

Speech Recovery Pathways



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National Aphasia Month

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National Aphasia Awareness Month

Aphasia impacts over 2.4 million people in the United States. There are over twice as many people living with aphasia than Parkinson's disease and 150 times more than those with ALS. There are about 180,000 Americans developing it each year.

Here are some resources down below:

<https://www.aphasia.org/2021-aphasia-awareness-month/see-it-say-it/>

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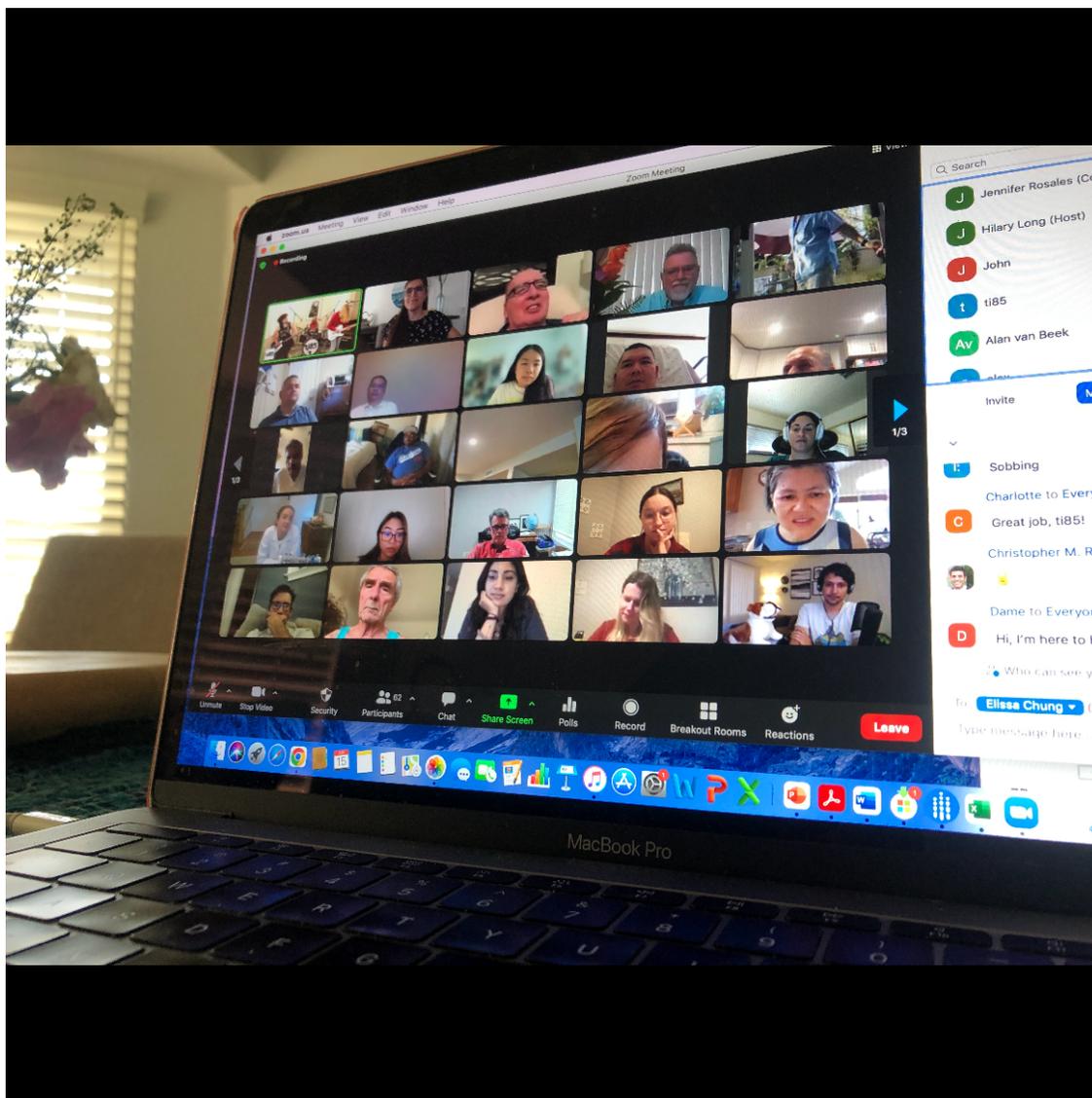


Member Highlight

A Speech Recovery Pathway member, **Ronlyn Goo**, works hard to practice her speech at every meeting. Here are some of her favorite activities.

"I enjoy reading books. Some of my favorite books are *A Man called Ove*, *The Hunting Party*, and *Water for Elephants*. I create beautiful acrylic paintings and watercolors. I am a big Golden State Warriors fan. I watch all of the games and am rooting for them in the playoffs. My favorite player is Stephen Curry. I enjoy baking desserts such as pies and banana bread." ~**Ronlyn Goo**

In this picture she is wearing a Warriors jacket with her latest painting in the background!



Talent Show Overview

On Wednesday June 15th, we hosted our second annual Talent Show. This event celebrated those living with aphasia, while also educating others on aphasia.

It was truly a beautiful evening! We are proud of the 9 stroke survivors who performed their talents and shared personal

triumphs with their recovery. Talents varied from dog tricks, to science experiments, to singing songs. The acts were all so special. Also a huge shout out to the band Ti85 for kicking off the show, and to Speech Language Pathologist Jenna Abril for closing out the show with a moving song. To learn more about Ti85, [click here!](#)

Movie Night Overview

Featured below are some pictures from a recent movie night. We watched the movie, Water for Elephants, which was based on the book we discussed in Book Club. It was absolutely wonderful spending time together and discussing the differences between the movie and book. Thank you to those who came in person or logged on via zoom.





Volunteer Highlight - Jasmine Trefz

"I am a senior at Cal State Fullerton who is planning on earning my Bachelor of Arts in Communicative Disorders in Fall 2022. Before I moved to Fullerton, I worked as a Paraprofessional at an elementary school in San Francisco, California which sparked my interest in the field of Communication Sciences and Disorders. I really enjoy hiking, crocheting, cooking, reading, and spending time with friends and family."



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