



Speech and Hearing BC

Speech and Hearing BC Association Lunch

Awards

AGM



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Welcome
Deputy Speaker Raj Chouhan





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2019 Speech and Hearing BC Member Awards



The Speech Language Pathologist of the Year (Adult)

Given to individual members or teams who have been nominated by clients and/or client families and who are members of Speech and Hearing BC/CSHHPBC. This award will be presented to an individual or group that has contributed to the growth of the professions of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology exemplifying the vision or mission of the professions for client outcomes and care.

Awarded to:

Kathy Yoshida

Nominators: Brigitte Barnes and Tamara Hilscher



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The Audiologist of the Year

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Awarded to:

Tina Saiki

Nominators: Anne Robinson and Brenda Kosaka



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Honours of the Association

Honours members who have made outstanding contributions to speech-language pathology and/or audiology in areas such as education, research, organizational services, and/or administration.

Awarded to:
Amy Fleming

Nominators: John Scott and Madelaine Ware-Jud



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The Speech Language Pathologist of the Year (Children)

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Awarded to:

Natalie Ramsay

Nominator: Robyn Chambers



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Saturday 26 October 2019



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- Call to Order and Opening Remarks
- Approval of Agenda
- Approval of Minutes of October 20, 2018 AGM



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Mission

- **Mission** - Supporting the professions of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology in BC.
- *Changing* lives by improving communication.
- *Connecting* those in need with those who can help.
- *Educating* about speech, language, swallowing and hearing disorders.
- *Advocating* for the importance of public access to treatment services.

Vision

*Optimal communication
and swallowing health for
all British Columbians.*



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Membership

- 2017 - 1243 members
- 2018 - 1288 members
- 2019 – 1300 members



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Provincial Council Report

Public Education

Successful May
Month Campaign

Mentions in the
2020 Budget
Committee Report

Consultants
ZG Communications
Impact Public
Relations

Member Directed Grassroots Advocacy!

WorkSafe BC



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- **Thank you to Members Wendy Duke and Shari Linde**
- WorkSafe BC has increased their reimbursement rate for speech-language pathology services to \$160.00/hour effective July 1, 2019.
- Kudos and many thanks to Wendy and Shari for their work on behalf of Speech and Hearing BC members and their success in demonstrating the importance, value, and quality of speech-language pathology services provided to WorkSafe BC.



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Professional Education

Alyssa Dixon



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Conference Committee

Co-Chairs:

Alyssa Dixon
Janet Campbell

Emily Black

Janet Gibson

Charlotte Li

Susan Edwards

Jennifer Martin

Alys Wardlaw

Kathy Pereira

Aruna
Sudarshan

Yvette
Thomson

Journal Club

Thank you to Anna Crauford for continuing to organize and lead the monthly journal clubs.

This group will continue to be offered monthly, and any members are welcome to join and submit articles.



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Telehealth Task Force

**Special thank you to Anna Kreuger
and Jenna Beamont and the entire
task force:**

Abby Brooks
Abby Elizabeth Wright
Carolyn Hawrish
Erin McSweeney
Julie Lidstone
Lisa Doff
Lisa Luft
Lois Turner
Lorienne Jenstad
Natalie Ramsay
Nicole Currie
Penelope Bacsfalvi
Sandra Baker

Early
Intervention
Lynne Patrick



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El Committee

Chelsey Chickak

Joanna Felton

Caitlin Bittman

Amy Kazeil

- In person submission to the Standing Committee on Children and Youth with Neuro-Diverse Special Needs in May, 2019.
- Emphasized the need for increasing publicly funded FTE in Speech-Language Pathology positions at both Child Development Centres and Health Units throughout the province.
- Created the 'Tell Us Your Story' project to gather parent voices and explore themes of concern.
 - Goal: to invite families with toddlers and preschoolers accessing speech-language services in the province to 'tell us their story'. Poster available.

Private Practice
Camille
Traverse



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Thank you to the team of members who helped
to organize this year's Private Practice Forum

Kate Chase
Wendy Duke
Susan Edwards
Katelyn Eng
Anna Krueger
Carla Monteleon
Yvette Thompson
Carla Willock



Adult Services
Stephanie
Assmann

Adult Practice Committee

Rachel Jansen

Rheanne Brownridge

Wendy Duke

Joyce Tull

Social Media



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2018

Facebook: 1434

Twitter: 1045

2019

Facebook - 1914

Twitter- 1088

Area Reps



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Kellie Mitchell Islands

- The Saanich School District will be hosting a full day workshop on 14 February 2020.
- Assessment and Intervention of Social Communication.
- Dr. Geralyn Timler
- Full day workshop at Parkland Secondary in Sidney.



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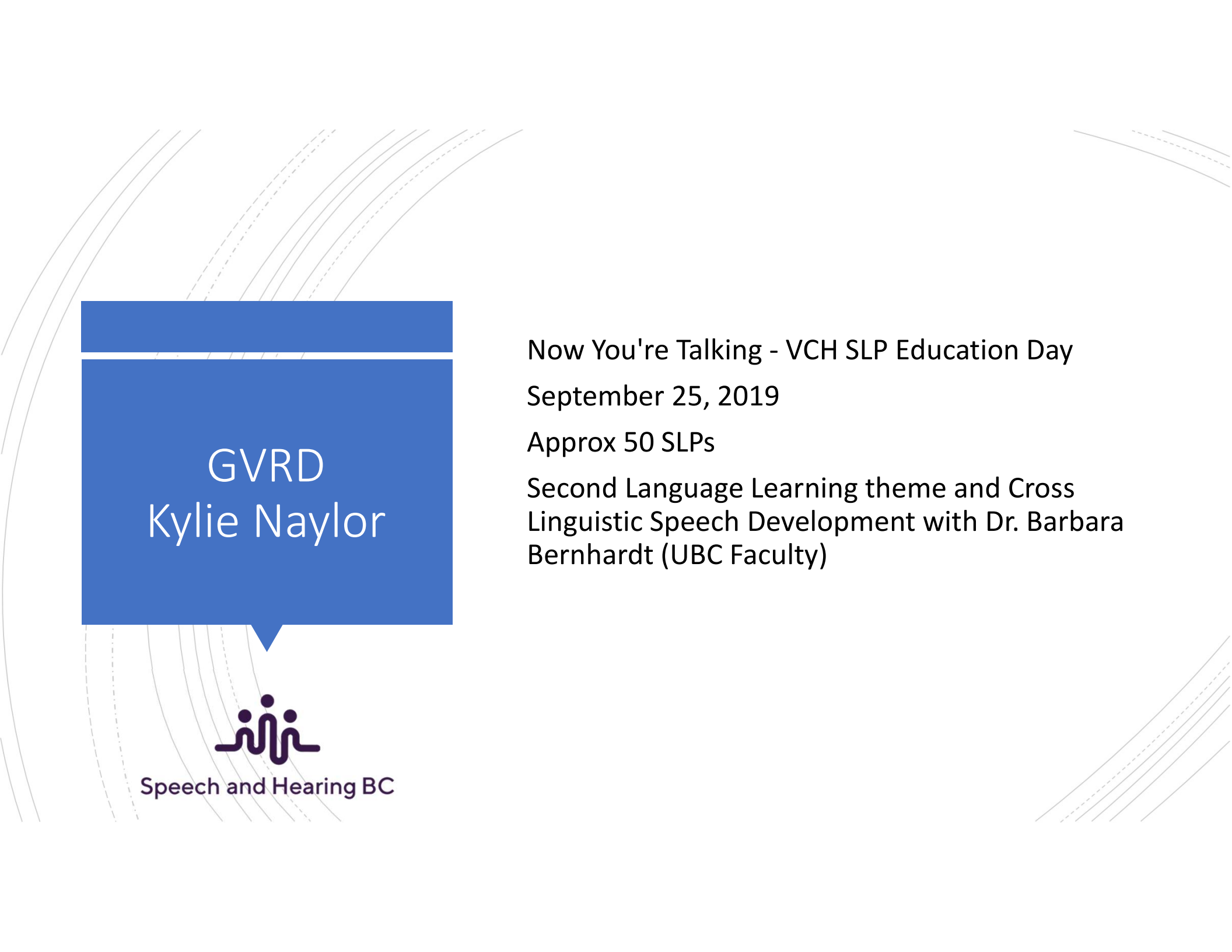


Kari Dul
Thompson/Ok

- Okanagan Meet and Greet
- SLP PD day
- Audiology event
- Meet and greet at an Adult SLP conference in Kamloops
- Education for the adult group through Northern Speech Services.



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GVRD
Kylie Naylor

Now You're Talking - VCH SLP Education Day

September 25, 2019

Approx 50 SLPs

Second Language Learning theme and Cross
Linguistic Speech Development with Dr. Barbara
Bernhardt (UBC Faculty)



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Vibrations

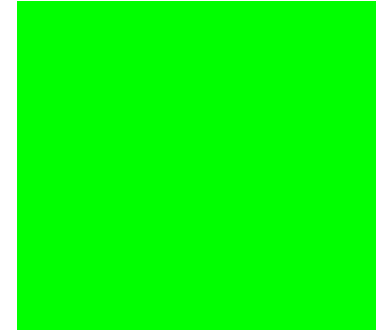
Our quarterly ***Vibrations*** newsletter is emailed to all members, informing and connecting audiologists and speech-language pathologists throughout BC

Marianne Bullied- Editor

Janet Campbell

ZG Communications

Advocacy Tool Kit



**The Grassroots Advocacy Toolkit
will prepare you to support Speech
and Hearing BC advocacy initiatives.**

- Key Speech and Hearing BC
Advocacy Messages**
- Meeting Request Letter Templates**
- Political Decision Makers Meeting
Guide**
- Debriefing Questionnaire**
- Elected Officials Websites**



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Key Advocacy Strategies

- Early Intervention
- Hearing Aid Funding
- Residential Care/Adult Services

Financial Report

- Megan McKay, Treasurer
 - Review of Financial Position as of May 31, 2019
 - Motion to Approve Accountant (Reid Hurst Nagy)



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Nominations/Elections

- Secretary
- Director, Public Education
- Director, Professional Education
- Director, Early Intervention, SLP Services
- Director, Adult SLP Services
- Director, Audiology Public Practice
- Director, Social Media





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Board Recognition

Thank you!

- Outgoing Provincial Council members



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Operations Manager

Thank you
Janet Campbell!

Questions



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Conference 2020
Oct 23 & 24
Delta Burnaby

Conference 2021
Oct 22 and 23
Hilton Whistler



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Adjourn

Enjoy your afternoon!



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