

# **CYC Monthly Meeting, at the Neighbourhood Learning Centre**

January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 9:00 am - 11:00 am

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1. Welcome and Land Acknowledgment

10 minutes

- Wanda Smith, MCFD
- 2. Review and Approval of Agenda Approved
- 3. Approval of December 6th, 2022 Meeting Minutes Approved

5 minutes

4. Round Table Introductions

10 minutes

# 5. <u>Important Monthly Days to Remember</u>

5 minutes

- Week of the 23<sup>rd</sup> is Family Literacy Week → <a href="https://decoda.ca/get-involved/family-literacy-week/#:~:text=Each%20January%2C%20families%2C%20schools%2C,celebrated%20January%2022nd%20to%2029th">https://decoda.ca/get-involved/family-literacy-week/#:~:text=Each%20January%2C%20families%2C%20schools%2C,celebrated%20January%2022nd%20to%2029th</a>
- January 15<sup>th</sup>, Black Excellence Month
- January 22<sup>nd</sup>, Chinese New Year
- January 23<sup>rd</sup>, National Pie Day
- January 27<sup>th</sup>, International Holocaust Remembrance Day



### 6. Program Presentation: Youth Transitions

20 minutes

- Wanda Smith, MCFD presentation attached <u>MCFD Youth Transition Presentation Jan 2023.pptx</u>
- Update on CYSN Model: Early implementation sites in four communities to work on the new framework for the CYSN
  access of services. The rest of the province is on hold for right now to allow for more consultation with Indigenous
  communities before moving this system forward for the rest of the Province.
- Supportive Housing Changes:
  - Expanding the services they offer to meet the growing needs in communities
  - · Moving to expanded services for respite/relief for more families in the community
  - Emergency placement for when kids can't be at home and their families are being assessed
  - Increased Low Barrier Short Term Stabilization beds and Specialized Long Term beds
- Youth and Young Adult Transitions
  - A four year process, 2020-2024 → started with thorough consultation with youth and young adults who were in MCFD care
- Information brochures from Wanda: <u>Youth Transition\_roadmap\_infographic.pdf</u>
   Youth Transitions rent\_supplement\_infographic.pdf

#### 7. Connection Café – Breakout Rooms:

10 minutes

• What's the biggest stumbling block your agency has in supporting your clients?

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Subcommittee Reports –

5-10 minutes

- Primary Prevention Temporarily Suspended
- Early Years Annette Williams, Chilliwack Learning Society
  - In December's meeting the committee watched the Human Early Learning Partnership Webinar: 20 Years of Data: EDI Wave 8
  - Socio-emotional learning needs are high
  - There are vulnerabilities and impacts in multiple intersecting areas, not a singular need.
  - Chilliwack is seeing more vulnerability in Language and Communication but has had improvement in socioemotional results. This is different than results across the province.
  - The CHEQ (Childhood Experiences Questionnaire) data was delved into more, with discussion about how which data service providers have direct influence over. It was identified that support for families and events for children can dwindle in the summer. There's conversation about providing more summer programming/events which are low barrier.
- Middle Years Aileen Mathews, Chilliwack Society for Community Living
  - First meeting back post-Christmas break will be in the next couple of weeks. To learn more about the committee or to get an invitation to the next meeting please reach out to Aileen directly at aileen.mathews@cscl.org
- Youth Matters Tara Cummings, YMCA
  - Meet at 11am the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month, virtually.
  - Working on strategic planning and looking for more agencies representatives to join the table.

## 9. CYC Collaborative Partners Updates

5-10 minutes



No representation

10. CYC Updates 10 minutes

- CYC Annual Conversation 2023 Update
  - Thursday evening event planning with DPAC to host a parent and care giver focused event, in connection to our theme
  - Save the Date coming out next week, please share it with your network once released to help spread the word
  - Looking at having local leaders who focus on collaboration speak at the event, about their style, rational, and challenges/accomplishments
  - We will have an EDRD simulation incorporated into the event
  - The next meeting is Friday, January 13<sup>th</sup> at 11am via Zoom
- EDRD Sub-committee Idea
  - The CYC wants to ensure the EDRD simulation training can be maintain in our community and done in a sustainable way. Currently, Dr. Rob Lees has overseen the practicum students at the CYHC to facilitate the EDRD simulation 1-2x a year. With the change to Dr. Rob Lee's role, he is not able to provide the oversight of the students anymore and to ensure this can be more sustainable the CYC would like to see this be a shared approach for all CYC members.
  - The CYC would like to see the EDRD simulations be done with the CYC network, instead of for the CYC network.
  - The CYHC can continue to provide students to facilitate the simulations.
  - Talk about this further at our next monthly meeting could Brandi and the CYHC share some information about what is needed to make this possible. Action: Brandi will bring information to our next meeting.
  - Is there a way to include the CHC?

#### 11. Updates: Agency Updates

45 minutes

- Aileen Mathews, CSCL: Many updates happening at the Mathieson Centre. Working on creating an active play sensory
  room.
- Annette Williams, CLS: Family week is the week of January 23: <a href="https://decoda.ca/get-involved/family-literacy-week/#:~:text=Each%20January%2C%20families%2C%20schools%2C,celebrated%20January%2022nd%20to%2029th</a>. We'll be at the Chilliwack Library on the 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2:30-4:30 talking about our services and helping people who drop-in for assistance on their digital devices. February 25<sup>th</sup> fun family literacy-based event at the Y, in partnership with CCS from 1:00-3:00. "Building Our Stories Through Learning" Food will be provided by Bowls of Hope Society. Flyer coming soon.
- **Brandi Carlow, CYHC:** 20 new interns have started with them. Working with local schools to provide counselling services in schools (ex. GW graham, Sardis Secondary, Rosedale). Just about able to access services at UFV again!
- Cristal Biela, FH: The position for Public Health specialist that Jennifer Hawkins used to hold is now filled!
- Corinna Landsberger, Family Smart: (update sent by email) Please share my invitation for our In the Knows I attached the
  poster for January- March. <u>FS\_ITK\_Poster\_WinterSeries\_2023\_FNL\_Print.pdf</u> We are talking about Self Harm in January,
  Eating Disorders in February and Digital Well Being in March.
- David Van Klei, Wilma's Society: New 18 residential unit building in progress will be complete the end of 2023 application for the building will come out in June/July. Adult counselling waitlist is 2-4 months long, youth counselling waitlist is 2-3 months long. The transition is running at ½ the capacity right now with renos in place to make the space wheelchair accessible. Hamper program and Rent program still happening. You can directly email <a href="D.vanklei@wilmas.org">D.vanklei@wilmas.org</a> for more questions.



- Kaleigh Roberts, CCS: Youth Christmas Party was rescheduled and is now happening January 13th from 4-7pm, at Evergreen Hall. Open for all youth ages 13-18, there will be gifts, food, and lots of activities. Seniors xmas Party Poster.png
- **Kate Healey, CCS:** CCS is in the process of looking for a new Executive Director, Diane Janzen, has resigned effective January 27<sup>th</sup>. The CCS and Salvation Army Christmas Sharing program supported over 1,500 kids through our gift hampers.
- Michelle VanDaele, FH- no updates
- Nikki Dionne, CCS- no updates
- Margaret Reid, SD33: (update provide by chat) No District updates I can think of but if you have concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to reach out: margaret\_reid@sd33.bc.ca
- Katrina Ovens, PCRS: (update provided by chat) PCRS warming centre will be opening very soon which will be a place
  where people who are experiencing homeless can access harm reduction supplies, groups, access to other supports that
  PCRS provides.
- Sunita Lakhanpal, Sardis Library: (update provided by email) This is what is happening at the Sardis Library in January:

  Parent Child Mother Goose Program.pdf; Paws 4 Stories.pdf; Lego Plus.pdf; Storytime on Mondays.pdf; AYL January

  2023.pdf
- Tara Cummings, YMCA: YMCA has amalgamated, it is now the YMCA BC. Everything internally is still the same, just new names. YMCA has a promo right now, there is currently no joiner fee. The Youth Beats Fraser Valley program is starting February 13<sup>th</sup>, deadline to apply is the end of January. To apply: <a href="https://youthbeatfraservalley.eventbrite.ca/">https://youthbeatfraservalley.eventbrite.ca/</a> or <a href="https://www.gv.ymca.ca/ybeat">https://www.gv.ymca.ca/ybeat</a>
- **Ted Kim, CBOH:** Starting their Hands Up Food Kit program, empowers food literacy of families. To apply: <a href="https://form-can.keela.co/hands-up-chilliwack-application-form">https://form-can.keela.co/hands-up-chilliwack-application-form</a>
- Wanda Smith, MCFD: A temporary ED is in place as Langley has come into the service area with Chilliwack now

Next Meeting February 7th, 9-11am

Location – Zoom

Presenter: Pivot Point