execute or organize alongside us please let us know. We welcome your skills and time.

Looking forward to forwarding the profession in the new year with you,

Andrea Abramovich

On behalf of the SHAHV Executive Board, I would like to say CONGRATULATIONS to Andrea Abramovich on the birth of her son, Ezra, who was born in November! Congratulations and best wishes to mother and son!

SAVE THE DATE

David W. Hammer M.A. CCC/SLP
Presents:
Childhood Apraxia of Speech
Evaluation and Therapy Challenges

It will be a hands on, practical, therapy rich presentation that will focus on strategies for therapy that facilitate verbal communication for children with apraxia of speech.

DATE: Saturday March 10, 2012

WHERE: Hilton Garden Inn
Newburgh, NY

WHEN: 8:30 – 4:00

COST: \$155*

\$125* Members

\$ 50 * Students

*Early Bird Prices, registrants after 2/30/12 add \$20

Brochure with registration form will be emailed within 2 weeks.
Watch your email!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

SHAHV Conference
March 10, 2012
Newburgh

2012 ASHA Convention
November 19-21, 2010
Atlanta, Georgia

2012 NYSSLHA Convention
April 26-28, 2012
Saratoga, NY

In Memory of our friends and colleagues
We mourn the passing of SHAHV members

Denise Kaye

And

Lynn Ary

2012 SHAHV Membership Application
SPEECH - LANGUAGE AND HEARING ASSOCIATION
OF THE HUDSON VALLEY
 January 1, 2012 - December 31, 2012

Name: _____

First

Last

Please print your name as you would like it to appear in the membership directory.

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Used for SHAHV communication purposes only.

The SHAHV Membership Directory is available to SHAHV members **only**. CHECK HERE IF YOU **DO NOT** WANT YOUR INFORMATION LISTED IN THE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY.

Place of Employment: _____

Primary ages of Clients: _____ Work Site: _____

(EI, PreS, Elem, Adults)

(Homes, School, Hospital)

Certification/ license <i>(Circle all that apply)</i>	ASHA	NYS Licensure Speech Pathology Audiology	NYS Certification
	CCC- SLP CCC-A		Teacher of Speech and HH/TSSLD Perm
			Prov Teacher of the Deaf Perm

Professional Affiliations: ASHA *Special Interest Div #* _____ AAA _____ NYSSLHA _____
 NSSLHA _____ Member \$30 _____ Associates/Student
 Member \$10

Please send application and check made payable to: **SHAHV**
 SHAHV, PO Box 593, Lake Katrine, NY 12449

For office use only: CHECK # _____ CHECK DATE# _____ Amount: _____

____ YES, I am available to help on a committee!!

____ Legislative Committee: Assists the Past President in organizing Lobby Day and other legislative activities.

____ Program Committee: Assists the Vice President in organizing workshops and monthly meet-



2012 SHAHV SCHOLARSHIP

(Deadline: May 15, 2012)

The Speech, Language and Hearing Association of the Hudson Valley (SHAHV) is a professional association comprised of local speech-language pathologists and audiologists from Dutchess, Orange, Sullivan and Ulster counties in New York State.

It is the mission of SHAHV to provide resources to speech-language pathology and audiology professionals in the above counties to facilitate optimal evaluation and treatment of individuals with communication challenges. Particularly, SHAHV is dedicated to arranging continuing education opportunities and encouraging a strong network of professionals to foster cooperative learning. The association is run by volunteers from both professions.

SHAHV is pleased to offer two \$1000.00 scholarships. One scholarship to an aspiring **under-graduate** speech-language pathology or audiology student accepted to a graduate program and one scholarship to a current **graduate** speech-language pathology or audiology student.

Applicants should meet the following criteria:

1. Senior undergraduates applying to graduate school **OR** current graduate students in the areas of speech language pathology or audiology (including final semester graduate students, as the award may be applied to professional fees or student loans).

2. Student's permanent residence is in Dutchess, Orange, Ulster or Sullivan County.

-OR-

The student is accepted to or currently attending the Communication Disorders Graduate Program at SUNY New Paltz.

3. Must be a SHAHV associate (student) member.

The scholarship will be awarded based on leadership, community involvement, clinical experiences (weighed heavier for graduate applicants), an essay, academic performance, and additional experiences. The scholarship recipient will be notified by May 15, 2012. The award will be sent in the form of a check to the winning recipient. A note of thanks is expected to the SHAHV board for this gift.

How to apply:

Complete an application form and include unofficial transcript(s)

Undergraduate students must also:

Include two letters of recommendation

Graduate students must also:

Include one letter of recommendation with an academic focus and one with a clinical focus preferred..... _____

(Two academic recommendations acceptable if no clinical experience)

Mail a single packet including all items by **May 15, 2012** to:

SHAHV Scholarship
c/o Juli LaMoy
6 New Hurley Road
Gardiner, NY 12525

For additional information or to request an application packet, please contact:
Juli LaMoy at: shahvscholarship@yahoo.com

