



Special Edition! Celebrating Community

Please Join Us!

UW Autism Center Open House

With Informative Talks, Staff Q & A and Appetizers
Wednesday, April 27, 2016 4:30-7 p.m.

UW Autism Center
University of Washington South Campus
1701 NE Columbia Road, Seattle, WA

Please RSVP to Christina Meehan at 206-543-2125 or
cnm7@uw.edu.

A Great Evening at Town Hall for *In a Different Key*

Thank you to everyone who joined us



at Town Hall for John Dovan and Caren Zucker's [book](#) on the history of autism and advocacy. We were honored to have our director, Annette Estes PhD, moderating this wonderful event. Hear the [full conversation here!](#)

An Excellent Turn-Out for the 2nd Run-2-Pieces

The Shevitz Family & [Aikido Kokikai of South Everett](#) did an outstanding job hosting the second [Run 2 Pieces](#) on Saturday April 2nd! We are also grateful to also of the generous sponsors, volunteers and runners! Your support raised awareness and helped families get early diagnoses through the [UW Autism Center Family Scholarship Fund!](#) We hope that you will join us next year!



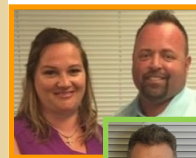
An Amazing Gift of New Art for a Renovated Space

Ten new portraits from [Charles](#)



[Cotugno's Stories of Autism Exhibit](#) are now on display and part of our permanent collection in the Portage Bay Clinic!

Student Teams Launch UWAC Autism Stories



Many thanks to UW Journalism student Kate Clark, UW Digital Arts and Experimental Media PhD student, Yunmi Her, Dr. Kelly Johnson and [Luke Morse](#) for creating [UW Autism Center: Autism Stories!](#) This inspiring project would not have been possible without parents like Cynthia and Craig (front photo) and Marcia and Joel (back photo) who share with us about their experiences raising children with autism. Listen and follow us on [Soundcloud!](#)



An Exceptional Project Strengthens the UWAC

Aspen White's award-winning Information Technology MBA capstone project and volunteer implementation has been instrumental in ensuring that UWAC mobile devices are as secure as possible. We are greatly appreciative!

Seattle Symphony Offers Sensory Friendly Concerts

Last month, our doctoral candidate Amy Rodda, CCC-SLP, was invited to meet with the Seattle Symphony to support developing ways to make live music performances more accessible to kids with autism. This program is in its pilot phase, so stay tuned at [Seattle Symphony's](#) site!



Apex Summer Camp in Tacoma

The UW Autism Center is pleased to expand Apex Summer Camp to the South Puget Sound this summer! APEX-Tacoma will be hosted at an elementary school a few blocks from our UW Autism Center - Tacoma offices. Call 206-221-2267 or see www.apexsummercamp.org for more information!