

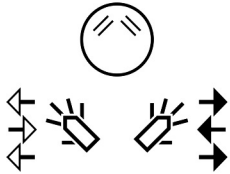
# SignWriting Workshop

In La Jolla, San Diego, California

July 1st - July 7th, 2013



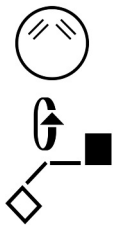
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Learn to read and write American Sign Language, or ANY sign language.

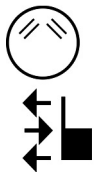
An in-depth week of learning SignWriting.



## When?

July 1 - July 7th, 2013

Seven morning sessions, 9:00am - 12:00 noon, with a party on July 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. See next page for a description of workshop topics.



## Where?

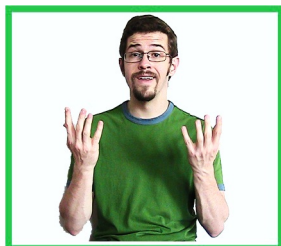
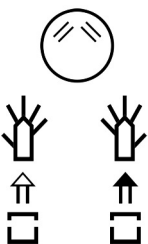
La Jolla Recreation Center, 615 Prospect Street, across from the Museum of Contemporary Art, one block from La Jolla beaches and 20 minutes from Mexico. Hotels & restaurants are in walking distance. July 4<sup>th</sup> and July 7<sup>th</sup> sessions will be held in Valerie's home...



## Who?

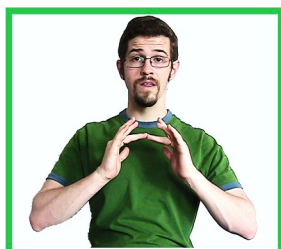
Taught by 3 skilled SignWriting teachers:

1. Deaf ASL Linguist & Teacher, Adam Frost
2. ASL Literature Writer, Nancy Romero
3. Inventor, SignWriting, Valerie Sutton



## Cost?

\$200 for seven 3-hour morning sessions, with parties on July 4th and 7th. Books and software are included. You can also attend single 3-hour sessions, at \$50 per session. Scholarships for workshop fees are available. Inquire below.



## Contact?

Register, apply or inquire:

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See next page for more information...

# SignWriting Workshop La Jolla 2013

## Topics & Lodging

### July 1 – 3 & July 5 - 6

#### At the La Jolla Recreation Center

Instruction will be flexible, and presented in this order:

#### SignWriting Basics

For all levels. Everyone receives the SignWriting Basics Manual. Advanced signwriters will benefit more from this session than they may imagine ;-)

#### Read SignWriting Literature

Learn to read ASL Wikipedia articles, ASL children's stories, ASL books, and learn to read other sign languages too. Learn to "sign out loud" while reading, and learn to read ASL silently, for speed and comprehension. Speed reading in ASL is a skill.

#### SignWriting Hand Symbols

It will be fun to see photos/animation of Hand Symbols, and discuss palm facing and hand/finger directions. We hope to give you a new manual: ASL Hand Symbols.

#### SignWriting Movement Symbols

Adam Frost has developed excellent videos that teach & review movement & contact symbols. New materials will be introduced as well.

#### SignWriting Facial Expressions, Body Movement, Timing & Dynamics

Learn SignWriting Facial Expressions, Head/Body Movement, even dynamics and timing of movement. You will be amazed so much can be written!

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### July 4<sup>th</sup> ... Write SignWriting by Computer (in Valerie's home)

Individual signs and full documents can be written on the Internet. Bring your laptop. Computers will also be there at the workshop, and there is WiFi. Several software programs will be introduced, including how to post Wikipedia articles. And we will party after we are done – Happy July 4<sup>th</sup>!

### July 7<sup>th</sup> ... SignWriting Handwriting (Sunday at Valerie's home)

You don't need a computer to write...just a pen and paper. This last session gives you a useful daily tool for jotting down notes in ASL for personal use. A fitting end to a fun week – and a light lunch on Val's deck ;-)

#### Lodging Close By...

1. La Jolla Beach Travelodge  
6750 La Jolla Boulevard  
La Jolla, CA 92037  
(858) 454-0716

2. Holiday Inn Express  
6705 La Jolla Boulevard  
La Jolla, CA. 92037  
(858) 454-7101

Scholarships are available. Private sessions can also be scheduled in the afternoons.

#### To register, contact Valerie Sutton:

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