



Conference Schedule at a Glance

6/22 WEDNESDAY

9:00 -4:00 **Soft Skills that Affect Ethical Approaches and Communication Efficacy of Interpreters (TSD)**

Lauri Metcalf

6:30 – 9:00 CODA Austin 2016's Community Evening of Entertainment at TSD

6/23 THURSDAY

7:30 Pre-Conference Activities (Zipline or Bus Tour)

12:00 **Registration Opens**

2:30 **Newcomer Orientation**

4:30 – 5:30 **BREAKOUTS:**

Newcomers #1

Newcomers #2

Newcomers #3

Newcomers #4

Facilitators

Volunteers

LGBTQCODA

6:00 Cocktails and Hello's (CODA Film)

6:30 **All about Austin**

Billy and Larry

7:00 Surprise Event

7:30 DINNER

8:30 – 10:00 **Keynote Speaker** - Jannelle Legg

6/24 FRIDAY

6:00 – 7:30 **Back to Back Basics**

Alan Sessions

7:00 **ZUMBA** with Valerie McMillian

Friends of Bill

8:30 - 11:30 **Embracing Value in Deaf-parented Leadership: Shifting Perspectives and Changing Paradigms**

Betty Colonomos and Kelly Decker

8:30 - 10:00 **Bullet Journaling: Bring Mindfulness to your Daily Life**

Jeffrey Levi Palmer

BREAKOUTS:

CODAs and Divorce/Being Single Again

Fire & Ice 1

CODAs with Deaf Partners

CODAs and Communication

Meditation Room

10:00 - 11:30 **Integrative Practices in Healing**

Mariann Jacobson

BREAKOUTS:

Diversity/Multicultural CODAS

CODAs and Aging

29 & Younger

30 Something

Meditation Room

12:00 - 13:00 LUNCH

13:30 - 16:30 **Codas Doing Research**

Jennifer Hensley et al

13:30 - 15:00 **RISK MANAGEMENT**

John McDonald

BREAKOUTS:

CODAs with Hearing Loss/Disabilities

CODA Siblings

CODAs & Relationships

CODA Parts

Meditation Room

15:00 - 16:30 **Doctor, You Want To Do What? Where?**

Janet Maxwell

BREAKOUTS:

OCODAs

CODAs as Advocates

Single CODAs

Children of Deaf Peddlers - JoAnn Huss

Meditation Room

18:30 - 22:00 **Games, Dinner, Codaoke at the SPEAKEASY**

412 South Congress Avenue

6/25 SATURDAY

7:00 **ZUMBA** with Valerie McMillian

Friends of Bill

8:00 - 11:00 **Embracing Awkward - Having Tough Conversations on the Fly to Level the Playing Field**

Olivia Rowan

8:00 - 9:30 **One Generation Thick**

Bob Hoffmeister

BREAKOUTS:

Parents with Special Needs

Fire & Ice 2

COCA CODAs

Non-Signing CODAs

Meditation Room

9:30 - 11:00 **Coda Interpreters: One wrapper...**

Amy Williamson

BREAKOUTS:

OH CODAs

Caring for Elderly

CODAs Not Working with Deaf

KODAs

Meditation Room

11:00 - 12:00 **REGIONAL MEETINGS**

REGION I - Mary Bacheller

REGION II - Summer Chappell

REGION III - Sue Nace

REGION IV - Billy Collins

REGION V - Robin Dragoo

REGION VI / VII - Ray Williams

12:00 - 15:00 **ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING / Lunch**

15:00 - 18:00 Talent Show Practice/Rehearsal

15:30 - 17:00 **BREAKOUTS:**

Women's Spirituality

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Men's Group

18:00 - 22:00 Cocktails and CASH BAR

18:30 - 19:30 **Be A Rockstar!** dinner

19:30 - 20:00 Live Auction

20:45 - 23:00 Talent Show

23:00 - 00:00 Dancing

6/26 SUNDAY

8:00 - 9:00 **A Walk with God 2**

Larry Barnett

Friends of Bill

9:00 - 9:30 Brunch

9:30 - 11:00 **Closing Keynote** - Su Isakson

11:00 - 11:15 CODACAN Presentation

11:15 - 12:00 TESTIMONIALS

1:00 – 4:00 Community Picnic at Zilker

7:00 – 10:00 Drinks, Desserts, Dancing on Lady Bird Lake