



Social Planning Council

Williams Lake and Area

Many Voices - One Table - Shared Goals



**REMINDER: See you Monday, May 29, 2023,
11:30 am - 1:00 pm**

May 29 Guest Speaker(s): Gregory Nickel, Crisis Intervention Specialist - Mobile Response Team (MRT) with Health Emergency Management British Columbia (HEMBC), Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA)

Remember your updates, challenges/burning questions, and/or success for the famous *lightning round.

**You only have two minutes to share*

Location: [Zoom](#)

May

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**COMMUNITY MEETING
June 26, 2023**

Click your calendar app below to add Junes meeting to your schedule

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Community Updates

May 23, 2023



Williams Lake Club

Hello Social Planning Council,

We would like to invite you to our Connect at the Club event on Friday, June 2, 2023. Connect at the Club is a donor/supporter recognition event where you can experience what it is like to be a child and youth at the Club. You can participate in activities, mingle, ask questions, and learn more about BGC Williams Lake.

There will be some light refreshments, silent auction items, a 50/50 raffle. Come join us and see what has changed on Friday, June 2, 2023, from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm.

Please RSVP to Maria operations@bgcwilliamslake.com by May 29th.

Krista Harvey
Club Manager

Appreciation Gathering

Virtual Event for Métis Early Learning & Child Care Professionals

May 31, 2023 | 6:30 pm PST



In celebration of May as Child Care Month MNBC, ECEBC & BCACCS are partnering to offer a free workshop to Early Learning Professionals on the evening of May 25th.

Please see the link below.

<https://register.acc-society.bc.ca/event/94>

We hope you'll be able to attend.

General Meeting Luncheon
Williams Lake & District Chamber of Commerce

Date: May 25th, 2023

Time: 11:45 am – 1:00 pm

Location: Signal Point Gaming conference room

Cost: \$20



Please note there is a maximum capacity of 80 individuals.

Please contact the Williams Lake & District Chamber of Commerce by Wednesday, May 24th to reserve your seat.

Call (250)-392-5025 or email Jason to RSVP.

This month our guest speakers are:

Gibraltar Mine

Ben Pearce/Robyn West

And

Mount Polley

Gabriel Holmes



Yoga

Everyone is Welcome!

Friday, May 19 & 26

Friday, June 2, 9, 16 & 23

3:00pm-4:00pm

at Denisiqi Services Society



DENISIQI

Services Society

240B Mackenzie Avenue N, Williams Lake, BC
250-392-6500

www.denisiqi.org



For more information

call 250-392-6500

*Registration is not
required!*

Mats provided

AGING CAREGIVERS

May 24 2023 @ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm PDT

We cannot slow the aging process in ourselves or in the people we care for! As we get older, our ability to care for our family member becomes more and more difficult. Planning our future, and the future of our loved ones can be a terrifying process. Will we be able to provide the necessary care? Will they be well cared for in the future, after we are gone? What can we do to make the future easier? Connecting with other families in similar situations is the best way to problem-solve and figure out what will work best for our specific situations. This is a new family hangout. Join our call with other "mature" parents and caregivers and we can problem-solve together!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

CHALLENGING BEHAVIOURS

May 17 2023 @ 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm PDT

Complex behaviours are hard to handle! Whether those behaviours come from poor impulse control, language difficulties or oppositional tendencies, caregivers still struggle to understand and we all want to help. Join our Family Hangout for Challenging Behaviours and share with other caregivers who experience similar issues. Knowing that we are not alone in our struggles and hearing about options that have worked for other families can make the path just a little easier. This bi-weekly call is now a combination of two family hangouts; Complex Behaviours and Non-Speaking Autism. Please join us. [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

FSI LEARNING EXPLORATIONS – WHAT FAMILIES NEED TO KNOW WHEN HIRING RESPITE WORKERS

May 25 2023 @ 10:00 am - 11:30 am PDT

Join us on Thursday, May 25th for [What Families Need to Know When Hiring Respite Workers](#) with Caitlin Goodsell. Hiring a respite provider is not always as straightforward as it seems. In this session, we will explore the different ways of correctly hiring respite providers under the guidelines set out by the Canada Revenue Agency and Employment Standards. We will focus on when respite providers are classified as employees and when they are classified as contractors. We will also cover the obligations of both the families and staff under each type of relationship. [Click Here to Register!](#)

WILLIAMS LAKE & DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

SWING INTO SUCCESS

GOLF TOURNAMENT

**JUNE 3rd, 2023
SATURDAY**



At the Williams Lake Golf & Tennis Club

SHOTGUN START

10AM

TICKET

\$100 GST INCLUDED

REGISTRATION CLOSES MAY 26TH, 2023

TO REGISTER CONTACT: WILLIAMS LAKE & DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Phone: 250-392-5025 Email: events@wlchamber.ca

Shared on behalf of the Collaborative Services Committee of the Central Interior Region

Hello Williams Lake, 100 Mile House and surrounding area community organizations, businesses, and residents!

There are lots of changes happening in healthcare right now, especially in primary care. Where and how to find and access primary care services can be confusing and challenging. To support Central Interior residents, the Collaborative Services Committee developed a primary care newsletter that aims to update stakeholders and the public on some of the changes taking place, and provide resources on how to access healthcare services while we work on solutions.

We hope you will help us get the word out, and consider sharing the attached newsletter and resources with your networks through email, social media, newsletters, and by posting in public spaces. We appreciate your support in helping us get this information out to the public!

To get a printed copy of any of the healthcare services resource posters and brochures to post in offices or businesses please reach out to info@cirdivision.ca.

What is the Collaborative Services Committee? Learn more about us on page 1 of the newsletter.

Best regards,

Central Interior Collaborative Services Committee

Questions or concerns? Please email hdiether@cirdivisions.ca



Divisions of Family Practice

An FPSC initiative

Employment/Volunteer Opportunities

Community Futures Cariboo Chilcotin

Community Futures Cariboo Chilcotin is hiring for 2 Regional Business Liaison Positions. This is an opportunity to help support local businesses and join our amazing team! Click on the links below for the full job descriptions.



Regional Business Liaison: [Regional Business Liaison - Cariboo, BC - Indeed.com](#)

Indigenous Regional Business Liaison: [Indigenous Regional Business Liaison - Cariboo, BC - Indeed.com](#)



We are Hiring!

REGIONAL BUSINESS LIAISON & INDIGENOUS BUSINESS LIAISON

To Serve the Cariboo /South and Central Chilcotin Service Area.

Are you ready to make a difference to our local business community?

Do you enjoy connecting with people and helping them access funding and find resources to help their businesses expand?

Do you have a background in business?

If you have answered "yes" to any of these, this could be an opportunity for you!

Click the attached links to apply Today!



FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL flo@cfdccariboo.com

Executive Director – Job Posting



Cariboo-Chilcotin Partners for Literacy Society (CCPL) are community members committed to promoting awareness, advocacy, and life-long learning by initiating and supporting learning opportunities.

CCPL works collaboratively and in partnership with others in response to individual and community needs focused on marginalized learners and to inspire lifelong learning. We are a heart-centred staff with strong values of respect and inclusion. If these values describe you, keep reading!

CCPL is seeking a creative and innovative leader to work with our board and staff to support existing work and respond to emerging community needs. This is a role for someone with energy, enthusiasm, and a passion for the community and for working creatively in a

team environment. We have a strong team of 20 permanent staff that offer programs in family literacy, literacy for adults and seniors, tutoring for children and youth, and English language classes and settlement support for newcomers to Canada. We offer incredible flexibility, support for work-life balance, and opportunities to follow your passion for literacy and community development. We have an excellent and high-functioning board along with a strategic plan and organizational structures that support and guide the direction of our work. This is a part-time commitment, 20-25 hours a week, with plenty of opportunity to grow the position. In addition, there is opportunity to work off-site.

Responsibilities

- Foster a respectful, healthy, positive and collaborative workplace and board environment
- Work with a governance Board of Directors to lead the organization
- Provide general oversight and management of the day-to-day operations, assuring a smoothly functioning, efficient organization
- Provide leadership and direction to staff in the effective delivery of programs and services
- Work with staff to develop and monitor annual workplans and budgets which are reviewed and approved by the board, and oversee day-to-day financial management of the organization
- Support the development and review of the organizational strategic plan
- Develop and prepare grant/funding applications, negotiate agreements, and liaise on deliverables, evaluations, and reporting
- Maintain positive relationships with funders, partner agencies, and communities
- Ensure administrative functions are up-to-date including BC Societies reporting, annual year-end financial statements, insurance and other applicable legislation

Qualifications

- Demonstrated experience in a leadership role
- Post-secondary education in business or a related field or equivalent work experience
- Excellent communication skills
- Demonstrated experience with writing successful grants and proposals
- Experience managing a budget, alongside the knowledge necessary to lead budget development and manage the organization's finances. Experience managing operation budgets over \$600,000 will be considered an asset
- Ability to facilitate relationship building and manage a network of relationships including government funders, partners, and stakeholders
- Strong skills in MS Office

Qualified applicants are invited to apply via email to Shelly Joyner at shelly@caribooliteracy.com

Applications should include a resume and cover letter indicating your experience in literacy and/or community development, and a description of why you are interested in the position and how you feel you fit the role.

Compensation: \$35-50/hr. Wage commensurate with education and experience.

The position is open until filled and applications are accepted and reviewed on an ongoing basis. All applications will be acknowledged, but only those invited for an interview will be contacted.

Notable Quote

"A little progress each day
adds up to **BIG RESULTS**"

~ Satya Nani



**Social Planning
Council** Williams Lake
and Area

2023 Community Meetings

January 23

July 24

February 27

August - **summer break, no meeting**

March 27

September 25

April 24

October 23

May 29

November 27 - **AGM & Community Meeting**

June 26

December - **winter break, no meeting**

Meeting minutes can be found [HERE](#)

Join Today, Become a Social Planning Council Member!

Social Planning Council is a member-supported organization. Your membership fees are critical to supporting our work connecting, collaborating, and bringing our community together for a better quality of life for all.

For more info contact info@wlspc.ca
or find a membership form [HERE](#)



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