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CYC News

June 21, 2019

Chilliwack to host the next Cities Fit for Children Summit

Read the **announcement** on the BC Healthy Communities [website](#).

Summer Camps

The CYC summer camps webpages are live! ([Children & Families](#); [Youth](#)). If you are running camps, please send us your listing.

Here's printables of what's currently posted ([Children & Families](#); [Youth](#)).

Youth Shout Out Newsletter

Hope and Area Transition Society is looking for submissions for the next issue of this newsletter; deadline June 27. Include events, changes or updates for the time period of July-September.

Contact Bonnie Millward, bonnie@hopetransition.org.

FLOH Foster System Panel – June 27

The first event of their summer series, at the Evergreen Hall from 4:30-6:30pm. Everyone is welcome to this free event, by youth for youth. See the [poster](#) for more information, future dates and topics.

Families First parenting workshop series

July 10, 17 & 24 – the [first series](#) of three workshops focuses on healthy relationships within the family and beyond.

July 31 and August 7 – the [second series](#) offers more understanding of children's temperaments and needs, as well as for parents themselves.

Parents can sign up for either or both series; all are FREE. Refreshments provided, but not childcare or transportation.

Register with Steve Dove, 604-793-7216 or doves@comserv.bc.ca.

Stó:lō Service Agency's Children's Festival - July 10

A unique opportunity to share information with up to 1,500 community members and other

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Temporary Diversion of Maternity Services

Starting June 24 until July 9, patients who were previously scheduled to give birth at Chilliwack General Hospital will be diverted to Abbotsford Regional Hospital. See the Fraser Health FAQ [document](#) for more information.

Fraser Valley Aboriginal Children and Family Services Phone Number

There is now one number for reporting concerns or request supports for Indigenous Children & Families: 1-866-851-4619. See the screening team [announcement](#).

Home Improvement for Men

September 23 from 6:30-9:00pm in the Chilliwack Community Services board room.

This FREE 15-week facilitated program is for men who:

- want healthier relationships
- take responsibility for their own behaviors
- desire change, are willing to work towards change and believe that change is possible.

For more info or to register, call Shawna at Sardis Doorway, 604-819-6556. Funding provided by MCFD together with Chilliwack Community Services and Sardis Doorway.

Employment Opportunities

Chilliwack Community Services:

- [Family Law Advocate](#)

- [Training and Education Coordinator](#).

Both full-time, closing July 1.

Resources and Research

UNICEF's [Family-Friendly Policies in Rich Countries: How Canada compares](#)

[Advancing Outdoor Play and Early Childhood Education: A Discussion Paper](#)

[New Healthy Housing Action Guide](#)

[Progress Audit: The Education of Aboriginal Students in the B.C. Public School System](#)

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