



CTC Network Meeting Minutes

Location: ZOOM
Date: January 11th, 2021
Time: 1-3 pm

In Attendance: Anne Burrill, Barb Jones, Diane Wright, Jimi Belleau, Krista Harvey, Hayley Guichon, Silvia Dubray, Cara Bullinger

- 1) Welcome and acknowledgment of the traditional unceded territory of the Secwepemc Nation and the T'exelc people (WLFN) in which we are privileged to live, work and play.
- 2) Review of January Agenda and December minutes: This month we are continuing to review the data from the Prevention Needs Assessment Survey facilitated December 2020 that gathered information on the risk and protective factors of youth in grades 7-12 in the four domains, Individual, Family, School and Community. Last month we discussed the results from the Individual Domain and this month we are discussing the Family, School and Community Domains.
- 3) CTC Power Point Presentation – Anne Burrill
 - If you would like more information on the Prevention Needs Assessment Survey please contact Barb at communitiesthatcare@spc.ca or Anne at anne.burrill@spc.ca
- 4) Round Table

Hayley Guichon, Denisiqi Outreach Worker

- Jordon's Principle/Denisiqi. The building flooded over Christmas and staff are working from home. Some programs have been postponed until next week.

Jimi Belleau Denisiqi Outreach worker

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- Filling in today for Linda Bingham. No changes to the Hockey Program Fridays from 3:30-4:45pm.

Anne Burrill, Social Planning Council/Thrive

- The Rent bank is taking longer to process application due to the high volume of applicants. When making referrals, please prepare people that the process takes a bit of time and a lot of personal information is needed.

Silvia Dubray, Community Wellness and Safety Plan Coordinator

- Program received funding and has been extended to Dec 1, 2022.
- An emergency cold weather shelter was set up at the Hamilton, 26 individuals have used it.
- Working with Anne to review the results of the Pandemic Impacts survey.

Krista Harvey, BGC

- Noopa open 3-8 Mon-thur
- Summer planning has started with hopes of having day and evening fun for youth 13-18,
- Summer Camp for 5-12 years olds 2 locations registration will open late may beginning of June online registration only,
- Pro-d Day sign up for Feb 18th is open online registration as started,
- Spring break camp will open soon open to community first week of march,
- BGC is looking for on call Noopa workers and someone that would like to work Fridays 4pm-10pm. Also looking for a couple adults with Mountain biking experience to work May-Oct twice a week Monday and Wednesday's 3-6.
- New Signage and new branding has arrived at the club

Carla Bullinger, Cariboo Partners for Literacy

- **CCPL – call us at 250-392-7833 for information on any of these programs – all of our programs are free**
- **Celebrate Family Literacy Week, January 23-30, 2021** - Family literacy refers to the way parents, children and extended family members use literacy at home and in their community. Family literacy occurs naturally during the routines of daily living and helps adults and children “get things done”. CCPL has designed a Family Literacy BINGO card. Families have to complete just

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- three squares in order to enter their names on-line and win a prize. We wanted to keep the activities as a simple reminder that families are already engaging in family literacy activities all the time, and to affirm what they are already doing. We hope service providers will use the activities on the family literacy BINGO card with their clients, affirm the work families are already doing, and support them – if they need it – to register for a prize.
- **Story Walks** – The StoryWalk at Kiwanis Park is on hold while we wait for the kiosks to thaw so we can insert stories again. You can visit a StoryWalk set up in the windows of the Williams Lake Library. Take a few extra minutes and stroll along the windows and enjoy a new story every couple of weeks.
 - **Literacy, numeracy, financial literacy and digital literacy support for adults** – we provide one-on-one and small group tutoring support.
 - **English as a Second Language Classes and Conversation Circles for newcomers to Canada.** An evening online ESL Book club will get underway once a week in February. Our *Learn & Play ESL Family Group*, for adult learners of English and the pre-school children they care for, is held every Friday morning. Contact Angelika at angelika@caribooliteracy.com for more info about any of these programs
 - **Immigration and Settlement Services** support the social and economic integration of newcomers to Canada. All newcomers benefit from settlement services because such services help newcomers achieve their best possible settlement outcomes, which in turn benefits the broader community both economically and socially.
 - **Family Literacy and Plain Language Support** contact Carla Bullinger at carla@caribooliteracy.com

Barb Jones, Rent Subsidy Project, SPC:

- I am rising awareness of the BC Housing Rent supplements available for seniors 60 years and older, and families that are employed or on EI with at least one dependent child. I can meet families in your programs, or they can arrange to meet me at the Community Futures office for help with the application process. To book an appointment call 778-267-9394.

Next CTC Network meeting is February 8th 1-3pm Zoom

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