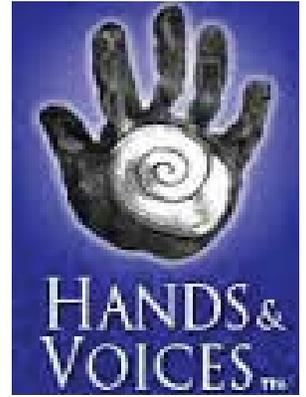




# ***Making Connections*** *for families with children who are deaf or have hearing loss*

*May 14th, 2016  
10 - 11:30 AM*



*Providing Support & Resources*

*for families with children who have different abilities*

*Group meets at*  
**RIPIN**

**1210 Pontiac Ave.  
Cranston, RI  
02920**

## ***May is Hearing Loss Awareness Month!***

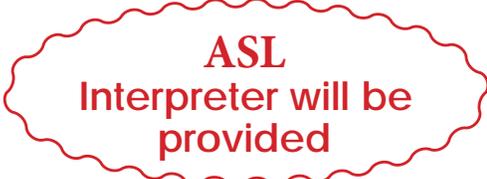
Tim Riker from the Center for Language Studies at Brown University and Chairperson on the RI Commission on the Deaf and Hard of Hearing will discuss the Commission's role in relation to families. The Commission is great way to advocate for your loved one who is Deaf or Hard of Hearing.

**This group is facilitated by Elsbeth Brown, RIPIN, and Marissa Weiss, RIC, mothers of children with hearing loss.**

*This is a great opportunity to for families & their children to connect with others who have experienced hearing loss.*

Child care is available and refreshments will be served.

*We hope you can join us to learn about this great resource!*



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