



HLAA-San Diego 2011 Meetings

(Subject to change):

- January 15. Our own Larry Sivertson talks about speech reading, formerly known as lip-reading. Fun and games!
- February 19. Roberta Smith from Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program (DDTP) will be talking about all the great phones available through the California Telecommunications Access Program (CTAP), which provides phones at no cost to Californians with hearing loss.
- March 19. Audiologist Linda Oliver will be discussing the latest in hearing aid technologies, what we can expect in the near future, and how to get the most out of your hearing aids.
- April 16. Dawna Mills from the House Ear Institute will discuss the latest in Cochlear Implant technology, also who is a CI candidate, and what to expect as you go through the process.
- May 21. Our own Marilyn Weinhouse presents on assistive technology, a field changing so fast it's hard to keep up!
- June 18. Joe Pelatt, Awareness Network Manager for Cochlear in the Southwest, will be presenting to our group. Don't miss this as it's going to be fantastic. Joe suffered sudden unexplained deafness in both ears, 22 years apart. He was implanted in April 1998. Read about Joe's story here: <http://www.cochlearcommunity.com/JoePelatt>. Joe is located in Phoenix and will be coming to San Diego just for us.
- July 16. We'll have an ice cream social at our July meeting. This is a great opportunity to chat with folks and get to know each other a little better.
- August 20. No meeting in August
- September 17. Annual picnic with indoors and outdoors activities.
- October 15. Jennifer Raulie, a Bionic Ear Association Manager, will tell us about the Advanced Bionic device as well as the new 'Clear Voice' technology.
- November 19. We'll have a discussion of how people with hearing loss and their families can cope with the holidays.
- December 17. Holiday Brunch and White Elephant Gift Exchange! Our holiday brunch is always amazing.