



January 2016 Family E-newsletter

20 Years of Smiles

We are so excited! In just two weeks, we will mark our 20th birthday. 20 years is a long time and we thank YOU for being a part of the Child's Voice family over the past 20 years. Children have learned to listen, to speak and to be successful in their education and in their communities... all because of your support, engagement and excitement for Child's Voice! [Read more...](#)



A special congratulations to our friends at the [Roscoe Village Chamber of Commerce](#) on their 20th anniversary this year too!



Recently Heard...



Success Story

Changing lives for a lifetime... [Read more.](#)



Visionary Voices

Dr. Michele's latest blog posting about New Year's resolutions. [Read more...](#)



Parent Resources

Audiology Center & Device Support

Our partners at Advanced Bionics have launched a virtual learning series for their implant candidates, recipients and their families. There is a session TONIGHT, January 26, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. CST. [Click here for more information.](#)

Mainstream Support

Two great articles from our friends at Clarke Schools for Hearing and Speech: [Personal FM Systems vs. Soundfield FM Systems: What's the Difference? Questions & Answers about the challenge for students with hearing loss.](#)

Lovin' Literacy

Family Literacy Day is January 27th - tomorrow! Even 15 minutes a day can improve a child's literacy skills dramatically. To find out more about this day, for some great ideas and to start reading, [click here.](#)

Healthy Voices

It's a new year, and many of us focus on trying to live a healthier life and develop improved habits. It's a great time to [Recommit to New LSL \(listening and spoken language\) Habits in the New Year.](#) Thank you to our friends at [Hearing First](#) for this great article.

Another great resolution - eating healthier as a family! From the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, [some ideas to eat right this year.](#)

The Chicago Dental Society Foundation is hosting *Give Kids a Smile Day* on Friday, February 5th in Wheaton. [Click here for more.](#)

For all our students and graduates that are active in sports here is a useful article from our friends at Assurance Agency, [Preventing and Treating Sports Injuries in Children.](#)



Help change the life of a child with hearing loss.



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Upcoming Events

In collaboration with Wood Dale School District 7, Child's Voice is thrilled to present:

<p>Wednesday, April 13, 2016, 6:00 p.m. Wood Dale Jr. High</p> <p><i>Talking to your child can change their life!</i> Dr. Dana Suskind explains the impact of early language to all children through her research and real-life case studies.</p>	<p>THIRTY MILLION WORDS</p> <p>BUILDING A CHILD'S BRAIN</p>	<p>Dr. Dana Suskind Author of "Thirty Million Words: Building a Child's Brain"; Director, Thirty Million Words Initiative; Professor, Surgery & Pediatrics; Director, Pediatric Cochlear Implantation Program at the University of Chicago; Child's Voice Board Member</p>
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Save the Date

family reunion

Saturday, April 16, 2016
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Wesley Hall
Elmhurst, IL

Recognition Ceremony, Thursday, May 19, 2016
Child's Voice Golf Tournament Monday, June 6, 2016
20th Anniversary Celebration & Autumn Gala, Saturday, October 22, 2016
For a full listing of events, please [click here.](#)



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