

## Arizona: So Nice, We're Doing It Twice! Celebrating 30 Years of Annual Conferences

TAMMY FLORES

Are you ready for some fun in the sun in Scottsdale, Arizona?! It may *seem* like we just left St. Petersburg, but in reality, our 30th Annual Conference is right around the corner, July 3-7, 2013, and it's going to be huge!

Whether this is your first time to one of our conferences or you are a seasoned veteran, we've got something in store for you. Rest assured that we're bringing back old conference favorites, but know that we've got a few surprises up our sleeves as well. Check out the Annual Conference section of our website for more information, and we'll see you in Scottsdale to celebrate 30 years of the National Stuttering Association!

If you were one of the 600+ attendees who had the chance to experience this dazzling establishment in 2009, you heard the compliments that lasted long after our conference ended. The Westin Kierland Resort & Spa truly is one of the crown jewels of American hotels. Surrounded by golden rays of sun, perfectly formed palm trees, and spectacular views of the mountains, this property showcases the very best of the Phoenix metropolitan area. And if you want to keep cool, we have the best way to do it: lavish outdoor pools, a "lazy river" where you can float away, and oh yes...how can we forget a hot tub under the stars? The property also boasts a four-star gym, spacious conference rooms, and guest rooms that blend the perfect mix



of cosmopolitan with the Native American history. Or perhaps you're looking to indulge yourself in the very best spa treatments around? Every option you could wish for will be available.

Being a guest at the Westin Kierland will also mean that you won't have go far for anything.

If you want to enjoy a day at the mall, Kierland Commons is just a short walk away, and regardless of whether you're looking for a new pair of jeans, Indian jewelry, or a delicious dinner, you'll find easy access to all of this and more. Restaurants such as **The Cheesecake Factory** and **Tommy Bahama** are popular choices for a bite out. And since Arizona is all about the outdoors, the adventurous types can take in one of the world's renowned wonders, the **Grand Canyon**. It's a mere three-hour drive, but seemingly a lifetime away.

### Hotel Reservations

Hotel reservations for the AAA Four Diamond Westin Kierland Resort & Spa are now open and Early Bird rates are back!\* Book your room before March 31, 2013 for just \$119.00 per night. (April 1st and after – \$139.00 per night). Book your reservations early to secure your room at the NSA conference rate now. *\*Early Bird Rate requires one night deposit, which will be charged in advance and is non-refundable.*

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## Successful End of Year Gathering!

SAM GENNUSO

As the sun went down over the Renaissance Vinoy Hotel in St. Petersburg, FL and glasses clinked in celebration of a successful gathering of friends both old and new, it was safe to say that many of our NSA friends were already bubbling with excitement for what was to come in Arizona at the 2013 Annual Conference. The mid-year holiday party in Florida on December 1st was a much-needed ray of sunshine in the otherwise too-long stretch of time that passes each year between the NSA conferences. Especially for the veterans who have been attending conferences for over a decade, the festivities were a wonderful way to catch up, share stories, and enjoy a welcome break from winter.

For many attendees, the Annual Conference during the summer is full of introductions, workshops, and life-altering experiences. But for the first time, the NSA family was able to close out a wonderful 2012 and ring in an exiting 2013 with a gathering where members could come together for an impromptu vacation-like experience without the structured schedule of the conference,

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## Normal

LEAH CHIBWE



Most of my close friends and family tell me that I probably make a bigger deal of my speech than it really is; even my wonderful speech pathologist has begun to say so. I feel, though, that it's one of those things you have to experience to really understand. Maybe I make a big deal of it sometimes, but there are days when not being able to properly express what you feel and the way you feel it can be downright depressing. I know my speech does not define me, and I know that there are many other good qualities I possess but there are still days that I wonder what it's like to speak like a "normal" person and just be "normal" (or at least more "normal" than I am right now!).

On more than one occasion I have found myself dejected over my speech. Making a phone call is a hassle; I feel as though I cannot call for a cab and I often worry that I'd never be able to make a 911 call if the need ever presented itself. I shy away from keeping in touch with my friends because they want to Skype. I avoid attending parties/social gatherings, going on dates, meeting new people and making small talk. My worries become even more pronounced the further I delve into my PhD program. As a doctorate-seeking individual, there is pressure to be more intellectual and inquisitive, and I often feel that I am in way over my head. I admit, I have started to avoid all these because I don't like the stress that comes with them; the build-up of anxiety to such events. The older I get, the more I shy away and the more I worry.

I have wonderful, supportive friends and family and had a wonderful SLP in Maureen Eaton, though it's a big world out there. At times, I still fear that that world will eat me up. I know that my stutter is not the worst thing and I acknowledge that there are people out there who are going through much worse, and I remind myself to be grateful for what I have. I haven't given up on myself yet. I try to put myself out there as much as possible and insert myself into those awkward situations and try not care too much, or over think things. I just have to remind myself to keep my head above the water! 🌊

# CHAPTER NEWS

DAVID BLAZINA

## Chicago West (New Chapter!)

The Windy City has added another NSA Chapter! Co-leaders **Kenny Koroll** and **Paul Roumeliotis** held the first meeting for the Chicago West NSA Chapter in Naperville, Illinois. It was a rainy, windy, Election Day but that didn't stop people from attending the meeting. The only hesitation that was shown that day was with our words! There was a total of 12 people in attendance with six of them being first timers.

To start off the night the group read the "Welcoming Words" in unison to get an understanding of why they were all there, and followed up by going around the room and briefly telling each other a little bit about themselves. After the introductions, some ground rules were established that would be followed during each meeting. The discussion about the ground rules transitioned to a much larger discussion with people sharing stories, experiences, and advice. This conversation took up the entire time, which was a great! As the meeting progressed the group all felt comfortable with each other and no one seemed afraid to talk, which nailed one of the ground rules! It was hard to believe that this was the group's first meeting because the atmosphere was as comfortable as it could have been. Overall, Kenny and Paul were very excited about how everything turned out, and thank all of those who attended and hope that they are just as excited as they are about the many meetings to come.

Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month from 7:00 to 8:30 PM in Room A of the Naperville 95th Street Public Library located at 3015 Cedar Glade Road, Naperville, IL 60564. For more information please 'like' the chapter's Facebook page at "Chicago West NSA Chapter."

## Houston, TX

**Vicki Schutter** reports that there were five people at their meeting: **Charlie, Jonathan, Stephen, Mario,** and Vicki. This was Jonathan's first meeting, and it was Stephen's first meeting in several years. The meeting started out with Jonathan reading the Welcoming Words, which was followed by group introductions. Jonathan has lived all over North America but has been in Houston for quite a while. He owns three Baskin-Robbins

franchises in Houston (Stephen requested coupons – more than once!). Stephen changed jobs a few months ago and now has to do a lot of traveling, and shared that most of his non-work focus is on his 10-year-old son. Charlie talked about how he had used a SpeechEasy for a few years but hasn't used it for over a year. He really likes his current job working in the oil and gas industry with engineers, and also enjoys teaching classes and feels most fluent when he has a class going.

Mario talked about Toastmasters and how much he feels it has helped him. He strongly encouraged Charlie and the others to also get involved with Toastmasters. Vicki talked about her and her husband's birthday trip to London and how she has worked in the same job for 28 years. By the time introductions were over it was time for the group to take a pizza break. Afterwards, the meeting turned into a discussion about the live concerts everybody had seen.

## Central NJ Chapter

**Hannah Laday** writes that the group met on November 16th with seven people in attendance, five PWS and two SLP students. The attendees discussed whether or not living through a serious hurricane had impacted their perspectives on living with stuttering and also gratitude since Thanksgiving would soon be upon them.

Some of the chapter members had had to make a lot of phone calls as a result of dealing with hurricane damage and were go-to people on property issues, while some were thrown into unexpected social situations due to sharing housing during prolonged power outages. They recognized each other for stepping up when needed and putting stuttering in correct perspective. They also acknowledged that this perspective does not negate the seriousness of living with stuttering.

## Cincinnati, OH, Chapter

**Tom Scharstein** writes that the Cincinnati, OH, chapter had 15 people in attendance at its last meeting. Two newcomers had expressed a desire to attend – a high-level sales executive and a man in his late 60s who had been "cured" earlier in his life and wanted to help the group. The chapter members knew that the executive's story



San Diego Chapter Holiday Meeting

would likely be inspirational, and felt that exposure to the gentleman with the “cure” would be healthy for the new members. The intention was not to throw him to the lions but rather discuss the idea of “cure” with him and let both he and the impressionable members of the audience know that individual success isn’t universal.

After a choral reading of the opening words, it was the guests’ turn to speak. The gentleman who was “cured” had been hypnotized when he was younger, although to the groups trained ears he did not sound cured. After he was finished, **Britni Bucknayer**, the chapter’s upcoming new leader (beginning in January), told him that if someone offered her a pill to quit stuttering she wouldn’t take it. The gentleman almost dropped to the floor and just looked at her with amazement; he COULD NOT believe her! Next, the group went around the room to get everyone’s response and while all the young people in attendance said that they would take the “magic pill”, the rest of us said we would not.

The executive, who was an older, successful man, had never heard of the NSA. He spoke of a new position that he took last spring that started out with a conference call during which (in his mind) he stuttered severely, causing him to break down and cry afterwards. This revelation led to an intense discussion about advertising and covertness, which resulted in this being one of the chapter’s most powerful and moving meetings to date.

San Diego Chapter Holiday Meeting



Interestingly, both of our guests called chapter leader Tom the next day. The gentleman who was “cured” said that each of the meeting attendees will get “heaven points” for the work that they do and that he was touched by the love and closeness he observed in us. The executive told me that he couldn’t get “covertness” off his mind and that he is now part of the group.

#### Auburn, AL

The Auburn chapter held their final meeting of the year in November with four people in attendance, including two regular attendees and one member, **Khalid**, who brought his nephew, **Mohammed**, who was visiting from Jordan. Khalid’s nephew is also a PWS but does not speak much English, so Khalid had to translate what the group was discussing and then tell us his Mohammed’s thoughts. It was very enlightening because he shared with the group what it’s like for him in his home country regarding his stuttering.

#### San Diego, CA

The October meeting had 17 people in attendance, including 6 first time members and 2 SLPs – not bad for a group that had been dissolved 6 months ago! The group was split into 2 smaller groups, giving members more of an opportunity to talk and share. Members covered an array of topics, including being open about stuttering and ways to reduce the feeling of time-pressure.



#### ARIZONA *continued*

### Research Symposium

#### Save the Date!

You’re invited to the National Stuttering Association’s 2013 Research Symposium – *Stuttering Research Update: An Advanced Symposium* at the Westin Kierland Resort & Golf Club in Scottsdale, Arizona, July 2-3, 2013. Professionals can earn ASHA Continuing Education credits as well as network with leading fluency specialists. More information to follow.

### Airport Transportation

The NSA is able once again to offer you generously discounted rates of \$19/person each way for SuperShuttle airport transportation. As an added bonus, if you book online SuperShuttle will give you an additional \$4 off of your round trip reservation!

### Accepting Workshop Proposals

We are working hard to put together a conference program schedule that kids, ‘twins, teens, families, adults, and SLPs are sure to enjoy. The deadline to get your completed proposal to us is March 15, 2013 and the primary contact will be notified by May 15, 2013. Please email [Info@WeStutter.org](mailto:Info@WeStutter.org) to request a workshop proposal form or check the ‘Annual Conference’ section of our website.

### Scholarships

Once again, thanks to the generosity of corporate sponsors and many of our members, we are pleased to announce that partial scholarships are available to provide financial assistance for people who stutter and their families who would like to attend our Annual Conference. Please complete and return to us a 2013 Scholarship Application, found on the ‘Annual Conference’ section of our web site. [www.WeStutter.org](http://www.WeStutter.org)

# Message from our Vice-Chair

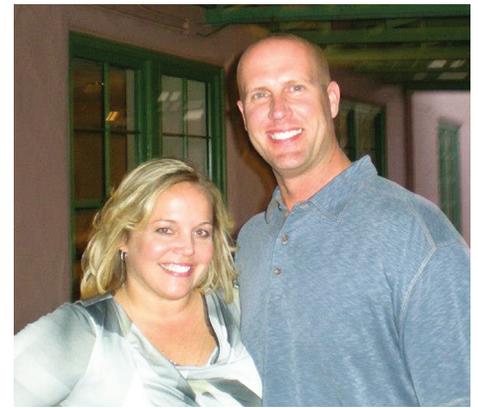
KENNY KOROLL

I hope this message finds you all well, and looking forward to the 30th Annual NSA Conference in Scottsdale, AZ. Tammy, her staff, and the various committees are working very hard to make this the biggest and best conference yet!

One of the most rewarding aspects of serving you as the Vice-Chairman is steering the Nominations Committee. The Nominations Committee is tasked to discover dedicated, passionate, and hard-working individuals to potentially serve on the NSA's Board of Directors (BoD). Those interested in joining our BoD are encouraged first to serve on a committee headed by current Board members. Our BoD is composed of between 10 and 15 members, and the current positions are as follows: Fund Development, Family Programs, Adult Programs, Teen

Advisory, Public Relations, and Professional Relations. Also in place is the NSA Executive Committee, which is comprised of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Our Board of Directors holds two regular meetings and several conference call meetings throughout year. Our winter meeting typically takes place in early February at a location determined by the Board (often the site of our upcoming conference for that year). The summer meeting takes place during the Annual Conference, the day before the conference begins\*. Each elected board member serves a term of (3) years, and no more than two consecutive terms (6 years) before taking a three-year (1 term) break. There is no limit to the number of terms to which a director may be elected.



To see a listing of individuals currently serving on our Board of Directors, please visit the 'About the NSA' section of our website, and if you have any questions regarding the BoD, please don't hesitate to ask me or any of the current members of the Board. We are here to serve you, and we are happy to help! 📧

*\*Travel costs associated with these meetings is not paid for by the NSA.*

## END OF YEAR GATHERING *continued*

yet enjoy all of the familiar fun and support. We even had a birthday in the house! **Dustin Linkins** was lucky to celebrate his special day with his NSA family, while **Paul Roumeliotis** had his parents and brother in tow. NSA cameraman **Mike Bauer** stopped in, as well as all-star members **Steven Kaufman** and **Kenny Koroll**. Newly-appointed Board Member **Evan Sherman** shared some laughs with fiancée **Christina** and friends, **Miranda Smith** and **Alex Rosebaum**. The food was delicious and plentiful and the weather was perfect, just like the memories. 📧



## Coming Soon... NSA Virtual Support Groups!

The National Stuttering Association is pleased to announce new virtual support groups for school-age children, teens, adults, and parents. This is a great way to meet other peers who stutter in a non-therapy setting.

### Join Us!

Groups are free to join. Access to an internet connection and webcam is needed. For more information please contact:

Craig Coleman, M.A., CCC-SLP, BRS-FD  
at [CEColeman.SLP@gmail.com](mailto:CEColeman.SLP@gmail.com)

- Participants will have an opportunity to:
- Discuss their experiences with stuttering
  - Discuss the facts about stuttering
  - Discuss videos/media related to stuttering
  - Discuss how to handle teasing and bullying
  - And much more...

# A Special Thanks to Our Donors

The NSA relies on financial support from its members to sustain and provide support services to children and adults who stutter and their families. With your help, the NSA has become the largest support organization in the country for people who stutter.

As the NSA expands its reach, it is more important than ever to give back. There are many easy ways to contribute at a level that is comfortable to all, including one-time donations, monthly donations, combined Federal Campaign donations, or stock donations. Please visit [WeStutter.org](http://WeStutter.org) or call 800-WeStutter (800-937-8888) to find out how you can help.

On behalf of thousands of recipients, we thank the following donors for their financial support in 2012. This list includes all donations received as of December 26, 2012. An updated list is available by contacting the National Office.

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# ODDS&ENDS

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Our heartfelt congrats go out to **Greg Snyder** on his recent engagement to **Danielle Richardson**. Greg, life-long PWS and involved with the NSA since 1997 asked Danielle, a fluent, for her hand in marriage and she graciously accepted. The two met years ago at The University of Mississippi. They enjoy a family-focused lifestyle, motorcycle riding, hiking (or meandering), and are active in their church and state prison ministry. They are planning an April 2013 wedding.



The NSA wishes to congratulate our own Board Member **Vivian Sisskin** on being named a 2012 ASHA (American Speech-Language Hearing

Association) Fellow. Congratulations, Vivian! Well-deserved!

Our deepest condolences go out to NSA Vice-Chair **Kenny Koroll** after the passing of his beloved mother. Our hearts and thoughts are with you, Kenny.



NSA member and past Chairman of the Board of Directors, **Lee Reeves**, recently teamed up with friend and self-help advocate, **Alan Badmington** from Wales, UK to present

a seminar at the 2012 Annual Convention of the ASHA in Atlanta, GA. The presentation,

Self-Help Works: Evidence and Stories was summarized in the program as follows:

*Alan Badmington and Lee Reeves, two adults who stutter with many years of self-help experience will review research evidence supporting the value of self-help and provide a glimpse into the process through a poignant and insightful account of using self-management techniques to eliminate avoidance, confront fears and expand comfort zones. In the words of Mr. Badmington, "No-one has ever changed behaviours by retaining the status quo. Like the turtle, we can only move forward when we stick out our neck. When we achieve something we, hitherto, considered impossible, it causes us to reconsider our self-limiting beliefs. If we conquer something that has challenged our advancement, we grow in stature. It opens our eyes to possibilities that we could never have imagined. When we are stretched by a new experience, we likewise grow as human beings. The only limitations are those we impose upon ourselves."*



Congratulations are in order to Board Member **Cathy Olish** on her recent marriage to **Ron Maciejewski**. The wedding took place on November 4 in Royal Oak, MI at the same place they met last year! Congratulations, Cathy & Ron!

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