



Yellowknives Dene First Nation *8th Annual Career Fair* *'Building for the future'*

On behalf of the Yellowknives Dene First Nation Chiefs and Council along with the Career Fair Committee, we extend our sincere gratitude to all involved in the 8th Annual Career Fair 'Building for the future' held on May 12, 2016 in Dettah. It was a successful event with attendance well over 200 of students, community members, job seekers, and visitors.

Mahsi cho/Thank you to the following for their participation and support:

EXHIBITORS: For actively participating by displaying career information and engaging the attendees; The Association for Community Living; Employability, Arctic Defensive Driving School, ATG ASETS Program, B. Dene Adventures, CDETNO, City of YK-Fire Division, Crowe McKay LLP, De Beers Canada Inc., Deton Cho Corporation and Bouwa Whee Catering, ESS Support Services Worldwide-Compass Group Canada, First Air, Giant Mine Remediation Project, GNWT ECE Service Centre, GNWT ECE Student Financial Assistance, GNWT Environment and Natural Resources, GNWT Industry, Tourism, and Investment; Tourism and Parks Division; and NWT Geoscience Survey, GNWT Municipal and Community Affairs; Sports, Recreation, Youth, GNWT Municipal and Community Affairs; Recreation Operations/Leadership, Local Government Administrators of NWT, Nadji Architects Ltd., Northwestel Inc., Nuna Group of Companies, Public Service Commission of Canada, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Side Door Youth Centre, Swift Pacific Management Ltd., Tlicho Domco, YKDFN Community Wellness Division, Dene Traditional Artist Myra Conrad, Dene Traditional Artist Alice Wifladt.

CAREER FAIR SUPPORT: Master of Ceremonies Gail Cyr and Charlene Sundberg for keeping the crowd entertained and informed; Elder Mary Louise Drygeese for the warm prayer and opening remarks; YKDFN Drummers for their drumming demonstration; K'alemi Dene School for the wonderful lunch; Mary Adele Crapeau and Audrey Leonardis for preparing and refilling beverages, refreshments, and help; Shirley Beaulieu and Berna Charlo for the bannock; YKDFN Staff Support, Angela Lafferty, Lesley Ann Evans, Nora Taylor, Tina Crapeau, Margaret Erasmus, Melissa Sangris, Angus Charlo, Andrea Fowler, Cyndi Caisse, Rachel Tambour, Herb Frise, Marcus Lafferty, Gilbert Quitte; volunteers, Karen Martin, Kateri Lynn, Theresa Lynn. Everyone did a wonderful job.

SCHOOLS FOR ATTENDING: École St. Patrick High School, École Sir John Franklin High School, K'alemi Dene School, Kaw Tay Whee School, Aurora College, Native Women's Association of the NWT, Tree of Peace Friendship Centre.

DONATIONS AND CONTRIBUTORS: Erasmus Apparel, Glen's Your Independent Grocer, Oldtown Glassworks, Public Service Commission of Canada, Sutherland's Drugs, Tim Hortons. Your donations/door prizes was well received and much appreciated.

CAREER FAIR SPONSORS: This event would not be possible without our contributors GNWT Education, Culture and Employment, and Akaitcho Territory Government Aboriginal Skills and Employment Training Strategy (ASETS).

SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: Congratulations to the Exhibitors People's Choice Contest Winners; Grand Prize of Trip for Two to Edmonton with return to Annie Harry, Apple iPad Air 2 64 GB to Rosaline Landry, \$50 Gift card to Nora Crookedhand. Their participation helped select the 2016 Exhibitors People's Choice Awards; First Place to B. Dene Adventures, Second Place to Det'on Cho Corporation, Honorable Mentions to DeBeers Canada Inc.

Mahsi cho/Thank you!! Hope to see you all again next year



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