

Come and explore fun and playful activities that connect us to ourselves, and to one another, on beautiful Mackworth Island.

The pandemic has caused an unprecedented need for family resilience and a deep desire for connection and belonging. Parents of deaf and hard of hearing children often have additional needs for connection. This event will provide some foundational information about the neurobiology of stress in ourselves and our children



along with strategies to work with our own bodies to support connection and well-being.

We will facilitate experiential learning stations for parents and discuss the ways they can support their children. We will offer new ways to interact with, and think about, how spending time in nature can be both supportive and fun!

THE MAINE EDUCATIONAL CENTER
FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING
THE GOVERNOR BAXTER SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
One Mackworth Island, Falmouth, ME 04105



June 18th, 9:00 - 3:00
Mackworth Island
Falmouth, Maine



ALL AGES WELCOME

9:00 – 9:30

Family Arrival/Breakfast

9:30 – 11:30

Children Activity Time

with MECDHH/GBSD staff

GROUPS: 0-5, Elementary, Middle School
and High School

Parent Session with Elizabeth Seeliger

11:30-12:30

Lunch

12:30 – 1:30

Children Activity Time

with MECDHH/GBSD staff

Parents with Elizabeth Seeliger

1:30 – 2:30

Family walk and Build Fairy Houses

2:30 – 3:00

Ice Cream Social, Games, Playground fun



Elizabeth Seeliger, AuD, is the Wisconsin Sound Beginnings Program Director and has worked as a clinical audiologist in a variety of settings, helping guide children and families through the process of hearing difference diagnosis and intervention. Elizabeth has been a leader in developing a data, tracking and referral system; educational resources for hospitals and providers; and an interactive notebook for parents. Elizabeth spearheaded the initiative to enable Wisconsin home birth midwives to provide Universal Newborn Hearing Screenings (UNHS). Elizabeth has

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